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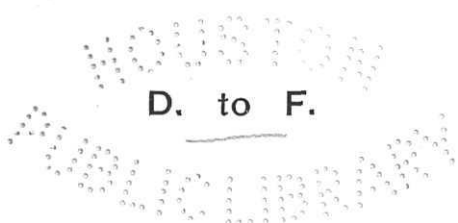
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DACRE, SOMETIME (1412) DACRE DE GILLESLAND, AND SUBSEQUENTLY, (1539), DACRE DE SOUTH; GENERALLY KNOWN (1459-1634) AS DACRE OF THE SOUTH.

Barony by Writ. I. RALPH DACRE of Gillesland co. Cumberland, s. and h. of William Dacre^(a) of Dacre, co. Cumberland, by Joane, da. and h. of Benedict GERNET, having *m.* in 1317, Margaret, only da. and h. of Thomas (DE MULTON), LORD MULTON DE GILLESLAND, by Margaret his wife, acquired with her (who was aged 13 on her Father's death in 1313), a vast estate and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DACRE) by writs 15 May (1321), 14 Ed. II., to 15 Nov. (1338), 12 Ed. III.^(b) Sheriff of Cumberland and Gov. of Carlisle, 1330. He *d.* 1339. His widow^(c) *d.* Dec. 1361.

II. 1339. 2. WILLIAM (DACRE), LORD DACRE, s. and h., aged 20 in 1339. He was sum. to Parl. 25 Nov. (1350), 24 Ed. III., to 20 Nov. (1360), 34 Ed. III. He was in the Scottish wars. He *m.* Katharine, who survived him. He *d.* s.p. July 1361.

III. 1361. 3. RALPH (DACRE), LORD DACRE, br. and h., aged 40 and Rector of the church of Prestcotes, in 1361. He was sum. to Parl. 14 Aug. (1362), 36 Ed. III., to 4 Oct (1373), 47 Ed. III. He also was in the Scottish wars. He *d.* unm. Aug. 1375.

IV. 1375. 4. HUGH (DACRE), LORD DACRE, br. and h., aged 40 in 1375. He was sum. to Parl. 1 Dec. (1376), 50 Ed. III., to 20 Aug. (1383), 7 Ric. II. He served in the French and Flemish wars, and was one of the commissioners of the Western Marches. He *m.* Ela, or Elizabeth, da. of Alexander (or Sir John) MAXWELL of Scotland. He *d.* Dec. 1383.^(d)

^(a) Dugdale states that this William was sum. to Parl. as a Baron from 28 Ed. I. to 2 Ed. II., but the *first* who was so sum. appears to have been Ralph, as in the text.

^(b) The Barony is under the title of Dacre, only, tho' probably conferred in right of the marriage with the heiress of Gillesland.

^(c) She, according to the now received theory, would have been *suo jure* Baroness Multon de Gillesland, which Barony (1307) would (if allowed) descend with that of Dacre. See p. 2, note "c."

^(d) In 1380 he styled himself "Hugh Dacre, Lord of Gillesland."—See "*Coll. Top. et Gen.*" vol. v. 318 note "f." where his Coat of Arms, as differenced, is mentioned.

V. 1383. 5. WILLIAM (DACRE), LORD DACRE, s. and h., aged 26 in 1383. He was sum. to Parl. 3 March (1383/4), 7 Ric. II, to 26 May (1455), 33 Hen. VI.^(a) He m. Joan DOUGLAS, said to have been an illegit. da. of James (DOUGLAS), EARL DOUGLAS [S.] He d. 20 July 1398.

VI. 1398. 6. THOMAS (DACRE), LORD DACRE, s. and h., aged 12 in 1398. He made proof of his age and had livery of his land in 1409, but was not sum. as a Baron till 2 Dec. (1412) 14 Hen. IV, from which date till 25 May (1455), he recd. writs^(b) directed "*Thomas de Dacre de Gillesland*," LORD DACRE DE GILLESLAND.^(c) He was Chief Forester of Inglewood, co. Cumberland, and, in 1423, one of the Commissioners to treat with King James I [S.] He m. Philippa, da. of Ralph (NEVILL), 1st EARL OF WESTMORLAND, by his first wife, Margaret, da. of Hugh (STAFFORD), EARL STAFFORD. He d. 15 Jan. 1457/8.

VII. 1458. 7. JOAN, *suo jure* BARONESS DACRE, aged 25 in 1458, grand-daughter and h., being only da. and h. of Sir Thomas Dacre, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir William BOWETT of Horsford, Norfolk, which Thomas was s. and h. ap. of the last Lord and d. v.p. She m. before her grandfather's death, Sir Richard FIENNES^(d) of Hurstmonceaux, co. Sussex, only s. and h. of Sir Roger F. of the same, by Elizabeth, sister of Sir John HOLLAND of co. Northampton. By patent 7 Nov. (1458), 37 Hen. VI, the King accepted him as LORD DACRE,^(e) and by writs,^(b)

(a) Writs of summons to Parl. continued, however, to be addressed to "*Will'o de Dacre*" from 19 Aug. 23 Rich. II, 1399, to 24 Nov. 5 Hen. IV, 1403.

(b) There is proof in the Rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(c) "The addition of *Gillesland* occurs for the first time in the Writ of 14 Hen. IV; and it may be inferred that although Ralph de Dacre, the first Baron, was probably summoned in consequence of his marriage, yet that the Barony created to him by the Writ of Summons 14 Edw. II, was a distinct Barony from that of Multon of Gillesland, of which his wife was the sole heir, for both this Ralph and his descendants were uniformly sum. to Parl. for *ninety-one* years, viz.: from 14 Edw. II, to 12 Hen. IV, without the words Multon or Gillesland being, even in a single instance, to be found in the Writs. The Barony of Multon of Gillesland, is therefore, presumed to have become merged in that of Dacre, and to have descended with it to the present Baron Dacre. This opinion is confirmed by Ralph Dacre, son of Thomas, VI Baron and the heir *mâle* of the Dacre family, being sum. by Writ 38 Hen. VI, as Baron Dacre of Gillesland, when at the same time Richard Fienes, the husband of the heir general of the same Thomas, VI Baron, was sum. as Baron Dacre only. Had the Writ of 14 Edw. II to Ralph de Dacre been considered the same as that inherited by his wife, the proper designation of the dignity would have been '*Multon of Gillesland*,' which title the Editor [Sir N. H. Nicolas, 1825], therefore feels authorised to attribute to the present Lord Dacre.

"The addition of '*de Gillesland*' in the Writ to Thomas de Multon, 1 Edw. II, was evidently used to distinguish him from Thomas de Multon, who had been regularly sum. from 27 Edw. I, as '*Thomas de Multon*' only; but in the 1 Edw. II, he was sum. as '*Thomas de Multon de Egremund*,' when the Thomas first mentioned was sum. as '*Thomæ de Multon de Gillesland*;' and the name of the latter immediately follows that of the former on the Roll. After the death of Thomas Multon of Gillesland circa 8 Edw. II, the distinction was no longer necessary, and we accordingly find that Thomas Multon of Egremund was sum. without that addition in the 13 and 14 Edw. II, and though it occurs in the last Writ directed to him, viz.: 15 May in the latter year, the Writ to his son John, who succeeded him in the Barony, was addressed '*Johanni de Multon*.'" ["Nicolas."]

(d) See under DACRE OF GILLESLAND for account of proceedings between him and Humphrey, Lord Dacre, the heir *mâle*.

(e) "This patent contains no words of limitation, and must be considered to be a confirmation of the *original Barony*, with all the rights belonging thereto." ["Courthope," *sub* "Dacre."] See p. 31, note "e," *sub* "Daubeney," for a list of and some remarks on Baronies, *cr.* by patent before the 16th century.

"Sir Richard Fienes, who by this patent was declared Lord Dacre and one of the

9 Oct. (1459), 37 Hen. VI, to 15 Nov. (1482), 22 Ed. IV, directed *Richardo Fenys Domino de Dacre Militi*, he was sum. to Parl. in that Barony, and (as *Lord Dacre*) swore fealty to *Prince Edward* (son of Edward IV) in 1471. On 8 April 1473, the King made the final award of the *lands* of the late Lord Dacre, between the heir male and the heir general, whereby, with a trivial exception,^(a) the estates were secured to the former tho' with a rem., *failing heirs male*, to the heir general,^(b) while, *as to the Peerage*, it was declared that the said Sir Richard Fenys in right of Joan his wife and the heirs of her body "be repute, had, named and called the LORD DACRE," and "keep, have and use the same seat and place in everie of our Parls. as the said Thomas Dacre, Knt., late Lord Dacre, had used and kept." Lord Dacre was Chamberlain to Elizabeth, the Queen Consort, was in 1473 Constable of the Tower, and in 1475 Privy Councillor. He *d.* 1484, and was *bur.* at Hurstmonceaux. His widow *d.* 1486 and was *bur.* there. Will dat. 13 Oct. 1485, pr. 14 June 1486.

VIII. 1486. 8. THOMAS (FIENNES), LORD DACRE, aged 12 in 1486, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir John (or Thomas) Fiennes, by Alice, da. (whose issue was coheir) to Henry (FITZHUGH), LORD FITZHUGH, which John (or Thomas) *d. v.m.* He was sum. to Parl., 14 Oct. (1495), 11 Hen. VII, to 5 Jany. (1533/4), 25 Hen. VIII, by writs^(c) directed *Thomæ Fienes de Dacre*. **K.B.**, 1494; took part in the defeat of the Cornish rebels at Blackheath, 22 June 1497, and was at the raising of the siege of Norham Castle. He *m.* Anne, da. of Sir Humphrey BOURCHIER, Knt. (s. and h. ap. of John, LORD BERNERS), by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Frederick TILNEY. He *d.* 1534 and was *bur.* at Hurstmonceaux. Will dat. 1 Sept. 1531, pr. 18 May 1534.

IX. 1534. 9. THOMAS (FIENNES), LORD DACRE, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir Thomas Fiennes, by Jane, da. of Edward (SUTTON), LORD DUDLEY, which Thomas was s. and h. ap. of the last Lord and *d. v.p.*

Barons of the Realm, had married Joan, grand-daughter and heir of Thomas, Lord Dacre of Gillesland; he was declared 'Lord Dacre' by patent, 7 Nov., 37 Hen. VI, 1458, but, to show the uncertainty of the issue of a Writ at this period, both he (as 'Lord Dacre'), and his wife's uncle who was heir male of her said grandfather (as 'Lord Dacre of Gillesland') were sum. to the same Parl., 9 Oct., 38 Hen. VI, 1459. That the Barony given to the wife's uncle was the Barony of Dacre of Gillesland, both the description and the summons (upon his decease without issue) of his next brother seem to show; and if so, the principle of tenure was here preferred to representation in blood. The Barony given to Sir Richard Fienes could not have been that 'of the courtesy,' as no patent was necessary for such a purpose; it must therefore have been a new Barony, which, having no words of inheritance, was yet descendible to heirs general, in like manner as the Barony of Fanhope (also without words of inheritance) was considered by Lord Lyndhurst, in his speech on the Wensleydale Peerage, to have been a descendible dignity."—*Vide Note, sub "Fanhope."* ["Courthope on Dignities," p. xliii, note "c."]

The patent (1458) states that Thomas, Lord Dacre, who was seized "*sibi et hereditibus suis*" of that dignity, had lately died leaving Joan, wife of Sir Richard Fienes his cousin and heir, in consideration whereof the King accepted and reputed the said Richard Fienes to be Lord Dacre. Banks, in his "*Baronia Anglica*" remarks "The heir general *m.* Richard Fiennes, who had not any blood of Dacre in him. He was sum. to Parl. as *Richard Fenys, Lord Dacre*. This summons *cr.* him *Lord Dacre*, which would seem to be a new Barony in him, for, tho' his wife was heiress of the *personal* honour, there was no *courtesy* of that personal title, *courtesy* only appertaining to *property*, and the Baronial property was not in her. She was heiress to the Barony of *Multon of Gillesland*, if that Barony be not considered to have emanated from and have attended upon the *possession* of that territory" [which was then in possession of the heir *male* of the Dacre family.]

(a) The manors of Holbech. co. Lincoln, and of Fishwick and Eccleston, co. Lancaster. See *Coll. Top. et Gen.* vol v, p. 320, correcting Dugdale's account thereof.

(b) On the death of the heir male of the house of Dacre in 1634, these estates were claimed (as heir *general*) by the then Lord Dacre.

(c) There is proof in the Rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

He was sum. to Parl. 8 June (1536), 28 Hen. VIII to 28 April (1539), 31 Hen. VIII, in the last writ being designated as "DACRE DE SOUTH." He was in attendance at the Court as early as 1537, and was one of the escort of Anne of Cleve in 1540. He *m.* Mary, da. of George (NEVILL), LORD ABERGAVENNY, by his 2nd wife Mary,^(a) da. of Edward (STAFFORD), DUKE OF BUCKINGHAM. Having taken part in a deer hunting expedition from Laughton Park, Sussex, wherein one of the park keepers met his death, he was found guilty of murder, and was hung at Tyburn, 29 June, 1541, whereby it was considered that his *honours were forfeited*. He was *bur.* at St. Sepulchre's, near Newgate, being aged 24.

X. 1541, 10. GREGORY (FIENNES), LORD DACRE 1st surv.^(b) s. and or h. was *restored* in blood and honours by Act of Parl. (1558), 2 Eliz. 1558. He was sum. to Parl. 11 Jan. (1572-3), 5 Eliz. to 19 Feb. (1592-3), 35 Eliz. He accompanied the Earl of Lincoln, 1562, on his Embassy to Paris, but is said to have been "crackbrained."^(c) He *m.* Ann, sister of Thomas 1st EARL OF DORSET, da. of Sir Richard SACKVILLE, by Winifred, da. of Sir. John BRUGES. He *d.* s.p. 25 Sept., 1594, and was *bur.* at Chelsea, Midx. Will pr. 1594. His widow *d.* 14, and was *bur.* there 15 May, 1595. Will pr. 1595, wherein she founded various almshouses in Tothill fields, Westminster.

XI. 1594. 11. MARGARET, *suo jure*, BARONESS DACRE, sister and heir. Her claim to the Barony, was referred to commissioners, for the office of Earl Marshal both by Queen Eliz. and James I; these, on 8 Dec., 1604, declared her right to the same. She who was b. 1541, *m.* 1564, Sampson LENNARD of Chevening and of Apuldrefield (in Cudham), co. Kent, who was Sheriff of Kent, 1590-91, and sometime M.P. for that county. The Baroness *d.* 10 March 1611, aged 70, and was *bur.* at Chevening. M.I. Her husband who was about to have been sum. to the House of Lords in his wife's Barony, obtained by royal warrant 2 April 1612, the precedence due to the eldest son of "Lord Dacre of the South."^(d) He *d.* 20 June 1615, aged 71, and was *bur.* at Chevening. M.I. Inq. p. mortem.

XII. 1611. 12. HENRY (LENNARD), LORD DACRE, s. and h., *bap.* at Chevening, 29 May 1570; knighted at Cadiz by the Earl of Essex, 22 June 1596. He *m.* in 1589 (her portion £2,200), Chrisogona, da. of Sir Richard BAKER of Sissinghurst, Kent, by Elizabeth (widow of George BARRET of Belhouse, Essex), da. and h. of Thomas DINELEY of Stanford Dineley, Berks. He *d.* 8 and was *bur.* 9 Aug. 1616, at Chevening. Inq. post mortem 14 Jac. I. Admon. 21 Nov. 1616. His widow was *bur.* at Chevening, 30 Sep. 1616.

XIII. 1616. 13. RICHARD (LENNARD), LORD DACRE, s. and h., aged 20 years 4 months and 8 days at his Father's death. He re-built the house at Chevening after a plan of Inigo Jones. He *m.* firstly, Elizabeth, da. and coheir of Sir Arthur THROCKMORTON, of Panlerspury, co. Northampton, by Anne, da. of Sir John LUCAS of co. Essex. She was *bur.* at Chevening, 19 Feb. 1621/2. He *m.* secondly 4 Jan. 1624/5, at St. Giles Cripplegate, Dorothy, da. of Dudley (NORTH), 3d LORD NORTH, by Frances, da. of Sir John BROCKET. He *d.* 20 Aug. 1630, at Hurstmonceaux, and was *bur.* there, leaving £50 a year to his cousin Randal Dacre, the heir male of this family. Will pr. 1630. Fun. certif. Inq. post mortem. His widow *m.* 28 Oct. 1650, at Chevening, Challoner CHUTE of the Vine, Hants, speaker of the House of Commons (1658) who *d.* 15 April 1659. She was *bur.* 21 April 1698, at Chevening, aged 93. Will pr. 1698.

^(a) See note by Sir Egerton Brydges in "Collins," vol. vi., p. 567, correcting former errors.

^(b) His elder br. Thomas is presumed to have *d.* young and v.p.

^(c) Camden's "Elizabeth."

^(d) "A rare pattent of precedency granted to Sampson Lennard, *circa* 1611, but not dated, the occasion being the death of his wife, Margaret, Baroness Dacre, in whose right he was to have been made Baron Dacre. but the Barony descending to his son, he was allowed only the *precedency as an heir apparent* of the dignity." See Black's *Ashmolean MSS.* No. 832.

XIV. 1630. 14. FRANCIS (LENNARD), LORD DACRE, s. and h. by 1st wife, aged 11 years 3 months and 8 days at the death of his father. In the civil war he sided mostly with the Parl. who in 1641 recommended him to be made Lord Lieut. of co. Hereford. He however protested against the King's trial. In 1654 (tho' a Peer), he sat as M.P. for Sussex, during the 8 months this sitting lasted. On the death of Randal Dacre, in 1634 (the last heir male of the Dacre family), he claimed the estate of Gillesland, &c., under the award of 1473 (see *ante*), but was forced to compromise matters with the Howard family (who then held them), receiving however the Manor of Dacre and other considerable lands in Cumberland, &c. He m. Elizabeth, da. and eventually coheir of Paul (BAYNING), 1st VISCOUNT BAYNING OF SUDBURY, by Ann, da. of Sir Henry GLEMHAM. He d. 12 May 1662, and was bur. at Chevening. Will pr. 1662. His widow m. David WALTER, of Godstow in Woolvercott, Oxon, Lieut.-Gen. of the ordnance and a Groom of the Bedchamber to Charles II. He d. s.p. 22 April 1679, aged 68, and was bur. at Wolvercott. M.I. The lady, herself, was on 6 April 1680, cr. COUNTESS OF SHEPEY, for life. She d. at St. Paul's, Covent Garden, July 1686, and was bur. at Chevening, when her *life peerage* became *extinct*. Will dat. 19 June to 7 July 1686, pr. 19 July 1686.

XV. 1662, 15. THOMAS (LENNARD), LORD DACRE, s. and h., b. to about 1653. He was cr. M.A. (Mag. Coll.) Oxford, 23 June 1668. On 1715. 5 Oct. 1674, he was cr. EARL OF SUSSEX. He was Gent. of the Bedchamber, 1680 to 1685. By extravagance and losses by gambling he had to sell the estate of Hurstmonceaux and others. He m. 16 May 1674 (at her age of 12, and with a dower of £20,000 from the King), Lady Ann PALMER, *alias* FITZROY,^(a) 1st da. of the notorious Barbara, *suo. jure*, DUCHESS OF CLEVELAND, her paternity being claimed both by King Charles II. and by Roger (PALMER), EARL OF CASTLEMAINE [I.], who was not at the time of her birth separated from her said mother. He d. s.p.m.s. at Chevening, 30 Oct., and was bur. there 11 Nov. 1715, when the *Earldom of Sussex* became *extinct* and the *Barony of Dacre* fell into *abeyance* between his two daughters. Admon. 14 Nov. 1715. His widow, who was b. 29 Feb. 1661/2, and who by royal warrant 28 Feb. 1672/3 under the name of "the Lady Anne Fitzroy" had a grant of Arms,^(b) d. 16 May 1722. Will pr. 1722.

[CHARLES LENNARD, *styled* LORD DACRE, 1st s. and h. ap., *bap.* at Windsor Castle, Whitsun Eve, 3 June 1682, the King Charles II. being sponsor. He d. v.p. at the age of a year and a half.]

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XVI. 1741. 16. ANNE, *suo jure* BARONESS DACRE, 2d and yst. da. who on the death s.p. of her sister Lady Barbara Skelton, at Paris, in 1741, inherited that title as sole surv. heir to her father. She m. firstly 15 July 1716, at St. Martins in the fields, her second cousin Richard BARRETT-LENNARD, s. and h. ap. of Dacre Barrett-Lennard of Belhouse, in Aveley, co. Essex, who was s. and h. of Richard Barrett Lennard^(c) of the same, a yr. s. of Richard, 13th Lord Dacre above mentioned. He d. of the small pox, v.p., Dec. 1716, but 8 months after his marriage. and was bur. at Aveley. She m. secondly, March 1717/8 (as his 3d wife), Henry (ROPER), 8th BARON TEYNHAM. He d. 16 May 1723, and was bur. at Linstead, Kent.

(a) The following extraordinary extract is given in Lysons' "Environs" (1790), from the registers of Hampton, Midx.: "the Rt. Hon. Thomas Dakers, Earl of Sessex and the Lady Anne Marito, married Aug. 11, 1671." In that year this Earldom did not exist, while the Lady Anne *Fitzroy* was certainly unnm. in Feb., 1672/3.

(b) See as to her intrigue at Paris in 1678 with Ralph Montague, Ambassador there (afterwards Duke of Montague), in Jesse's "Court of the Stuarts," vol. iv., p. 69.

(c) He who had inherited the estate of Horsford, co. Norfolk, from his father (see under Joan, Baroness Dacre, 1458-86), inherited the estate of Belhouse in Aveley, Essex, in 1644, under the will of his second cousin, Edward (Barrett), Baron Newburgh [S.] 3d. in descent from George Barrett and Elizth. Dineley, from which Elizabeth, he himself, thro' his father's mother Chrisogona, da. of Sir Richard Baker by the said Elizth., was also third in descent. See under, Henry, Lord Dacre, 1611-16.

She *m.* thirdly, 16 Oct., 1725, at St. James, Westm., the Hon. Robert MOORE, *yr. s.* of Henry, 3d. EARL OF DROGHEDA [I.], for which marriage (she being "a Papist"), he recd. pardon 3 Feb., 1725/6, enrolled 6 June, 1727. He who was *bap.* 11 April 1688 at St. Margaret's, Westm., was M.P. for co. Louth and for Belfast, and *d.* 3 July, 1728, at Epsom, Surrey. The lady herself "one of the fashionable lady gamblers^(a) of the day," sold, together with her sister, about 1720, the estate of Chevening, Kent as also Dacre Castle and the other estates in Cumberland. She *d.* 26 June, and was *bur.* 3 July, 1755, at St. Ann's, Westm.

XVII. 1755. 17. THOMAS (BARRETT-LENNARD), LORD DACRE, *s.* and *h.*, *b.* April 1717, posthumous child of 1st husband. On the death of his grandfather, 1723, he inherited the estate of Belhouse, in Aveley, co. Essex, where he chiefly resided, taking little part in politics. More than 30 years afterwards he suc. his mother in the Peerage, and took his seat in the House 13 Nov., 1755. He *m.* before 1740, Anna Maria, sister of Charles, 1st EARL CAMDEN, da. of Sir John PRATT, one of the Justices of the King's Bench, by his 2nd wife Elizabeth, da. of Rev. Hugh WILSON. He *d. s.p.s. legit.*^(b) 3 Jan., 1786, aged 69, and was *bur.* at Aveley. Will *pr.* Feb. 1786. His widow *d.* 11 Aug., 1806, at Beckenham, Kent, and was *bur.* at Aveley. Will *pr.* 1806.

XVIII. 1786. 18. TREVOR CHARLES (ROPER), LORD DACRE, nephew and *h.*, being *s.* and *h.* of Hon. Charles ROPER, by Gertrude, sister and coheir of John TREVOR, of Glynde, co. Sussex, which Charles, was 2d. *s.* of Anne, *suo jure* Baroness Dacre, above named, being her eldest son by her 2nd husband, Lord Teynham, and *d. v.m.* 4 Feb. 1754. He was *b.* 14 June, and *bap.* 1 July 1745, at East Barnet, Herts. He *m.* 2 March 1773, at Lambeth Palace Chapel, Mary, only da. and *h.* of Sir Thomas FLUDYER of Lee, co. Kent, by Mary, da. of Sir George CHAMPION, Alderman of London. He *d. s.p.* 4 July 1794, and was *bur.* at Lee. Will *pr.* July 1794. She who was *b.* June 1755, *d.* 11 Sep. 1808,^(c) and was *bur.* at Lee. M.I. Will *pr.* 1808.

XIX. 1794. 19. GERTRUDE *suo jure* BARONESS DACRE, sister and *h.* *b.* 25 Aug. 1750, at Southgate, Midx. She *m.* 20 April 1771, at St. Geo., Han. sq., Thomas BRAND of the Hoo, Herts, who *d.* 21 Feb. 1794. She *d.* 3 Oct. 1819. Will *pr.* 1819.

XX. 1819. 20. THOMAS (BRAND), LORD DACRE, *s.* and *h.*, *b.* at the Hoo, 15 March, 1774; Barrister (Linc. Inn), 1800; M.P. for Herts. 1807-19. He *m.* 4 Dec. 1819, Barberina, widow of Valentine Henry WILMOT, da. of Admiral Sir Chaloner OGLE, 1st Bart., by Hester, da. of John THOMAS, Bishop of Winchester. He *d. s.p.* 21 March 1851, at the Hoo afsd., aged 77. His widow, who was authoress of some poems, dramas, &c., *d.* 17 May 1854, in her 87th year, in Chesterfield street, May Fair. Will *pr.* June 1854.

XXI. 1851. 21. HENRY OTWAY (TREVOR) LORD DACRE, *br.* and *h.*, *b.* 27 July 1777. He entered the army in 1793, serving in Flanders; was at Copenhagen in 1807; in the Peninsula with the 1st batt. of the Coldstream Guards, 1808-12; was in command of that reg. at Salamanca, for which he received the gold Medal, having also the silver medal for his services at Talavera and Busaco. C.B. 1815; General in the army 1851; Col. of the 31st Foot. In pursuance of the will of John (Trevor-Hampden), 3d and last Viscount Hampden (who *d.* 9 Sept. 1824), he by royal lic. 18 Nov. 1824, took, for himself alone, the name of TREVOR in lieu of that of BRAND. He *m.* 24 July 1806, at St. Geo., Han. sq., Pyne, formerly

^(a) Palin's "More about Stifford" (1872). p. 17.

^(b) His illegit. son, Thomas Barrett-Lennard, suc. to the estate of Belhouse, and was *cr.* a Baronet 30 June, 1801.

^(c) She is said to have paid a visit daily to her husband's tomb, during the 14 years she survived him.

wife of Sir John GORDON, Bart. (marriage annulled by act of Parl. 1860), sister and coheir of William, 4th BARON BRANDON [I.], da. of the Hon. Maurice CROSBIE, Dean of Limerick, by his 2d wife, Pyne, da. of Sir. Henry CAVENDISH, Bart. She *d.* Jany. 1844. He *d.* 2 June 1853, in his 76th year, in Great Cumberland place, Midx. Will pr. July 1853.

XXII. 1853. 22. THOMAS CROSBIE WILLIAM (TREVOR), LORD DACRE,
s. and h., *b.* 5 Dec., 1808; ed. at Mag. Coll., Cambridge, and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; matric. at Oxford, 11 May 1827; M.P. for Herts. 1847-52. By royal lic. 12 April 1851, took the name of TREVOR in lieu of that of BRAND. Lord Lieut. of Essex, 1865-69. He *m.* 12 Jan. 1837, Susan Sophia, 1st da. of Charles Compton (CAVENDISH), 1st BARON CHESHAM, by Catherine Susan, da. of George (GORDON), 9th MARQUESS OF HUNTLY [S.] She who was *b.* 1 March 1817 was sometime a Lady of the Bedchamber. He *d.* 26 Feb. 1890, aged 81, at the Hoo, *bur.* at Kimpton, Herts.

XXIII 1890. 23. HENRY BOUVERIE WILLIAM (BRAND), VISCOUNT HAMPDEN OF GLYNDE and LORD DACRE, br. and h., *b.* 24 Dec. 1814. Having been Speaker of the House of Commons, 1872-84, he was, 4 March 1884, *cr.* VISCOUNT HAMPDEN OF GLYNDE, co. Sussex. See that dignity.

Family Estates... These, in 1883, consisted of 6,658 acres in Herts., 3,600 in Essex, 2081 in Cambridgeshire, and 978 in Suffolk. *Total*, 13,317 acres, worth £16,632 a year. *Principal Residence*, The Hoo, near Welwyn, Herts.

DACRE DE GILLESLAND, OR DACRE OF GILLESLAND,
SOMETIME (1509) DACRE DE DACRE, SUBSEQUENTLY (1529)
DACRE DE DACRE AND GREYSTOCK, AND AFTERWARDS
"DE GREYSTOCK," OR "DE NORTH," GENERALLY KNOWN
AS DACRE OF THE NORTH.

Barony RALPH DACRE, 2d s. and h. *male* of Thomas (DACRE),
I. 1459. LORD DACRE, by Philippa, da. of Ralph (NEVILL), EARL OF WESTMORLAND, was by writ directed "*Ranulpho Dacre de Gillesland, Chl'r.* sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DACRE DE GILLESLAND), 9 Oct. 1461. (1459), 38 Hen. VI,^(a) the same date as that whereon Sir Richard Fiennes, husband of the heir *general*, was also so sum. as LORD DACRE. He *d.* unbeing slain at the battle of Towton, 29 March 1461, and was *bur.* at Sarton, when his honours became *extinct*. By act of Parl. 4 Nov. following he was attained.

II. 1473, 1. HUMPHREY DACRE, 3d s. and h. *male* of Thomas or (DACRE), LORD DACRE, by Philippa, da. of Ralph (NEVILL), EARL OF 1482. WESTMORLAND, was next br. to Ralph, Lord Dacre de Gillesland above-named, with whom he was *attained* 4 Nov. 1461. This attainder was *reversed*, 8 Feb. 1473,^(b) it being therein recited that the said Humphrey had been "admitted" to the King's "Grace at his palace of Westmr., in the 2d year of his reign." He appears, indeed in that year to have attended the King's army on the expedition to the north against the Lancastrians, and to have attended the Duchess of Flanders, in 1465. This reversal of the attainder appears to have made him, (under an entailing deed made by his Father), heir to most of the estates, tho' the possession thereof was disputed by the heir *general*. Both parties having agreed in a bond of 10,000 marks, to abide by the King's arbitrament, the award made under the Privy Seal, 8 April 1473, allotted Gillesland and nearly all the *estates* to this Humphrey, as heir male, while *as to the Peerage* (the title and precedence of Thomas, the late Lord Dacre, being allowed to the heir *general*), it was enacted "that the said

(^a) There is a proof in the Rolls of Parl. of this sitting.

(^b) *Rot. Parl.* Vol. v, p. 478; Vol. vi, p. 43.

Humfrey Dacre, Knight, and the *heirs male of the body of the said Thomas*, late Lord Dacre coming, be reputed, had, named, and called the LORD DACRE OF GILLESLAND" and "have use, and keep the place in our Parls.^(a) next adjoining beneath the said place, that the said Richard Fenys, Kut., Lord Dacre now hath and occupieth," whereby, apparently, a Barony in TAIL MALE was created.^(b) He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron, by writs 15 Nov. (1482), 22 Ed. IV, to 9 Dec. (1483), 1 Ric. III, directed "*Humfrido Dacres de Gillesland*. He was master forester of Inglewood Forest, 1470, governor of Carlisle Castle, was present at the coronation of Richard III, in 1483,^(c) and was in 1484, warden of Marches. He m. Maud, da. of Sir Thomas PARR of Kendal, by Alice, da. of Sir Thomas TUNSTALL of Thurland Castle. He d. 1485, and was bur. at Lanercost.

III. 1485. 2. THOMAS (DACRE), LORD DACRE OF GILLESLAND, s. and h. He was sum. to Parl. by writs directed "*Thomæ Dacre de Dacre*" (LORD DACRE DE DACRE), from 17 Oct. (1509), to 12 Nov. (1515), 7 Hen VIII. He was at the siege of Norham Castle, 1494, and distinguished himself at the head of a troop of horse at Flodden, 9 Sep. 1513. Warden of the West Marches, 1509-25; el. K.G. 24 April, inst. 16 May 1518. He m. Elizabeth *de jure*, apparently, *suo jure* BARONESS GREYSTOCK, da. and sole h. of Sir Robert GREYSTOCK, by Elizabeth, da. of Edmund (GREY), EARL OF KENT, which Sir Robert (who d. v.p. 1483), was s. and h. ap. of Ralph, LORD GREYSTOCK, who d. 1487. She d. 13 Aug. 1516. He d. 24 Oct. 1525 and was bur. at Lanercost. Admon. (de bonis non) 2 Nov. 1565.

IV. 1525. 3. WILLIAM (DACRE), LORD DACRE OF GILLESLAND [and LORD GREYSTOCK?], s. and h. He was sum. to Parl. by writs, 3 Nov. (1529), 21 Hen. VIII, to 21 Oct. (1555), 2 and 3 Ph. and Mary, variously directed to him as "*Willielmo Dacre de Dacre and Greystok*;" as "*de Gillesland*;" or "*of Greystok*," or as "*de North*" (LORD DACRE DE DACRE AND GREYSTOK, LORD DACRE DE GILLESLAND, LORD DACRE OF GREYSTOK, or LORD DACRE DE NORTH.^(d)) In 1525, he had livery of the lands of Greystock, his maternal inheritance. In 1530, he subscribed the letter to the Pope urging the Queen's divorce. In 1534, he claimed precedence of the Lord

(a) See Vol. i., p. 229, note "a," sub. "Banbury" as to Precedency of Peers in Parl. by Royal Warrant."

(b) "From this period, therefore, I conceive, this Sir Humfrey Dacre is to be accounted *Baron Dacre of Gillesland*, holding that dignity only to himself and the *heir male* of the body of his father, and not as a *Barony by Writ*." See Townsend's additions to "Dugdale," in "Coll. Top. et Gen." vol. v. p. 321, of which the article on Dacre of Gillesland is one of the most valuable. See also *infra*, p. 9, notes "a" and "b."

(c) At the coronation of Richard III, 6 July 1483, there were present 45 Peers, viz: 3 Dukes, 9 Earls, 2 Viscounts, 21 Barons and 70 Knights. The nobles (whose surnames when differing from their title are given in italics within brackets), were as under, viz: DUKES—1, Buckingham (*Stafford*); 2, Norfolk (*Howard*) and 3, Suffolk (*De-la-pole*). EARLS—1, Northumberland (*Percy*); 2, Arundel (*Fitzalan*); 3, Kent (*Grey*); 4, Surrey (*Howard*); 5, Wiltshire (*Stafford*); 6, Huntingdon (*Herbert*); 7, Nottingham (*Berkley*); 8, Warwick (*Plantagenet*) and 9, Lincoln (*De-la-Pole*). VISCOUNTS—1, Lisle (*Grey*) and 2, Lovell. BARONS—1, Audley (*Tuchet*); 2, Dacre; 3, Ferrers de Chartley (*Devereux*); 4, Powis (*Grey*); 5, Fitzhugh; 6, Scrope of Upsall; 7, Scrope of Bolton; 8, Grey de Codnor; 9, Grey de Wilton; 10, Stourton; 11, Cobham (*Brooke*); 12, Morley (*Lovel*); 13, Abergavenny (*Nevill*); 14, Zouch; 15, Ferrers de Groby (*Grey*); 16, Wells (*Hastings*); 17, Lumley; 18, Maltravers (*Fitzalan*, s. and h. ap. of the Earl of Arundel); 19, Herbert (Qy. if s. and h. of the Earl of Huntingdon?) 20, Beauchamp [of Powyck] and 21, Stanley [er. a few months later Earl of Derby] whose name, however, is omitted from the list (l. 18) in the College of arms, but given in that printed in the "*Excerpta Historica*" (1831), where (pp. 379-384), is a full account of that Coronation from an old roll, with a list of those present (the variations therein from the above list and from another list in no. 1386 of the Harl. MSS. being duly noticed) taken from Harl. MSS. 2115.

(d) These Lords were generally called *Dacre of the North*, to distinguish them from the Lords Dacre, resident in Sussex and Kent, generally known as *Dacre of the South*.

Morley,^(a) which was decided against him. Being Warden of the Marches, he was accused of treason on the testimony of some Scotchmen "of mean condition," but was acquitted, 9 July 1534; was Gov. and Capt. of Carlisle, and, in 1560, one of the Commissioners to make peace with Scotland. He *m.* Elizabeth, 5th da. of George (TALBOT), 4th EARL OF SHREWSBURY, by ANNE, da. of William (HASTINGS), LORD HASTINGS. She apparently *d.* before him. He *d.* 12 Nov, 1563, at Kirkoswald, and was *bur.* 14 Dec. in Carlisle Cathedral. Admon. 3 Oct. 1564, 18 Jan'y. 1586/7 and 2 Dec. 1590.

V. 1563. 4. THOMAS (DACRE), LORD DACRE OF GILLESLAND [and LORD GREYSTOCK ?], s. and h. He was never sum. to Parl. He *m.* firstly, Elizabeth, da. of Ralph (NEVILL), 4th EARL OF WESTMORLAND, by Catherine, da. of Edward (STAFFORD), DUKE OF BUCKINGHAM. She *d.* s.p. He *m.* secondly, Elizabeth, 2d da. of Sir James LEYBURNE of CUNSWICK, co. Westmorland. He *d.* at Kirkoswald, 1 July 1566, and was *bur.* 25 in Carlisle Cathedral. His widow *m.*, as his 3d wife, Thomas (HOWARD), DUKE OF NORFOLK, who was beheaded, 2 June 1572. She *d.*, before him, in 1568.

VI. 1566, 5. GEORGE (DACRE), LORD DACRE OF GILLESLAND to [and LORD GREYSTOCK ?], only s. and h., aged 5 at his father's death, who (tho' described as "*infra etatem*") was sum. to Parl. 1569. 30 Sep. (1566), 8 Eliz. He *d.* from an accident, at Thetford, co. Norfolk, 17 May 1569, aged 8 years. The nature of his *Peerage* (which was assumed by the heir *mate* as a Barony in tail male) being called in question, it was adjudicated by the Commissioners^(b) as having been *cr.* by writ^(c) and consequently as being (then) *in abeyance* between the three sisters and coheirs of the last Lord.^(d) Any right possessed by the Lords Dacre, (1516-69) to the BARONY OF GREYSTOCK, fell undoubtedly into such *abeyance*.

^(a) He doubtless considered the old Barony of Multon of Gillesland (1307), of which the former Lords Dacre were heirs, to have been transferred, together with the lands of Gillesland, by the award of 1473. The date of the Barony of Morley was, if not, 1299, certainly as early as 1317.

^(b) These Commissioners were appointed at the request of (the Duke of Norfolk) the Earl Marshal (in lieu of himself adjudicating thereon) to avoid suspicion of favour, inasmuch as he was step-father and guardian of the three sisters and coheirs of the last Baron, *all* of whom he afterwards married to his three sons. Their decision, however, appears to have been much influenced by his Grace's views and interest. Mr. Townsend ("*Coll. Top. et Gen.*," vol. v, p. 328), remarks on it "*This decision was wrong.*" The award of King Edward IV, *did certainly entail the Barony of Dacre of Gillesland*, with advice of the Judges in Parl. *upon the heirs male* of the body of Thomas, Lord Dacre, who *d.* 37 Hen. VI; George, the young Lord, inherited the dignity as heir male, and upon his death, without issue, Leonard became heir male and in that character rightfully assumed the title of Lord Dacre of Gillesland." See also p. 10, notes "a" and "b."

^(c) The writ to which they ascribe its origin is "13 Ed. IV," a writ which actually does *not exist*, no Parl. having been sum. between 12 and 22 Ed. IV. To this *last* named Parl. (1482) the first Lord was first sum. while the date (1473) 13 Ed. IV, was that of the *award* of the Barony *to heirs male*. This award of the King, the Commissioners do not appear to have had before them, it having, not unlikely, been *purposely* withheld to favour the Howard claims; at all events no allusion to it whatever is made, so that, if produced, it must have been purposely ignored.

^(d) These were (1), Ann. aged 12 years in 1566, who *m.* in 1571, Philip (Howard), Earl of Arundel, ancestor of the Dukes of Norfolk. (2), Mary, *m.* Thomas Howard, afterwards Earl of Suffolk and *d.* s.p. (3), Elizabeth, *m.* Lord William Howard. All three were sons of Thomas, 4th Duke of Norfolk, stepfather to the three ladies. The youngest sister inherited Naworth Castle, her moiety of the Baronies in abeyance, being represented by the Earl of Carlisle. The eldest inherited Greystock, her moiety being represented by (1) the Lord Mowbray, Segrave and Stourton, and (2) the Lord Petre.

DACRE OF GILLESLAND.

["If the award in the 13 Ed. IV (1473), be held to have *created* the Barony of Dacre of Gillesland, a point on which there is much difficulty in giving an opinion,^(a) and the dignity was descendible in the manner specified therein (*i.e.* to the *heirs male* of the body of Humphrey Dacre), it became vested in 1569, in Leonard Dacre the then claimant and [subsequently] in the heir male of the body of the said Humphrey." ["Courthope."]] The succession would then be as under.

Barony. 6. LEONARD DACRE, *styling himself* LORD DACRE OF VII. 1569. GILLESLAND, uncle and h., male. His claim thereto was disallowed by the Commissioners,^(b) acting for the Earl Marshal. He joined in the conspiracy of the Northern Earls in 1580, in favour of the Queen of Scots, and was consequently *attainted*.^(c) He *d. s.p.* in great poverty at Louvaine.

VIII. 1590? 7. FRANCIS DACRE, *styling himself* LORD DACRE OF GILLESLAND, yst. br. and h., was *attainted* with his br. as aforesaid. He is said to have *m.* Dorothy, da. of John RADCLIFFE of Derwentwater. It is certain that he (as "*Frances, Lord Dacres of the North.*") *m.* 17 June 1607, at St. Saviours Southwark, "Mrs. Avis DOWNHAM." He was living 1608.

IX. 16.. 8. RANDOLF DACRE, *styling himself* LORD DACRE OF to GILLESLAND, s. and h., *bap.* 8 March 1607/8, at St. Dunstan's in 1634. as "son of Francis, Lord Dakers." He *d. unm.* in London and was *bur.* at Greystock, 1634,^(d) when the issue *male* of Humphrey, the 1st Lord and consequently the *peerage*, if one in *tail male*, became *extinct*.

DACRE OF GILLESLAND.

i.e. "DACRE OF GILLESLAND, co. Cumberland," Barony, (*Howard*) *cr.* 1661, with the Earldom of Carlisle, which see.

(a) "Dignities, unless originating by writ or by Act of Parl., are created by Letters Patent under the *Great Seal*, and as the *award* is stated to have been under the *King's Privy Seal* only, it may with great propriety be argued that it was not a *Patent of Creation*, and hence that, notwithstanding the express declaration of the intentions of the Crown therein, it cannot be considered to operate, in the absence of a regular patent of creation, against the dignity being deemed to have originated in the earliest writ of summons to Humphrey Dacre extant, that of 15 Nov. 22 Ed. IV, 1482." ["Courthope."]

(b) It is to be observed that the Council for the heir male, stated the Barony to have had its beginning by writ (15 Hen. III, *sed quere*), and contended that the "Barony so beginning," "ought to descend to him as heir male to his ancestor and not to any heir female." This seems a poor plea and incapable of proof; one, too, that goes in the face of the award of 1473.

(c) He was defeated by Lord Hunsdon with greatly inferior numbers, Feb. 1580, near his own castle of Naworth. "Dacres of the crooked back, so bold in conspiracies was faint-hearted in the field," and "when Hunsdon charged, *he fled like a tall gentleman and never looked behind him till he was in Liddisdale.*" See Froude's "*Elizabeth*," the words; in italics being those of Hunsdon himself.

(d) The entry of his burial in the parish register, is as under, "Randal Dacre, Esq., s. and h. to Francis Dacre, Esq., decd. being the yst. s. of the last Lord William Dacre, decd., being the last heir male of that line; which said Randal, *d.* in London, and was brought down at the charges of the Rt. Hon. Thomas, Earl of Arundel and Surrey, Earl Marshal of England."

DAER.

i.e. "DAER AND SHORTCLEUGH," Barony [S.] (*Douglas*) *cr.* 1646, with the Earldom of Selkirk [S.], which see.

DAGWORTH.

- Barony by Writ.** I. 1347. 1. SIR THOMAS DE DAGWORTH, s. of John D. and br. and h. of another John D. all of Dagworth co. Suffolk, was in command of the King's forces in Brittany in 1345, where he thrice defeated Charles of Blois, styled Duke of Brittany, taking him in 1346 a prisoner to London. He was consequently appointed Capt. Gen. to the King in Brittany. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DAGWORTH), 13 Nov. (1347), 21 Ed. III, to 14 Feb. (1348), 22 Ed. III. He *m.* Eleanor, widow of James (BUTLER), EARL OF ORMONDE [I.], da. of Humphrey (BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD, by Lady Elizabeth PLANTAGENET, da. of KING EDWARD I. Lic. from Bp. of Winton, 24 Jan. 1343/4, to marry in the chapel of her manor of La Vacherie in Cranley, Surrey. He was slain in Brittany 1359. His widow *d.* 1363.
- II. 1359, 2. Sir Nicholas Dagworth [Lord Dagworth?] s. and h. to who never had summons to Parl. as a Baron. In 1366 he gained a great victory over the French, at Anjou. Being in favour with King 1401. Richard II, he was in 1388 imprisoned as an "evil Councillor," but next year was sent on an embassy to France. He *m.* Eleanor da. of Walter, sister and coheir of Sir John ROSALL of Shropshire. He *d.* s.p. 1401 and was *bur.* at Blickling, co. Norfolk.^(a)

DALHOUSIE, RAMSAY OF DALHOUSIE, AND DALHOUSIE OF DALHOUSIE CASTLE AND OF THE PUNJAUB.

- Barony [S.]** I. 1618. 1. GEORGE RAMSAY of Dalhousie, in Lothian, s. and h. of James RAMSAY of the same, and elder br. of John, EARL OF HOLDERNESS, the well known favourite of King James I, *suc.* his father before 1580, was, 19 Aug. 1601, served heir to (his grandfather's grandfather) Sir Alexander Ramsay of Dalhousie, was knighted before 1603; was M.P. for co. Kincardine, 1617; had the Barony of Dalhousie, on his own resignation, and the Barony of Melrose, on the resignation of his said brother (who on 25 Aug. 1615 had been *cr.* Viscount of Haddington and *Lord of Melrose* [S.]), erected into a free Barony, and was *cr.* a Lord of Parl. by charter 25 Aug. 1618, as LORD RAMSAY OF MELROSE [S.] to him his heirs male and successors in the Barony. By letters under the great seal 5 Jany. 1619, this title was changed and that of LORD RAMSAY OF DALHOUSIE, substituted to him and his heirs male "*omni tempore affuturo.*" He *m.* firstly, before 1608, Margaret, da. and h. of Sir George DOUGLAS of Helenhill, br. of William, EARL OF MORTON [S.] She was living 12 Sept. 1615. He *m.* secondly, Margaret KERR. He *d.* 1629.
- II. 1629. 2 and 1. WILLIAM (RAMSAY), LORD RAMSAY OF DALHOUSIE [S.], s. and h. by 1st wife; M.P. for Montrose, 1617 and 1621. On 29 June 1633, he was *cr.* EARL OF DALHOUSIE and LORD I. 1633. RAMSAY OF KERINGTON [S.] He was Sheriff co. Edinburgh, 24 Oct. 1646, and was fined £1,500 by Cromwell's Act of Grace, 12 April 1654. He *m.* firstly, Margaret, 1st da. of David (CARNEG), 1st EARL OF SOUTHESK [S.], by Margaret, da. of Sir David LINDSAY of Edzell. She *d.* 1661. He *m.* secondly, Jocosa, widow of Lyster BLUNT, da. of Sir Alan AFSLEY, by his second wife Anne, da. and h. of Sir Peter CAREW. She *d.* 28 April 1663, and was *bur.* in the Savoy Church, Midx. He *d.* 11 Feb. 1674.

^(a) Thomasine, his only surv. sister and h. *m.* William (Furnival), Lord Furnival, who *d.* 1383, leaving a da. and h., Joane, who *m.* Thomas (Nevill), Lord Furnival, 1383-1406. With this barony, any right to the Barony of Dagworth would devolve.

Earldom [S.] }
 II. }
 Barony [S.] } 1674.
 III. }

2 and 3. GEORGE (RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c. [S.], s. and h. by 1st wife, *styled* LORD RAMSAY, 1633-74. He *m.* Anne, widow of Robert (BOYD), LORD BOYD [S.] (who *d.* 17 Nov. 1640), da. of John (FLEMING), 2d EARL OF WIGTOUN [S.], by Margaret, da. of Alexander (LIVINGSTONE), EARL OF LINLITHGOW [S.] She *d.* 20 April 1661. He *d.* 1675.

Earldom [S.] }
 III. }
 Barony [S.] } 1675.
 IV. }

3 and 4. WILLIAM (RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c., [S.], s. and h., *styled* LORD RAMSAY, *v.p.* Capt. of the Edinburgh Militia, 1678; P.C. and Sheriff of co. Edinburgh 1672. He *m.* Mary, 2d da. of Henry (MOORE), 1st EARL OF DROGHEDA [I.] by Alice, da. of William (SPENCER), 2nd BARON SPENCER of Wormleighton. He *d.* 1682. His widow *m.* John (BELLENDEN), 2d

LORD BELLENDEN OF BROUGHTON [S.], who *d.* March 1707 She *d.* 17 March 1725/6. Will pr. March 1727.

Earldom [S.] }
 IV. }
 Barony [S.] } 1682.
 V. }

4 and 5. GEORGE (RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c., [S.] s. and h., *styled* LORD RAMSAY, *v.p.*, under age at his father's death. He *d.* unm. being killed in Holland by Mr. Hamilton in 1696.

Earldom [S.] }
 V. }
 Barony [S.] } 1696.
 VI. }

5 and 6. WILLIAM (RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c., [S.] br. and h. Sheriff of co. Edinburgh 1703. He was a steady supporter of the act of Union. Col. of the 3d Reg. of Guards, sent to support the Archduke Charles in his claim to the Kingdom of Spain; Brig. Gen., Jany. 1710. He *d.* unm. in Spain, Oct. 1710. Admon. 26 June 1719.^(a)

Earldom [S.] }
 VI. }
 Barony [S.] } 1710.
 VII. }

6 and 7. WILLIAM (RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c., [S.] cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Capt. the Hon. John RAMSAY, by da. of SINCLAIR, which John, was 2d s. of the 1st Earl by his 1st wife. He was served heir to the late Earl 9 Feb. 1711. He was a Col. in the Army. He *m.* firstly about 1700 his cousin Jean, da. of George (ROSS), 11th

LORD ROSS [S.], by his 2d wife Jean da. of George (RAMSAY), 2d EARL OF DALHOUSIE [S.] He *m.* secondly Janet, da. of — MARTIN. He *d.* at Dalkeith, 8 Dec. 1739, in his 79th year, and was *bur.* at Cockpen.

[GEORGE (RAMSAY), *styled* LORD RAMSAY, 1st s. and h. ap. by 1st wife *b.* about 1700. He *m.* Jean, sister of William 1st EARL OF PANMURE [I.], only da. of the Hon. Harry MAULE, by his 1st wife Mary, da. of William (FLEMING), 1st EARL OF WIGTOUN [S.], which Harry Maule was s. of the 2d, and br. of the 3d and 4th EARLS OF PANMURE [S.] He *d.* *v.p.* at DALHOUSIE, 25 May 1739, aged about 40. His widow *m.* John Strother KER, of Littledean, co. Roxburgh. She *d.* at Fowberry, co. Northumberland, 22 April 1769.]

Earldom [S.] }
 VII. }
 Barony [S.] } 1739.
 VIII. }

7 and 8. CHARLES (RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c., [S.], eldest surv. grandson and h. being s. and h. of George RAMSAY, *styled* LORD RAMSAY, and Jean, his wife above named. Capt. 3d Reg. of Foot Guards, with rank of Lieut.-Col. in the Army, 1753. He *d.* unm. at Edinburgh, 29 June 1764.

^(a) His only sister, Elizabeth, Baroness Hawley [I.], *suc.* to most of his personal property and *d.* Feb. 1713, leaving issue. He had endeavoured to dispose of his honours and his real estates to her, but both such dispositions were invalid.

Earldom [S.] }
 VIII. }
 Barony [S.] } 1764.
 IX. }

8 and 9. GEORGE (RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c. [S.], br. and h. Member of the faculty of advocates, 1757; one of the Lords of Police [S.], 1775-82; High Commissioner to the Gen. assembly of the Church [S.], 1777-82; REP. PEER [S.], 1774-87. In 1782, by the death of his uncle William (MAULE), EARL OF PANMURE [I., above named, he *suc.* for life to the estates of his maternal family, with a rem. to his second son^(a). He m. 30 July 1767, at Edinburgh, Elizabeth da. of Andrew GLEN, niece and h. of James GLEN, of Longcroft, co. Linlithgow, Gov. of the province of Carolina. He d. 15 Nov. 1787, at Abbeville in France.^(b) His widow *d.* in St. Andrew's Square, Edinburgh, 17 Feb. 1807, aged 68 and was *bur.* at Cockpen.

Earldom [S.] }
 IX. }
 Barony [S.] } 1787.
 X. }
 Barony [U.K.] }
 I. 1815. }

9, 10 and 1. GEORGE (RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c. [S.] s. and h., b. 23rd Oct., 1770: *styled* LORD RAMSAY, 1770-87; joined the army 1788; Lieut.-Col. 2nd Foot, 1794, serving as such in the West Indies, 1793; in Ireland, during the rebellion, 1798; in Holland, 1799, and in Egypt, 1801; was at Walcheren, as Major-Gen. in 1809, and was present at Waterloo: becoming finally (1830) Gen. in the army. Col. of the 26th Reg., 1813; Capt.-Gen. of the Queen's Body Guard of Royal Archers; REP. PEER [S.] 1796 to 1815 when,

on 11 August 1815 he was *cr.* BARON DALHOUSIE OF DALHOUSIE CASTLE, co. Edinburgh. Nom. **K.B.** 11th and inv. 27th Sep. 1813, becoming **G.C.B.** in 1815, on the institution of that rank. Lieut.-Gov. of Nova Scotia, 1816; Gov.-in-Chief of Canada, Nova Scotia, &c., 1819-28; Commander-in-Chief in the East Indies, 1829-32. He m. 14 May 1805, at Castlewigg, co. Wigton, Christian, da. and h. of Charles BROWN of Coulston, co. Haddington. He d. 21 March 1838 at Dalhousie Castle, aged 67. His widow, who was b. 28 Feb. 1786, d. 22nd Jan. 1839 at Edinburgh.

[GEORGE RAMSAY, *styled*, LORD RAMSAY, 1st s. and h. ap., b. 3 Aug. 1806, at Dalhousie Castle. He was Capt. in the 26th Foot and *d.* unm., v.p., 25 Oct. 1832 at Dalhousie Castle, aged 26.]

Earldom [S.] }
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 Barony [S.] } 1838.
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 I. 1849 to 1860. }

10, 11, 2 and 1. JAMES ANDREW (RAMSAY, afterwards BROWN-RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c. [S.], also BARON DALHOUSIE OF DALHOUSIE CASTLE [U.K.], 3rd but only surv. s. and h., b. 22 April 1812 at Dalhousie Castle; ed. at Harrow and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; *styled* LORD RAMSAY, 1832-38; B.A. and 4th class, 1833, M.A. 1838; M.P. for co. Haddington, 1837-38, when he *suc.* to the peerage; P.C. 1843, and Vice-President of the Board of Trade, 1843-47; President, 1845-46; Lord Clerk Registrar [S.] 1845; GOVERNOR-GEN. OF INDIA 1847 to 1856, during which period 4 great Kingdoms, Pegu and the Punjab (by conquest) and Nagpore and Oude^(c) (by annexation) were added to our dominion, railways were planned on an enormous scale, 4,000 miles of electric telegraph established, the postal system reformed, &c. **K.T.** 12 May 1848. On 25 Aug. 1849 he, having received the thanks of Parl. was *cr.* MARQUESS OF

(a) William, who took the name Maule, who was *cr.* Baron Panmure in 1831, being father of Fox, 2d Baron Panmure, who in 1860, *suc.* as 11th Earl of Dalhousie [S.]

(b) "Inter Nobiles, Doctus; inter Doctos, Nobilis" as classically expressed by his old Preceptor, Professor George Stuart.

(c) "A deed for which he was not answerable [the Home Authorities having announced that such was their policy] and which well nigh brought our Empire in the east to a setting in blood and gloom."—So states the "Annual Register" for 1860, but the annexation of Oude, 7 Feb. 1856, was then [1856], and probably is now, generally considered a glorious termination of Dalhousie's Governorship.

DALHOUSIE OF DALHOUSIE CASTLE, co. Edinburgh AND OF THE PUNJAUB.^(a) Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, 1853. He *m.* 21 Jan, 1836, at Yester Hay, Susan Georgiana, 1st da. of George (HAY), 8th MARQUESS OF TWEEDALE [S.] by Susan da. of William (MONTAGU) 5th DUKE OF MANCHESTER. She, who was *b.* 13 March 1817, was sometime Lady of the Bedchamber and *d.* 6 May 1853 on board ship on passage from India. He *d.* s.p.m. 19 Dec. 1860, aged 48 at Dalhousie Castle, when the *Marquessate of Dalhousie* (1849) and the *Barony of Dalhousie* (1815) both became *extinct*, but the Scotch dignities devolved as below.

Earldom [S.]	} 1860.	11 and 12. FOX (MAULE, afterwards MAULE RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c. [S.] also BARON PANMURE OF BRECHIN AND NAVAR, co. Forfar; cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of William, 1st BARON PANMURE, &c., by his 1st wife Patricia Heron, da. of Gilbert GORDON of Halleaths, which William was 2nd s. of the 8th and next br. to the 9th Earls of Dalhousie above
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named. He was *b.* 22 April 1801 at Brechin Castle, co. Forfar; ed. at Charterhouse School; sometime (12 years) an officer in 79th Highlanders; M.P. for co. Perth, 1835-37; for Edinburgh, 1838-41, and for co. Perth (again) 1841-52. Under Sec. of Home dep., 1835-41; Vice-Pres. of Board of Trade, June to Sep. 1841; Sec. of State for War, 1846-52 and 1855-58; being Pres. of Board of Control for a few weeks in Feb. 1852. P.C. 1841; Lord Rector of the Univ. of Glasgow, 1842; Lord Lieut. of co. Forfar, 1849; Privy Seal [S.] 1853. He *suc.* his father, as BARON PANMURE, 13 April 1852, and *suc.* his cousin as Earl of Dalhousie, &c. [S.] in 1860 as above stated. **K.T.** 1853. **G.C.B.** (civil) 1855. Took the name of *Ramsay* after that of *Maule*, 1861. He *m.* 4 April 1831, Montagu, 1st da. of George (ABERCROMBY), 2nd BARON ABERCROMBY, by Montagu, da. of Henry (DUNDAS) 1st VISCOUNT MELVILLE. She, who was *b.* 25 May 1807, d. (as Baroness Panmure) 11 Nov. 1853, at Pitfour Castle, co. Perth. He *d.* s.p., 6 July 1874 at Brechin Castle, when the *Barony of Panmure* became *extinct*, but the Scotch dignities devolved as below.

Earldom [S.]	} 1874.	12 and 13. GEORGE (RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c. [S.] cousin and h. male, being 2nd but 1st surv. s. and h. of Lieut.-Gen. the Hon. John RAMSAY, by Mary, da. of Philip DELISLE of Calcutta, which John was 4th son of the 8th Earl and <i>d.</i> 28 June 1842 aged 57. He was <i>b.</i> 26 April 1806 and served in the navy, 1820-64 being in the Baltic expedition, 1854; superintendent of
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Pembroke Dockyard 1857-62; Com-in-Chief on the South American Station, 1866-69; Vice-Admiral, 1869 and Admiral, 1875. **C.B.** 1856. On 12 June 1875 he was *cr.* BARON RAMSAY OF GLENMARK, co. Forfar. He *m.* 12 Aug. 1845, Sarah Frances, da. of William ROBERTSON, of Logan House, Scotland. He *d.* suddenly 20 July 1880 at Dalhousie Castle. His widow living 1889.

Earldom [S.]	} 1880.	13 and 14. JOHN WILLIAM (RAMSAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE, &c. [S.], also BARON RAMSAY OF GLENMARK, s. and h., <i>b.</i> 29 Jan'y. 1847; Lieut. R.N., 1867; styled LORD RAMSAY, 1874-80; Commander R.N., 1874-79; matric. at Oxford (Ball Coll.), 20 Oct. 1875. Equerry to <i>H.R.H.</i> the Duke of Edinburgh, 1874-76 and extra Equerry 1876-80. M.P. for Liverpool, March to July
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1880; one of the Lords in Waiting, 1880-85; Secretary for Scotland, March to Aug. 1886. He *m.* 6 Dec. 1777, at St. James, Westm., Ida Louisa, 2d da. of Charles (BENNET), 6th EARL OF TANKERVILLE, by Olivia, da. of George (MONTAGU), 6th DUKE OF MANCHESTER. She who was *b.* 22 June 1857, *d.* (of blood poisoning) 24 Nov. 1887, at the Hotel Frascati, Havre. He *d.* there (4 days afterwards) 28 Nov. 1887, both being *bur.* together (from 5 Hereford Gardens, Midx.) at Cockpen. His will, dat. 24 Sep. 1886, pr. Dec. 1887, at £11,438.

(a) See vol. i, p. 79, note "a," *sub* "Amherst," for instances of Peerage titles to commemorate battles gained, or other achievements effected by the grantees.

Earldom [S.]	} 1887.	14 and 15. ARTHUR GEORGE MAULE (RAM-
XIV.		SAY), EARL OF DALHOUSIE (1633), LORD RAMSAY OF
Barony [S.]		DALHOUSIE (1618) and LORD RAMSAY OF KERINGTON
XV.		(1633) in Scotland, also BARON RAMSAY OF GLENMARK [U.K.], s. and h. b. 4 Sep. 1878, styled LORD RAMSAY, 1880-87.

Family Estates.... These, in 1883, consisted of 138,021 acres (valued at, but, £55,601 a year) in Forfarshire and 1,419 in Midlothian. Total 138,021, acres, valued at £58,603 a year. *Principal Residences.* Dalhousie Castle, Midlothian; Panmure House and Brechin Castle, both co. Forfar.

The Earl of Dalhousie stands 15th in point of acreage and 17th in point of rental, among the 28 noblemen, who, in 1883, possessed above 100,000 acres in the United Kingdom. See a list of these in Vol. II. p. 51, note "a," *sub.* "Buccleuch."

DALKEITH.

[This branch of the family of Douglas who "owned Aberdour in Fife and large possessions in Lidderdale, as well as the fortalice of Dalkeith, a place of importance and strength" was "only second in importance to the ostensible Head of the house. In a heraldic sense they had a better claim [since 1388] to be regarded the *Chiefs* of the family than the Earls of Douglas, *their* pedigree being untainted with illegitimacy." (a)]

Barony [S.] I. Sir JAMES DOUGLAS of Dalkeith, s. and h. of Sir
L. 1430? James Douglas, one of the most powerful Barons of his time, by his
1st wife, Agnes, da. of Patrick (DUNBAR) EARL OF DUNBAR [S.] was
knighted before 18 Jany, 1391/2, *suc.* his father in 1420 in the barony
of Aberdour, co. Fife, the castle and town of Dalkeith, &c., was one of the conserva-
tors of the treaty with England 1424, &c., and probably soon afterwards (1430?) "was
one of the first persons dignified with the title of a *Lord of Parliament*," (a) as [Qy.?] **LORD DALKEITH [S.]** He *m.* firstly before 1397 the Lady Elizabeth STEWART,
3rd da. of KING ROBERT II. [S.] by Annabella, da. of John DRUMMOND. He *m.*
secondly before Oct. 1439, Janet, da. of Sir William BORTHWICK of Borthwick. He
d. about 1440. His widow *m.* George (CRICHTON), EARL OF CAITHNESS [S.], who *d.*
1455. She was living 9 Oct. 1459.

II. 1440. 2. JAMES (DOUGLAS), LORD DALKEITH [S.], s. and h.
by 1st wife, who before or soon after his succession was deranged and
was so declared by Act of Parl [S.] 22 May 1441. He *m.* firstly Margaret, da. of
James (DOUGLAS), EARL DOUGLAS [S.] by Beatrix, da. of Henry (Sinclair), EARL OF
ORKNEY [S.] She died s.p.m. He *m.* secondly Elizabeth, sister of James GIFFORD
of Sheriffhall, which James was appointed his Curator. He *d.* about 1456.

III. 1456. 3. JAMES (DOUGLAS), LORD DALKEITH [S.], s. and h.
by 2nd wife, who having *m.* the Lady Joan STEWART, da. of KING
JAMES I. [S.], was, on 14 March 1457/8, *cr.* EARL OF MORTON [S.], in which
dignity this Barony was *merged* till the resignation made by the 3rd Earl, in 1540,
of all his honours to the Crown since which date it, apparently, was not regranted
with the Earldom. See "MORTON" Earldom of [S.] *cr.* 1458.

i.e. "DARNLEY, AUBIGNY AND DALKEITH," Barony [S.]
(*Stuart*), *cr.* 5 March 1579/80 with the EARLDOM OF LENNOX [S.], which see; *ex.*
1672.

(a) See "Excheq. Rolls" [S.], edited by G. Burnett, Lyon. Vol. v., p. lxx.

i.e. "AUBIGNY, TORBOLTOUN, AND DALKEITH," Barony [S.] (*Stuart*), *cr.* 5 Aug. 1581 with the DUKEDOM OF LENNOX [S.], which see; *ex.* 1672.

i.e. "DALKEITH" EARLDOM OF [S.] (*Scott*), *cr.* 20 April 1663 with the DUKEDOM OF BUCCLEUCH [S.], which see.

DALLING AND BULWER OF DALLING.

Barony "SIR WILLIAM HENRY LYTTON EARLE BULWER, 1871, **G.C.B.,"** was, 23 March 1871, *cr.* BARON DALLING AND BULWER OF DALLING, co. Norfolk. He was 2nd of the three sons^(a) of Gen. William Earle BULWER of Wood Dalling and Heydon, co. Norfolk, by Elizabeth Barbara, da. and h. of Richard WARBURTON-LYTTON of Knebworth, Herts; was *b.* 13 Feb. 1801, at 31, Baker Street, Marylebone; *ed.* at Harrow, and at Trin. Coll. and Downing Coll., Cambridge; was an officer in the 1st Life Guards, 1824; in the 58th Foot 1826; entered the diplomatic service, 1827 and was attaché to various embassies. M.P. for Wilton, 1830-31; for Coventry, 1831-35; for Marylebone, 1835-37 and for Tamworth, 1868-71. He was Minister at Madrid, 1843-48, being, in 1848, dismissed by the Spanish ministry; Minister at Washington, 1849; at Tuscany, 1852 and AMBASSADOR at Constantinople, 1858-65. He was P.C. 1845; **K.C.B.**, 27 April 1848; **G.C.B.**, 1 March 1851, being, some 21 years later, *cr.* a Peer as above, for his distinguished diplomatic services. He *m.* 9 Dec. 1848, at Hatfield House, Herts, Georgiana Charlotte Mary, da. of Henry (WELLESLEY), 1st BARON COWLEY, by his 2nd wife, Georgiana Charlotte Augusta, da. of James (CECIL), 1st Marquess of Salisbury. He *d. s.p.*, at Naples, 23 May 1872 when his peerage became *extinct*. His widow, who was *b.* 11 June 1817, *d.* 2 Aug. 1878.

DALMENY.

i.e. "PRIMROSE AND DALMENY," Barony [S.] (*Primrose*), *cr.* 1700, with the VISCOUNTCY OF ROSEBERY [S.], which see.

i.e. "DALMENY AND PRIMROSE," Barony [S.] (*Primrose*), *cr.* 1703 with the EARLDOM OF ROSEBERY [S.], which see.

DALRYMPLE.

i.e. "DALRYMPLE," Viscountcy [S.] (*Dalrymple*), *cr.* 1703, with the EARLDOM OF STAIR [S.], which see.

DALZELL.

i.e. "DALZELL" Barony [S.] (*Dalzell*) *cr.* 18 Sep. 1628. See "CARNWATH" Earldom of [S.] *cr.* 1639, under the 1st Earl.

See HAMILTON OF DALZELL, co. Lanark," Barony (*Hamilton*), *cr.* 1886.

(a) The eldest brother, William Earle Lytton Bulwer, *suc.* to the paternal estates of Wood Dalling and Heydon, co. Norfolk and *d.* 21 July 1877 aged 78 leaving issue; while the third and youngest brother, was the well known Sir Edward George Earle Lytton-Bulwer, afterwards Bulwer-Lytton, *cr.* Baron Lytton of Knebworth, 1866.

D'AMORIE.

Barony by Writ
 I. 1317, to 1322. SIR ROGER D'AMORIE, said to have been s. and h. of Gilbert D., was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD D'AMORIE) from 20 Nov. (1317) 11 Ed. II. to 15 May (1321) 14 Ed. II., having not only distinguished himself in the Scottish wars but having (probably in 1317) *m.* Elizabeth, widow of Theobald (DE VERDON), LORD VERDON (who *d.* 1316) relict formerly of John DE BURGH (s. and h. ap. of Richard, EARL OF ULSTER [I.]) da. of Gilbert (DE CLARE), Earl of Gloucester, &c., by the Lady Joan PLANTAGENET, (*Joan of Acres*) da. of King Edward I., the said Elizabeth being heiress of the Lordship of Clare, as 3rd sister and coheir of Gilbert, EARL OF GLOUCESTER AND EARL OF HERTFORD. He himself obtained large grants from the Crown: *i.e.*, the manor of Sandall, co. York, of Haighton, Oxon., of Faulkeshall, Surrey, &c.; was Governor of the Castles of Knaresborough, Gloucester, and of St. Briavels, Warden of the Forest of Dene, &c. He was also Lord of Armoiy, co. Antrim [I.] Having joined in the rebellion of 1322, he *d.* in that year s.p.m. at Tutbury Castle, co. Stafford, and was *bur.* at Ware Priory, (a) Herts. He appears to have been *attainted* and his *honours* consequently *forfeited*, tho his Irish if not all other his estates were restored to his widow. She, who was *b.* about 1292 and who was the foundress of "Clare Hall, Cambridge," *d.* 4 Nov. 1360. Will directing her burial to be at the Minorities, Aldgate, London, dat. at Clare, 25 Sep. 1355, pr. 3 Dec. 1360.

II. 1326. 1. SIR RICHARD D'AMORIE, stated to have been s. and h. of Nicholas D. of Blechesdon, Oxon., &c., (a br. of the last named Baron), was in the Scottish wars, was Steward of the King's household, and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD D'AMORIE) from 3 Dec. (1326) 20 Ed. II. to 23 Oct. (1330) 4 Ed. II. He *m.* Margaret, who survived him. He *d.* 1330.

III. 1330, 1375. 2. SIR RICHARD D'AMORIE, only s. and h. who appears to not to have been recognised as LORD D'AMORIE and never was summoned to Parl. as such. He was in the Flemish and French wars. He *d.* s.p. March (1375) 49 Ed. III. when the Barony, if it ever existed as an hereditary dignity, became *dormant* or *extinct*. (b)

DANBY.

Earldom.
 I. 1626, to 1644. "HENRY DANVERS, Knt., BARON DANVERS OF DANTSEY, co. Wilts" was 5 Feb. 1625, 6. *cr.* "EARL OF DANBY, co. York," (c) being ranked 5th of the Earls *cr.* that same day. (d) He was 2nd s. of Sir John Danvers of Dantsey aforesaid and of Danby Castle in the North Riding co. York, by Elizabeth, 4th da. and coheir of John (NEVILL), LORD LATIMER, heiress of Danby Castle afd. ; was *b.* 28 June and *bap.* 1 July 1573, at Dantsey ; served in the wars in the Low countries under Prince Maurice of Orange, both by sea and land ; was Capt. in the wars of France and there Knighted by the French King, Henry IV., as also, 8 Oct. 1591, by the Earl of Essex in Ireland, where he was Lieut.-Gen. of the Horse, 1599, Governor of Armagh, 1601, and Sergeant-Major-Gen. of the army, July to Oct.

(a) His da. and probably *sole* heiress, Elizabeth, *m.* John (Bardolph) Lord Bardolph (who *d.* 5 Aug. 1363 aged 50) and was living as his wife in 1360. Their son Sir William, Lord Bardolph was suc. by his *s.* Thomas, Lord Bardolph, who was *attainted* 1408. Some authorities, however, give him another da. and coheir, Eleanor, stated to have *m.* John de Raleigh.

(b) The 2 sisters and the issue of a third sister of John Chandos were found to be his heirs. The relationship is not very clear. See Banks' "*Bar. Angl. Concen.*" Vol. I. p. 177 for some conjectures thereon.

(c) See "*Creations, 1483-1646*" in ap. 47th Report D.K. Pub. Records.

(d) See vol. II. p. 283, note "c," under "Cleveland" Earldom of, *cr.* 1625.

1602. He was *cr.* 21 July 1603, BARON DANVERS OF DANTSEY, *co.* Wilts, ^(a) and was by Act of Parl. 27 May 1605 restored in blood, (as h. to his father) his elder brother Sir Charles Danvers (who *d. s.p.* 1602) having been *attainted*. He was Lord President of Munster 1607-15; Governor of Guernsey, 1620; P.C., 1628; Constable of Pickering Castle 1628; *el* and *inst.* **K.G.** 7 Nov. 1633, was on the Commission of Regency, Aug. to Nov. 1641. He was founder of the Physic Gardens at Oxford at an expense of nearly £5,000. He *d. unm.* at Cornbury Park, Oxon, 20 Jany., 1643/4, in his 71st year and was *bur.* at Danstey *afsd.*, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. M.I. at Danstey. Will pr. Oct. 1645; *admon.* 9 March 1673/4.

*i.e.** "LATIMER OF DANBY, *co.* York," Viscounty (*Osborne*), *cr.* 15 Aug. 1673, see "LEEDS" Dukedom of, *cr.* 1694, under the 1st Duke.^(b)

II. 1674. THOMAS (OSBORNE), VISCOUNT LATIMER OF DANBY ^(b) AND BARON OSBORNE of Kiveton, *co.* York, was, 27 June 1674, *cr.* EARL OF DANBY,^(c) *co.* York. He, who was *s.* and *h.* of Sir Thomas Osborne, Bart., of Kiveton *co.* York, was *cr.* MARQUESS OF CARMARTHEN, 20 April 1689 and finally, 4 May 1694, DUKE OF LEEDS. See "LEEDS" Dukedom of, *cr.* 1694.

DANGAN.

i.e. "DANGAN, *co.* Meath," Viscounty (*Wellesley*), *cr.* 1847 with the EARLDOM OF COWLEY, which see

DANGAN CASTLE.

i.e. "WELLESLEY OF DANGAN CASTLE, *co.* Meath," Viscounty [I.] (*Wellesley*), *cr.* 1760 with the EARLDOM OF MORNINGTON [I.], which see.

DANTSEY [see also *sub* "DAUNTSEY."]

i.e. DANVERS OF DANTSEY, *co.* Wilts," Barony (*Danvers*), *cr.* 21 July 1603; see "DANBY," Earldom of, *cr.* 1626; both dignities *extinct* 1644.

DANVERS.

i.e. "DANVERS OF DANTSEY, *co.* Wilts," Barony (*Danvers*), *cr.* 21 July 1603; see "DANBY," Earldom of, (*cr.* 1626) both dignities *extinct* 1644.

DARCY [of Nocton.]

Barony by Writ. I. 1299. SALISBURY, 26 Jany. (1296/7), 25 Ed. I.^(d) He was aged 40 in 1298, and was *sum.* to

I. PHILIP DARCY of Nocton, *co.* Lincoln. &c., *s.* and *h.* of Norman Darcy (one of the Barons who were defeated at Evesham [1265], but who subsequently distinguished himself in the Welsh wars and had summons, 3 June [1294], 22 Ed. I to attend the King, &c.^(d), *suc.* his father in 1296, and was *sum.* to attend the King at

(a) This was the 4th out of 8 Baronies, which, with 3 Earldoms, were created that day. See note, *sub.* "Devonshire," Earldom, *cr.* 1603.

(b) His connection with these titles was that his mother Anne (widow of William Middleton) was one of the daughters [not coheirs] of Thomas Walmesley of Dunkenhalgh [who left male issue] by Elizabeth his wife, a sister [not one however whose issue became representative] of Henry (Danvers) *Earl of Danby* above named whose mother Elizabeth, was *da.* and coheir of John (Nevill) *Lord Latimer*, as above named.

(c) See "Creations, 1483-1646" in 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records.

(d) Neither the summons of 1294, nor that of 1296/7, can be looked upon as a regular writ, such as would have created an hereditary Barony, see vol. i, p. 259, note "c," *sub* "Basset de Sapcote," as to the former; and vol. i, p. 3, note "b," *sub* "Ap Adam" as to the latter.

Parl. as a Baron (LORD DARCY), from the 29 Dec. (1299), 28 Ed. I, to 20 Oct. (1332), 6 Ed. III. He took part in the insurrection against Edward II in 1321, but was pardoned. He *m.* Eleanor. He *d.* about 1332 at a great age.

II. 1332. 2. NORMAN (DARCY), LORD DARCY, but never sum. as such, s. and h., was implicated in the same rebellion as his father and likewise pardoned. He *m.* Isabella. He *d.* April 1340. His widow *d.* Nov. 1368.

III. 1340, 3. PHILIP (DARCY), LORD DARCY, but never sum. as to such, only s. and h., aged 10 years at the death of the father. He *d.* 1350. unum. and under age, about 1350, when the Barony, if it can be considered as a Barony in fee, fell into abeyance between his two aunts, or their descendants.^(a)

DARCY or DARCY DE KNAYTH

Barony by 1. JOHN DARCY of Knaith, co. Lincoln &c., who, Writ. according to Dugdale, was br. of Philip, Lord Darcy [1294] above named, but who, not improbably, was s. of Sir Roger Darcy (an uncle of the said Philip), began life as a soldier in the Scotch wars; was

I. 1332. Sheriff of the counties of Nottingham, Derby, Lancaster and York; was Chief Gov. of Ireland, 1322, 1324-26, 1328, 1332, 1334-37 and finally, 1340. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DARCY) from 27 Jany. (1331/2) 6 Ed. III. to 20 Jany. (1333/4) 7 Ed. III. by writ directed "*Johanni Darcy, le Cosin,*" and on 25 Feb. (1341/2) 16 Ed. III. by writ directed "*Johanni Darcy.*"^(b) He distinguished himself in two expeditions against Scotland; was constable of the Tower of London &c. He *m.* firstly, Emmeline, da. and coheir of Walter HERON of Hedlestone, co. Northumberland, by Christiana, da. and h. of Roger DE NOTTON. He *m.* secondly, 3 July, 1329, at Maynoth, Joan, Dow. COUNTESS OF KILDARE [I.], da. of Richard (DE BURGH), EARL OF ULSTER [I.] by Margaret, da. of John DE BURGH. He *d.* 30 May 1347. His widow *d.* 12 March 1359.

II. 1347. 2. JOHN (DARCY) LORD DARCY, or LORD DARCY DE KNAYTH, s. and h., 30 years old in 1347, who from 20 Nov. (1348) 22 Ed. III. to 15 March (1354/5) 28 Ed. III. was sum. to Parl. by writ directed "*Johanni Darcy de Knayth.*" He, as was his father, was at the battle of Cressy, 1346; was Custos of the Liberty of Holderness, and Constable of the Tower of London. He *m.* about 1350, Elizabeth, *de jure*, apparently, *suo jure* BARONESS MEINILL, being da. and h. of Nicholas (DE MEINILL), LORD MEINILL [1336-42] by Alice, da. of William (DE ROS), LORD ROS. He *d.* March 1355/6 and was *bur.* at Gisborough, co. York. His widow (who brought the important Lordship of Whorlton, co. York, into the Darcy family) *m.* 1357 as his first wife Peter (DE MAULEY), LORD MAULEY (who *d.* 1383) and *d.* 1368.

III. 1356. 3. JOHN (DARCY), LORD DARCY &c., s. and h. aged 5 in 1356. He *d.* a minor and unum. in 26 Aug. 1362.

IV. 1362. 4. PHILIP (DARCY), LORD DARCY, &c. br. and h. aged 21 in 1362. In 1368 by the death of his mother he became, apparently, LORD MEINILL. He was sum. to Parl. 4 Aug. (1377) 1 Ric. II to 5 Nov. (1397) 21 Ric. II. by writ directed "*Philippo Darcy.*"^(b) He greatly distinguished himself in the French wars, and in 1385 was Admiral of the Fleet, north of the Thames. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Sir Thomas GREY of Heton. He *d.* 24 April 1398 and was *bur.* at Gisborough. Will dat. 16 April 1398 pr. at Lincoln. His widow survived him some 14 years. Her will pr. at Lincoln, 1412.

(a) These were (1) Sir Philip de Limbury, then aged 30, s. and h. of Julian, 1st da. of the 1st Lord, and (2) Ann. wife of Sir Roger de Pedwardine, then aged 50, the 2nd da. The descendants of Julian Limbury, the eldest coheir are set out at some length in Banks' *Bar. Angl. Conc.*, vol. i, p. 178, and in *Coll. Top. et Gen.*, vol. viii, p. 161.

(b) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of this sitting.

V. 1598. 5. JOHN (DARCY), LORD DARCY, &c., s. and h. aged 22 in 1398. He was sum. to Parl. 19 Aug. (1399) 23 Ric. II. to 21 Sep. (1411) 12 Henry IV.^(a) He m. Margaret, da. of Henry (GREY) LORD GREY DE WILTON, by Elizabeth, ea. of Thomas (TALBOT), LORD TALBOT. He d. 9 Dec. 1411. His widow m. Sir Thomas SWINFORD. Admon. 29 Aug. 1454 granted to William Swinford.

VI. 1411, 6. PHILIP (DARCY), LORD DARCY, &c., s. and h., aged to 14 in 1411, who was never sum. to Parl. He m. Eleanor, da. of 1418. Henry (FITZHUGH), LORD FITZHUGH, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Robert GREY. He d. s.p.m., and under age, 2 Aug. 1418, when the *Barony of Darcy* (1332), and the *Barony of Meinill* (1336), both fell into *abeyance* between his two daughters and coheirs,^(b) and still so continue. His widow m. Thomas TUNSTALL.

DARCY, DARCY DE DARCY, OR DARCY DE TEMPLE HIRST.

Barony by Writ. 1. THOMAS DARCY, s. and h. of Sir William Darcy,^(c) by Euphemia, da. of Sir Thomas LANGTON of Farnly, co. York (which William, was grandson and h. of John Darcy, 2d son of John, LORD DARCY [1398-1411], abovenamed, and eventually [1418] the heir *male* of that family), was a person of considerable distinction in the reign of Hen. VII. Gov. of Bamburgh Castle; Warden of the Scotch Marshes, &c. From 17 Oct. (1509), 1 Hen. VIII, to 3 Nov. (1529), 21 Hen. VIII, he was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DARCY DE

DARCY), by writs directed "*Thomas Darcy de Darcy Chlr*;" while on 5 Jan. (1533/4), 25 Hen. VIII, the writ was "*de Temple Hirst*" (LORD DARCY DE TEMPLE HIRST), and on 8 June (1536), 28 Hen. VIII (simply), *Thomas Darcie Chlr*." (LORD DARCY). He was el. **K.G.** 18 and inst. 21 May 1509; P.C. and in great favour with the King, subscribing the letter to the Pope, praying for the King's divorce, &c., but was against the dissolution of the monasteries, and, finally joined in Ask's rebellion, called the *Pilgrimage of Grace*. He m. firstly, Dowsabel, da. and h. of Sir Richard TEMPEST, of Riddlesdale, co. Northumberland. He m. secondly, Edith, widow of Ralph NEVILL, styled LORD NEVILL, sister of William, 1st LORD SANDYS, da. of Sir William SANDYS of the Vine, Hants, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir John CHENEY, of Shurland. She d. at Stepney, 22 Aug. 1529, s.p.m., and was bur. at the Friars Minors, Greenwich. He was convicted of high treason on the charge of delivering up Pontefract Castle to the rebels, and was executed on Tower Hill, 20 June 1538, when, having been attainted *all his honours* became *forfeited*. He was bur. in the Church of St. Botolphs, Aldgate, (as was, in 1561, his yr. son Sir Arthur Darcy) under a costly monument.

DARCY, DARCY DE DARCY, OR DARCY AND MEINILL. Sometimes (*erroneously*) called DARCY OF ASTON.

Barony in tail male. 1. SIR GEORGE DARCY, s. and h. of Thomas, LORD DARCY, next above named,^(c) by his 1st wife, Dowsabel, da. and h. of Sir Richard TEMPEST, of Riddlesdale, co. Northumberland. I. 1548. Knighted at the battle of Flodden, 9 Sep. 1513 and was, ten years after his father's death, restored in blood by Act of Parl. (1548) 2 Ed. VI. to the dignity of BARON DARCY "to him and the heirs male of his

^(a) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of this sitting.

^(b) These were (1), Elizabeth, who (afterwards) m. Sir James Strangways, the younger, and had issue (eight sons and four daughters), as set out in *Coll. Top. et Gen.*, vol. viii, p. 162; and (2), Margery, b. 1 Sep. 1418, and *hap.* at Kirkby on the Hill, who m. Sir John Conyers, and was represented by John, Lord Conyers, who d. s.p.m. in 1557, leaving Elizabeth, his da. and coheir (whose issue, in 1644, became sole heir), wife of Thomas Darcy, whose s. and h., Conyers Darcy, was cr. in 1641 Baron Conyers and Baron Darcy. See under "CONYERS," vol. ii, p. 348, and see pedigree below p. 23, note "a." The late Lord Conyers (d. 1888), was sole representative of this lady, the youngest of the two coheirs of the Baronies of Darcy [1332], and of Meinill [1336].

^(c) See tabular pedigree, p. 23, note "a."

body.^(a) He *m.*, before 1537, Dorothy, da. and h. of Sir John MELTON of Aston^(b) co. York, by Catharine, da. of Sir Hugh HASTINGS of Fenwick. She, who was aged 38 at the death of her father, 26 Feb. 1544/5, died before her husband and was *bur.* at Brayton (*not* Bempston) co. York^(c) He *d.* 28 Aug. 1557, desiring, in his will, to be *bur.* there.

II. 1557. 2. JOHN (DARCY), LORD DARCY, s. and h. aged 28 at the death of his father, was sum. to Parl. 23 Jany. (1558/9) 1 Eliz.^(c) (two days after which he took his seat in the precedence of the old [1509] Barony) till the time of his death, the writ being sometimes directed "DARCY" [only] and sometimes "DARCY DE DARCY," (LORD DARCY DE DARCY).^(d) He was with the Earl of Essex in the expedition into Ireland. He *m.* Anne, da. of Henry Babington of Dethick, co. Derby. He *d.* 1587, or. according to some, 1602 and was *bur.* at Aston afd. Will pr. Feb. 1602 in the court of the Dean and Chapter of Westm.

III. 1587, 3. JOHN (DARCY), LORD DARCY, grandson and h., being or s. and h. of Michael Darcy, by Margaret, da. of Thomas WENTWORTH 1602, of Woodhouse, co. York, which Michael was s. and h. ap. of the last to Lord but died v.p. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron, each writ from 5 Nov. (1605) 3 Jac. I to the last one 20 Jany. (1628/9) 4 Car. I. 1635. being directed "JOHANNI DARCY ET MEINILL" (LORD DARCY AND MEINILL)^(d) probably in consequence of his descent from John (DARCY), LORD DARCY DE KNAYTH (1347-56) by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Nicholas, LORD MEINILL. Of this lady, however, he was *not* a representative, the Barony of Meinill [1336] being vested in the coheirs of the Barony of Darcy [1332]. See p. 23, note "a." He *m.* firstly Anne, da. of Sir Peter FRESCHVILLE of Stavely, co. Derby. He *m.* secondly Isabel, widow of Sir William BOWES (who *d.* 1613), relict formerly of Godfrey FOLJAMBE, da. of Sir Christopher WRAY, Ch. Justice of the Queen's Bench, by Anne, da. of Nicholas GIRLINGTON. She *d.* 1622. He *m.* thirdly, Mary, da. of Thomas (BELASYSE), 1st VISCOUNT FAUCONBERG, by Barbara, da. of Sir Henry

^(a) As to this act of restoration Mr. Townsend, in his additions to Dugdale, observes that—"Though in the beginning of the Act it is enacted that he and the heirs male of his body shall be taken and known by the name of Lord Darcy, and shall have place and voice in Parliament, &c. as a Baron of this realm; yet it is afterwards further enacted and declared that he and *his heirs* shall be restored in blood only as heir and heirs of the said Thomas, Lord Darcy, and that he and his heirs shall be enabled to demand, ask, have, hold and enjoy all and every such honours, castles, lordships, manors, and all manner of hereditaments. Upon this view of the act I cannot but think that the fair construction is, that upon the failure of heirs male of his body the heirs general are let in to the inheritance, and this opinion will, I conceive, be much fortified, if not entirely confirmed, by what follows. When the restored Lord came to Parliament he was ranked and sat there as the junior Baron, and continued during his life to hold only such place as was due to him according to the date of his restitution; but after his death his son's name was inserted in the old place, and in 1 Eliz. he was admitted to the ancient seat and rank formerly enjoyed by his attained ancestor (*Lords' Journals*, vol. i. p. 514). I do not find any steps taken by him to obtain this admission, but the fact itself appears to me to amount to a decision of the House, especially as the Lords Darcy continued in undisturbed possession of that precedence till the male line became extinct in 1635. It seems, however, highly probable that this admission of Lord Darcy was considered as a regular consequence of the then recent decision in favour of Lord Stafford, who stood precisely in similar circumstances under an act of restitution, which, like this of Lord Darcy, limited the barony first to the heirs male of the body of the restored Lord." *Coll. Top. et Gen.* vol. viii. p. 164.

^(b) Hence the designation of the Barony as "DARCY of Aston."

^(c) *Coll. Top. et Gen.* vol. viii. p. 164-165, where the mistake of the writs of 1 and 5 Eliz. being directed to Arthur, instead of John Darcy, is explained.

^(d) In the face of the Barony of Darcy having been limited to heirs *male*, it is not to be supposed that any slight discrepancy of description thereof in the writ would create another Barony distinct therefrom, *viz.* one *in fee*.

CHOLMONDELEY. He *m.* fourthly Elizabeth, (coheir to her brother John West), da. of William WEST of Tirbeck, co. York. He *d.* s.p. 5 July 1635 when the *Barony of Darcy* as restored in 1548 became *extinct*^(a) by failure of the issue male of the restored Lord. His widow *m.* the Hon. Sir Francis Fane, **K.B.**, and *d.* 1649.

DARCY OF CHICHE.

Barony. 1. "THOMAS DARCY, Knt., Vice-Chamberlain of the Household, Captain of the Royal Guard and a Knight," was, 5 April I. 1551. *cr.* "BARON DARCY OF CHICHE, co. Essex."^(b) He was only s. and h. of Roger Darcy, (Esquire of the body to Henry VII), by Elizabeth, was *b.* 1506; *suc.* his father, Sep. 1508, was Knighted at Calais, 1 Nov. 1532; was Master of the Artillery in the Tower of London, and Gent. of the Privy Chamber to Hen. VIII, in 1545, and, being Vice-Chamberlain to Edward VI, was raised to the Peerage as above. He was a few months later *cl. K.G.*, 18 Sep. and *inst.* 6 Oct. 1551. He was one of the 26 Peers who signed the letters patent, 16 June 1553, settling the Crown on Lady Jane Grey.^(c) He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of John (DE VERE), 15th EARL OF OXFORD, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir Edward TRUSSEEL. He *d.* at Wyvenhoe, 28 June 1558 and was *bur.* (as was his wife) at St. Osyth's Priory, Essex. Will pr. 14 March 1560/1.

II. 1558. 2. JOHN (DARCY), BARON DARCY OF CHICHE, only s. and h., *sum.* to Parl., 23 Jany. (1558/9), 1 Eliz., &c. He entertained the Queen at St. Osyth's, July 1561 and Aug. 1579. He accompanied the Earl of Essex into Ireland. He *m.* Frances, da. of Richard (RICH), BARON RICH OF LEEZE (Lord Chancellor), by Elizabeth, sister of William JENKS. He *d.* a widower, 3 March 1580/1, and was *bur.* at St. Osyth's. Will pr. 1581.

III. 1581, 3. and 1. THOMAS (DARCY), BARON DARCY OF CHICHE, s. to and h., *b.* about 1565. He *m.*, April 1583, Mary, da. and h. of Sir 1640. Thomas KITSON, of Hengrave, Suffolk, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Thomas CORNWALLIS. His only s. and h. ap. (Thomas Darcy), having *d.* s.p. in his lifetime, his son-in-law Sir Thomas SAVAGE,

Barony.

I. 1613. husband of his 1st da. Elizabeth, obtained 8 Oct. 1613, a "grant of the *reversion of the dignity [of Baron Darcy of Chiche]* from the death of Thomas, the present Baron without heirs male of his body,"^(b) with rem. to the heirs male of his own body by the said Elizabeth, his wife. On 5 July 1621, "Thomas, Lord Darcy, Baron of Chiche," was *cr.* "VISCOUNT COLCHESTER, co. Essex, for life [*sic.*], with reversion to Thomas Savage, Knt. and Bart., one of the Gentlemen of the Chamber, husband of Elizabeth, da. of Thomas, Lord Darcy, and to the heirs male of his body by the said Elizabeth,"^(b) and finally the said Viscount was *cr.* 4 Nov. 1626, EARL RIVERS, with rem. "to the heirs male of his body, with rem. to Thomas Savage Knt. and Bart and the heirs male of his body,"^(b) the said Thomas Savage being himself *cr.*, at the same date, VISCOUNT SAVAGE. He *d.*, s.p.m.s., 21 Feb. 1639/40 in London when the *Barony of Darcy of Chiche* (*cr.* 1551) became *extinct*. He was *bur.* at St. Osyth's. Will dat. 14 March 1635, pr. 25 Feb. 1639/40. His widow was *bur.* in Trinity Church, Colchester. Will dat. 7 May and pr. 16 Nov. 1644.

II. 1640. 2. JOHN (SAVAGE), EARL RIVERS [1626] VISCOUNT COLCHESTER [1621] VISCOUNT SAVAGE [1626] and BARON DARCY OF CHICHE [1613] grandson and h. being s. and h. of Thomas, 1st VISCOUNT SAVAGE, by Elizabeth, 1st da. and coheir of Thomas (Darcy) Earl Rivers, Viscount Colchester and Baron Darcy of Chiche, next above named. Having *suc.* his father, 20 Nov. 1635, in the Viscounty of Savage, he *suc.* his maternal grandfather in the other dignities according to the spec. limitations of the same. These continued united till their *extinction*. See "RIVERS" Earldom, *cr.* 1626; *ex.* 1728.

^(a) Any right that could accrue to the heir *general*, under the restoration of 1548, as also the right to the original Barony of Darcy, by writ 1509, *subject to the reversal of the attainder thereof* in 1538, vests in the descendants of Anne, wife of Henry Savile of Copley, co. York. Her representatives (thro' the family of Howard) are (1) Lord Mowbray, Segrave and Stourton, and (2) Lord Petre. See the descent in Banks' "*Bar. Ang. Conc.*" Vol. i. p. 181. See also pedigree, p. 23, note "a."

^(b) See "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records.

^(c) See a list of these *sub* "DERBY," Earldom of, 1521-72.

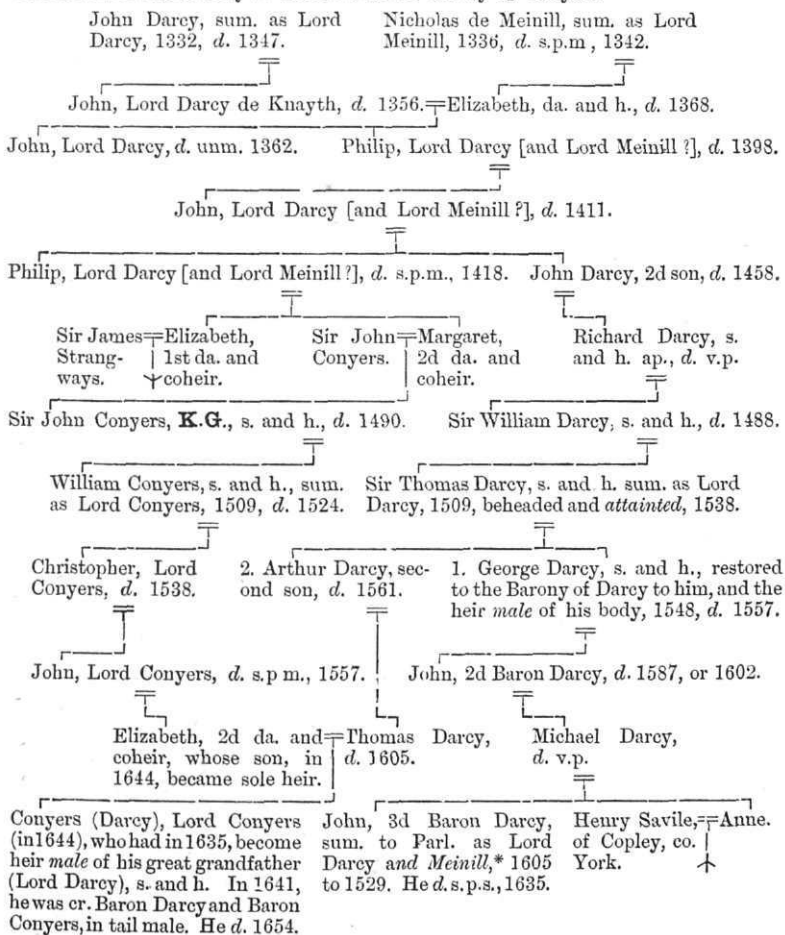
DARCY and DARCY DE MEINILL.^(a)

Barony

I. 1641.

I. CONYERS DARCY, s. and h. of Thomas Darcy, by Elizabeth, 2d da and coheir of John (CONYERS), LORD CONYERS, became, in July 1635 on the death of his cousin John (Darcy) Lord

(a) The following pedigree illustrates the descent of the Barony of Darcy, as connected with the Barony of Meinill and the Barony of Conyers.



Conyers (Darcy), Lord Conyers [1509] and Baron Darcy and Conyers [1641] who had been sum. in 1661 as "Lord Darcy" and from 1678 to 1680 as "Lord Darcy and Meinill." In 1682 he was cr. Earl of Holderness. On the failure of his issue male, 19 May 1778 all these dignities save the Barony of Conyers, (which vested in the da. and heir gen. of the last Earl) became *extinct*. See "CONYERS" Barony, cr. 1509.

* The coheirship to the Barony of Meinill was not in him, but in the descendants of Elizabeth Strangways and Margaret Conyers.

† As to this writ see Vol. ii. p. 349 note "c."

Darcy, his heir *male*, as also heir *male* of his great grandfather Thomas, Lord Darcy, (*attainted* 1538) and being maternally, thro' the Conyers family, a coheir of John (Darcy) Lord Darcy, *so cr.* 1332, set out these facts in a petition to the King, and was on 10 Aug. 1641 *cr.* BARON DARCY and on the 11th was *cr.* BARON CONYERS with in each case "confirmation of the dignity" to him "and the heirs *male* of his body, with the place and *precedence* of his ancestor the former Barons." This precedence, as far as that of the Barony of Darcy, was that of John, Lord Darcy, *so sum.* in 1332, of whom, *maternally*, he was a coheir.^(a) In 1644 he became LORD CONYERS, being at that date sole heir to the Barony of Conyers, *cr.* by writ in 1509. See fuller account of him and of this creation under "CONYERS" Barony of (*cr.* 1509) in Vol. ii. p. 348. He *d.* 3 March 1653/4.

II. 1654. 2. CONYERS (DARCY), LORD CONYERS [1509] and BARON DARCY and BARON CONYERS [1641], *s.* and *h.* He was *sum.* to Parl. from 8 May 1661 to 1 March 1679/80, and again as "*Conyers de Darcie et Meynill*"^(b) from 7 Oct. 1678 to 1 March 1679/80. On 5 Dec. 1682 he was *cr.* EARL OF HOLDERNESS. *All his honours*, but the Barony of Conyers, *cr.* by writ of 1509, became *extinct* on the death *s.p.m.* of the 4th Earl, on 19 May 1778. See "HOLDERNESS" Earldom of *cr.* 1682; *ex.* 1778.

DARCY OF NAVAN.

Barony [I.] I. 1721. 1. JAMES DARCY of Sedbury Park, co. York, *s.* and *h.* of the Hon. James Darcy (*yr. s.* of Conyers, Baron Darcy and Baron Conyers, [1641] above named) by Isabel, da. of Sir Marmaduke Wyvill, Bart. and Isabel, da. and *h.* of Sir William Gascoigne of Sedbury afsd. was aged 15 at the Her. Visit. of co. York in 1665, and was, having no *male issue*, *cr.* 13 Sep. 1721, BARON DARCY OF NAVAN, co. Meath [I.] *for life*, with rem. in tail *male* to his grandson, "James Darcy, Esq. son of William JESSOP, Esq. and Mary his wife, 1st da. of the said James, Lord Darcy. He *m.* firstly (settl. dat. 15 Nov. 1676) Bethia, da. of George PAYLER of Nunmonekton, co. York. He *m.* secondly (settl. dat. 18 June 1703) Ann, da. of John (STAWEL), 2nd BARON STAWEL OF SOMERTON. She was *bur.* at Gilling, co. York. He *m.* thirdly, Mary, da. of Sir William HICKS, 3rd Bart. by Marthagnes, da. of Sir Harry CONINGSBY. He *d.* *s.p.m.* 19 July 1731 aged 80 and was *bur.* at Gilling afsd.

II. 1731, 1733. JAMES (DARCY), BARON DARCY OF NAVAN [I.], grandson to and *h.* according to the spec. lim. in the patent of creation, being *s.* and *h.* ap. of James JESSOP of Bromehall, co. York, by Mary, 1st da. and coheir of the last Lord by his 1st wife. He *d.* *umm.* and intestate 15 June 1733 aged 26 and was *bur.* at Gilling afsd., when the title became *extinct*. Admon. 2 July 1733 to his father and again 31 March 1735 to Mary Jessop widow and others, exors. of his said father then decd.

DARLINGTON.

i.e. "DARLINGTON, co. Durham," Barony (*Sedley*), *cr.* 1685/6 (for life), with the EARLDOM OF DORCHESTER, which see; *ex.* 1692.

Earldom. CHARLOTTE SOPHIA, *suo jure*, COUNTESS OF LEINSTER [I.], and also Countess Von Platen and Hallermund, in Germany, and, *jure mariti*, Baroness Von Kielmansegge, in Germany, was I. 1722, to 1725. 6 April 1722, *cr.* BARONESS OF BRENTFORD, co. Midx., and COUNTESS OF DARLINGTON, co. Durham, for life. She was of the house of OFFLEN, being da. of Frantz Ernest, Imperial Count VON PLATEN AND HALLERMUND, by (—) who was Mistress to Ernest Augustus, Elector of Hanover, to whose son, George Lewis (afterwards, George I of England), she (as did also the wife of Count Platen, her eldest brother) held the same situation. She, who was *b.* about 1673, *m.* (when young) John Adolph KIELMANSEGGE, afterwards BARON VON KIELMANSEGGE, and Master of the Horse to George I, when Elector

^(a) See vol. i, p. 229, note "a," *sub* "Banbury," as to precedency of Peers granted by royal warrant, &c.

^(b) As to this writ see vol. ii. p. 349 note "c," under "Conyers."

of Hanover. He (after whom his wife's^(a) children were named) *d.* 15 Nov. 1717, and was *bur.* 17 at St. James', Westm. The lady followed her Royal lover to England in 1714, gaining a march thereby on her rival (afterwards Duchess of Kendal), who was unwilling to quit Hanover.^(b) On 11 Sep. 1721, she was *cr.* COUNTESS OF LEINSTER [I.], for life, and the next year was made *Countess of Darlington, &c.*, as above stated. She *d.* 20 and was *bur.* 24 April 1725, in Westm. Abbey, when all her English and Irish Peerages (being for life only) became *extinct.* Will, &c., dat. 3 Dec. 1723 to 18 April 1725; pr. 20 March 1725/6.

II. 1754. 1. HENRY (VANE), BARON BARNARD OF BARNARDS CASTLE, was, on 3 April 1754, *cr.* VISCOUNT BARNARD OF BARNARDS CASTLE and EARL OF DARLINGTON, co. Durham. He was s. and h. of Gilbert (Vane), 2nd BARON BARNARD, by Mary, da. and coheir of Morgan RANDYLL of Chilworth, Surrey, and was *b.* about 1705, was M.P. for Launceston, 1726-27; for St. Mawes, 1727 and 1734-41; for Ripon, 1741-47, and for co. Durham, 1747-53; was Paymaster-Gen. [I.], 1742-44; a Lord of the Treasury, 1749-55; and *suc.* his father in the Peerage, as Baron Barnard, 27 April 1753. He was Lord-Lieut. co. Durham also in 1753, in which year he was raised to the *Earldom of Darlington* as above mentioned. Was Joint Paymaster of the Forces (a very lucrative office) 1755. He *m.* 2 Sep. 1725, Grace, 1st surv. da. of Charles (FITZROY), DUKE OF CLEVELAND AND SOUTHAMPTON, by his 2nd wife Anne, da. of Sir William PULTENEY. He *d.* 6 March 1758. Will pr. in 1758. His widow, who was *b.* 28 March and *hap.* 8 April 1697 at St. James' Westm. *d.* 29 Sep. 1763. Her will dat. 15 June 1762, pr. 12 Nov. 1763.

III. 1758. 2. HENRY (VANE), EARL OF DARLINGTON, &c. 1st s. and h. *b.* 1726, matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 28 May 1744 and then aged 17; was *cr.* M.A. Cambridge, 3 July 1749; M.P. for Downton, 1749-53; for co. Durham, 1753-58; Capt. 1st Foot Guards, 1747; Lieut.-Col. Coldstream Guards, 1750; Col. of the Durham Militia, 1759-92; Col. in the army (during service) 1779; Lord-Lieut. of co. Durham, 1758; Gov. of Carlisle, 1763; Master of the Jewel Office, 1763. He *m.* 19 March 1757, at St. Geo., Han. Sq., Margaret, sister of James, 1st EARL OF LONSDALE, da. of Robert LOWTHER, Gov. of Barbadoes, by Catharine, da. of Sir Joseph Pennington, Bart. He *d.* 8 Sep. 1792 at Raby Castle, co. Durham, *bur.* at Raby. Will pr. Dec. 1792. His widow *d.* there 11 Sep. 1800. Her will pr. 1801.

IV. 1792. 3. WILLIAM HARRY (VANE), EARL OF DARLINGTON, &c., s. and h., *b.* 27 July 1766. On 5 Oct. 1827 he was *cr.* MARQUESS OF CLEVELAND and, on 29 Jan. 1833, BARON RABY OF RABY CASTLE, co. Durham and DUKE OF CLEVELAND. He *d.* 29 Jan. 1842.

V. 1842. 4. HENRY (VANE), DUKE OF CLEVELAND, MARQUESS OF CLEVELAND, EARL OF DARLINGTON, &c., s. and h. *b.* 16 Aug. 1788; *d.* s.p. 18 Jan. 1864.

VI. 1864. 5. WILLIAM JOHN FREDERICK (VANE, formerly POWLETT), DUKE OF CLEVELAND, MARQUESS OF CLEVELAND, EARL OF DARLINGTON, &c., br. and h., *b.* 3 April 1792; *d.* s.p. 6 Sep. 1864.

VII. 1864. 6. HARRY GEORGE (VANE, afterwards POWLETT), DUKE OF CLEVELAND (1833), MARQUESS OF CLEVELAND (1827), EARL OF DARLINGTON and VISCOUNT BARNARD (1754), BARON BARNARD (1698), and BARON RABY OF RABY CASTLE (1833), br. and h. *b.* 19 April 1803.

For fuller particulars see "CLEVELAND," Dukedom of, *cr.* 1833.

^(a) In her will she mentions her sons George Lewis, Charles August, and Ernest August, Count Von Kielmansegge, her da., Lady Howe, and her youngest da., "Carolina, Lady Von Kielmansegge." It was proved by "George Lewis, Count Von Kielmansegge." The death of "Count Kilmansegge, a German nobleman," occurred in Feb. 1733/4.

^(b) The Countess from her enormous bulk, was called "the Elephant and Castle," while her said rival ("the head of the extraordinary *seraglio*"), "whose elongated

DARNLEY, or DERNELEY.

Barony [S.] 1. SIR JOHN STEWART, of Derneley, co. Renfrew, s. and I. 1460? h. of Sir Alan S. of the same, by Catharine, da. of Sir William SERON, of Seton, which Alan was s. and h. of Sir John Stewart, of Derneley, by Elizabeth, da. and coheir of Duncan, EARL OF LENNOX [S.], *suc.* his father in 1439, and appears to have been *cr.* a Lord of Parl. by the title of LORD DERNELEY, or DARNLEY [S.], at the coronation of King James III [S.], who *suc.* to the throne, 3 Aug. 1460. He was served heir, 23 July 1473, to his great-grandfather, the Earl of Lennox above named as to half of that Earldom, and to the principal messuage thereof, and sat in Parl. 20 Nov. 1475, as EARL OF LENNOX [S.], which title since Oct. 1488 appears to have been fully recognized to him. The titles continued united till the death of Matthew, the 4th Earl, 4 Sep. 1571, when they devolved on his grandson and h., King James VI [S.], s. and h. of Henry (well known under the *style* of LORD DARNLEY), his s. and h. ap. who *d. v.p.* 9 Feb. 1566/7. The *dignities* became thus *merged* in the Crown [S.], in 1571.

i.e. "DERNELEY," or "DARNLEY," Barony of [S.] (*Stuart*), *cr.* 1572, with the EARLDOM OF LENNOX [S.], which see; *both ex.* 1576.

i.e. "DERNELEY," or "DARNLEY," Barony of [S.], (*Stuart*), *cr.* 1578, with the EARLDOM OF LENNOX [S.], which see; *resigned* therewith, 1579.

i.e. "DARNLEY, AUBIGNY and DALKEITH," Barony of [S.] (*Stuart*), *cr.* 1580, with the EARLDOM OF LENNOX [S.], which see; *ex.* 1672.

i.e. "DERNELEY," or "DARNLEY," Earldom of [S.] (*Stuart*), *cr.* 1581, with the DUKEDOM OF LENNOX [S.], which see; *ex.* 1672.

DARNLEY, AND DARNLEY OF ATHBOY.

Viscounty [I.] 1. JOHN BLYGH, of Rathmore, co. Meath, s. and h. I. 1723. of Thomas B. of the same (many years M.P. for that County), by Elizabeth, da. of James NAPER, of Loughcrew, co. Meath, *suc.* his father 28 Aug. 1710; was M.P. for Athboy, 1708-21. He *m.* 24 Aug. 1713, at Westm. Abbey, Theodosia, *suo jure*, BARONESS CLIFTON OF LEIGHTON-BROMSWOLD (see that title, *cr.* by writ 1608), which lady was the descendant and h. gen. of Esme (STUART), DUKE AND EARL OF LENNOX, EARL OF DARNLEY, LORD DARNLEY, &c. [S.], she being also, after the Royal line (descendants of King James VI [S.]), the next representative of the EARLS OF LENNOX and LORDS DARNLEY [S.], of the Stuart family. In consequence of this alliance he was, on 14 Aug. 1721, *cr.* BARON CLIFTON, OF RATHMORE, co. Meath [I.]; on 7 March 1722/3, *cr.* VISCOUNT DARNLEY OF ATHBOY, co. Meath [I.], and on 29 June 1725, EARL OF DARNLEY, co. Meath [I.] Before, however, these last two creations, the Baroness, who was *b.* 9 Nov. and *bap.* 6 Dec. 1695, at St. Martins-in-the-Fields, *d.* 30 July and was *bur.* 15 Aug. 1722, in Westm. Abbey. He *d.* at Epsom, co. Surrey, 12 and was *bur.* 25 Sep. 1723, at Westm. Abbey, in his 41st year. Will dat. 1 Jany. 1724, giving £1,500 to endow a poor house at Athboy.

figure was attenuated almost to emaciation," was called "the Maypole." She "was complaisant enough to allow the King to extend his favours to younger rivals;" and as, not only the King himself, but his s. and h. ap. (afterwards Geo. II.), also kept a bevy of such ladies, while his grandson Frederick (afterwards Prince of Wales), tho' a mere boy, "maintained an established mistress; the world was startled by the discreditable fact of three generations in the same family, indulging, *openly* in the same vice at the same time." See Jesse's "Court of Hanover," vols. ii and iii.

II. 1728. 2. EDWARD (BLIGH), EARL OF DARNLEY, &c. [I.], also LORD CLIFTON OF LEIGHTON-BROMSWOLD, s. and h., *b.* 9 Nov. 1715; ed. at Westm. and at Geneva; *suc.* his mother in the English Barony in 1722, and his father in the Irish Earldom, &c. in 1728; taking his seat [E.] 1 Feb. 1736 and [I.], 4 Oct. 1737; F.R.S., 1738; one of the Lords of the Bedchamber to the Prince of Wales, Oct. 1742. He *d.* unm. at Cobham Hall, Kent, 22 July and was *bur.* 1 Aug. 1747, at Westm. Abbey in his 31st year.

III. 1747. 3. JOHN (BLIGH), EARL OF DARNLEY, &c. [I.], also LORD CLIFTON OF LEIGHTON-BROMSWOLD, br. and h., *b.* 1 Oct. 1719, in Arlington Street, Midx.; ed. at Westm. and at Merton Coll., Oxford; *cr.* M.A., 13 July 1738; M.P. for Athboy, 1739-47; for Maidstone, May 1741. He took his seat in the House of Lords [I.], 20 Dec. 1760. He *m.* 11 Sep. 1766 in Dublin, Mary da. and h. of John STOYTE of Street, co. Westmeath, Barrister-at-Law, by Mary, sister of Ralph, VISCOUNT WICKLOW [I.], 1st da. of Robert HOWARD, Bishop of Elphin. He *d.* 31 July 1781, at Cobham Hall, aged 62 and was *bur.* at Cobham. His widow *d.* 28 March 1803, in her 56th year, at her seat, called "Bounds," and was *bur.* at Southborough Chapel, near Tunbridge Wells.

IV. 1781. 4. JOHN (BLIGH), EARL OF DARNLEY, &c., [I.], also LORD CLIFTON OF LEIGHTON-BROMSWOLD, s. and h., *b.* 30 June 1767, in Ireland; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; *cr.* D.C.L., 3 July 1793. In 1829, he claimed (by petition) the Dukedom of Lennox [S.], *cr.* 1581, as heir *general* of Charles, the 6th Duke, who *d.* 1672. He *m.* 19 Sep. 1791, at Lurgan, co. Armagh, Elizabeth, da. of the Rt. Hon. William BROWNLOW of Lurgan, by his 2d wife, Catharine, da. of Roger HALL of Mount Hall, co. Down. He *d.* 17 March 1831, at Cobham Hall. His widow *d.* 22 Dec. following. Both *bur.* at Cobham.

V. 1831. 5. EDWARD (BLIGH), EARL OF DARNLEY, &c. [I.], also LORD CLIFTON OF LEIGHTON-BROMSWOLD, s. and h. *b.* 25 Feb. 1795; od. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; 1st Class Classics and B.A., 1816; M.A., 1819; M.P. for Canterbury, 1818-30; Lord-Lieut. of co. Meath. He *m.* 26 July 1825, at Abbeyleix, Emma Jane, da. of Henry Brooke (PARNELL), 1st BARON CONGLETON, by Caroline Elizabeth, da. of John (DAWSON), 1st EARL OF PORTARLINGTON [I.]. He *d.* 11 Feb. 1835, from lock jaw, by the wound of an axe, while felling timber. His widow, who was *b.* 7 April 1804, *d.* 15 March 1884 in her 80th year at Brunswick Place, Brighton. Both *bur.* at Cobham.

VI. 1835. 6. JOHN STUART (BLIGH), EARL OF DARNLEY [1725], VISCOUNT Darnley of Athboy [1722] and BARON CLIFTON OF RATHMORE [1721] in Ireland, also LORD CLIFTON OF LEIGHTON-BROMSWOLD [1608], s. and h. *b.* 16 April 1827 in Harley Street, Marylebone; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch. Oxford; B.A., 1848; M.A., 1869; Hereditary High Steward of Gravesend and Milton; Lieut.-Col. West Kent Yeomanry Cavalry, 1863-74. He *m.* 31 Aug. 1850 at St. Peter's Pimlico, Harriet Mary, 1st da. of Henry Thomas (PELHAM), 3rd EARL OF CHICHESTER, by Mary, da. of Robert (BRUDENELL), 6th EARL OF CARDIGAN. She was *b.* 5 June 1829.

[EDWARD HENRY STUART BLIGH, styled LORD CLIFTON, s. and h. ap. *b.* 21 Aug. 1851 at Cobham Hall, Kent; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch. Oxford.]

Family Estates....These, in 1883, consisted of 9,309 acres in Kent, valued at £20,001 a year, and 25,463 acres in co. Meath, at £17,349 a year; total 34,772 acres, valued at £37,350 a year. *Principal Residence*, Cobham Hall, near Gravesend, Kent.

DARTFORD.

i.e. "VILLIERS OF DARTFORD, co. Kent," Viscounty (*Villiers*), *cr.* 1691; see "JERSEY," Earldom of, *cr.* 1607.

DARTMOUTH.

Barony.

I. 1675,
to
1680.

CHARLES FITZ-CHARLES, illegit. s. of King Charles II, was, 28 July 1675, *cr.* BARON OF DARTMOUTH, VISCOUNT TOTNESS and EARL OF PLYMOUTH. He *d. s.p.*, 17 Oct. 1680 when *all his honours* became extinct; see "PLYMOUTH," Earldom of, *cr.* 1675; *ex.* 1680.

II. 1682.

1. GEORGE LEGGE, s. and h. of William Legge, Groom of the Bedchamber, and Treasurer of the Ordnance (well known for his fidelity to King Charles I), by Elizabeth, da. and coheir of Sir William WASHINGTON, of Packington, co. Leicester, was *b.* 1647, served both by sea and land, being at one time (1678) General of the Artillery in Flanders, and at another (1683 and 1688) Admiral. He was M.P. for Ludgershal, 1668-79; for Portsmouth, 1679-82; Gov. of Portsmouth, 1670; Master Gen. of the Ordnance, and P.C., 1682; and was, 2 Dec. 1682, *cr.* BARON DARTMOUTH, of Dartmouth, co. Devon,^(a) with a *spec. rem.*, failing the heirs male of his body, to his brother William Legge, and his issue in tail male. He was Admiral of the expedition sent to destroy Tangiers, 1683, on the accomplishment of which he received a grant of £10,000. During the reign of James II (in whose household, before his accession, he had held office), he was Master of the Horse; Col. of the Reg. of Fusileers; Lord Lieut. of the Tower Hamlets; Gov. of the Tower of London, and Admiral of the Fleet. He was, however, deprived of all his offices at the Revolution and committed to the Tower on suspicion of treason^(b) in July 1691. He *m.* Barbara, da. of Sir Henry ARCHBOLD, of Abbots Bromley, co. Stafford. He *d.* after three months imprisonment, "suddenly^(c) of a fit of apoplexy, his lady being in bed with him,"²⁵ and was *bur.* 27 Oct. 1691, at Trinity Minories, with his parents. Admon. 21 Nov. and 1 Dec. 1691. His widow *d.* 28 Jan. 1717/8, in her 68th year and was *bur.* with him, M.I. Will dat. 20 May 1714, pr. 11 Feb. 1717/8.

III. 1691.

Earldom.

I. 1711.

2 and 1. WILLIAM (LEGG), BARON DARTMOUTH, s. and h., *b.* 14 Oct. 1672; took his seat in the House of Lords, 22 Nov. 1695; In June 1702 was made one of the Lords for Trade and Plantations; P.C., 1702; Sec. of State for the South, 1710-13; Joint Keeper of the Signet for Scotland, 1710-13. On 5 Sep. 1711 he was *cr.* VISCOUNT LEWISHAM^(d) of co. Kent, and EARL OF DARTMOUTH; Privy Seal, 1713-14, and, as such, one of the Lord Justices of the Realm, 1 Aug. to 18 Sep. 1714, on the death of Queen Anne.^(e) He *m.* July 1700, Anne, 3rd da. of Heneage (FINCH), 1st EARL OF AYLESFORD, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir John BANKS, Bart. He *d.* 15 Dec. 1750 at Blackheath and was *bur.* from Greenwich at Trinity Minories afsd. Will dat. 22 Jan. 1747, pr. 4 Jan. 1750/1.^(f) His widow *d.* 30 Nov. 1751 and was also *bur.* there. Will dat. 23 Dec. 1750, pr. 1752.

[GEORGE LEGG, styled VISCOUNT LEWISHAM, s. and h. ap. Matric. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.) 22 Jan. 1719/20, and then, aged 15. He was M.P. for Great Bedwyn, 1727-29. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir Arthur KAYE, Bart., of Woodsome, co. York. He *d.* v.p. of the small pox, 29 Aug. 1732, in Holles Street,

(a) The preamble recites "the great merits" of his father, "in that unparalleled rebellion," &c.

(b) This charge is believed by Macaulay and Green, but the evidence thereof seems very weak. See "N. and Q.," 6th S. xi, 184.

(c) Luttrell's "Diary."

(d) His father had purchased the manor of Lewisham, co. Kent, 1673.

(e) See a list of these, *sub* "Devonshire," 2nd Duke of. Lord Dartmouth was, however, speedily displaced by the new King who, on 24 Sep. 1714, made the Marquess of Wharton, Privy Seal, in his room.

(f) Bishop Burnet's character of him when "turned of 30 years old" (1706), with Dean Swift's commentary thereon in *italics* is as follows. "He sets up for a critic in conversation, makes jests and loves to laugh at them; takes a great deal of pains in his office and is in a fair way of rising at Court; is a short thick man of a fair complexion. *This is fair enough writ, but he has little sincerity.*"

Marylebone, and was *bur.* at Trinity Minories, His widow *m.* 24 Jany. 1736 (as his 2nd wife) Francis (NORTH), 1st EARL OF GUILFORD (who *d.* 4 Aug. 1790 aged 86) and *d.* 21 April 1745. Admon. 21 May 1745 to her husband.]

Earldom. }
 II. } 1750.
Barony. }
 IV. }
 2 and 3. WILLIAM (LEGGE), EARL OF DARTMOUTH, &c., grandson and h., being 2nd but 1st surv. s. and h. of George Legge, styled VISCOUNT LEWISHAM and Elizabeth, his wife, above named. He was *b.* 20 June 1731 and *hap.* at St. Marylebone; *matric.* at Oxford (Trin. Coll.) 14 Jany. 1748/9; *cr.* M.A. 1751, and D.C.L. 28 April 1756; Recorder of Lichfield, 1757; P.C., 1765; President of the Board of Trade, 1765-66; Colonial Secretary, 1772-75;^(a) Privy Seal, 1775-82; Steward of the Household, April to Dec. 1783; High Steward of the Univ. of Oxford, 1786; F.R.S., Gov. of the Charterhouse, &c. He *m.* 11 Jany. 1755, Frances Catherine, only da. and h. of Sir Charles Gunter NICHOLL, **K.B.** He *d.* 15 July 1801, at Blackheath and was *bur.* 3 Aug. at Trinity Minories. Will pr. 1804. His widow *d.* 23 Feb. 1805, in Charles Street, St. James', Midx., aged 72, and was *bur.* 4 March, at Trinity Minories *afsd.* Will pr. 1805.

Earldom. }
 III. } 1801.
Barony. }
 V. }
 3 and 4, GEORGE (LEGGE), EARL OF DARTMOUTH, &c., s. and h., *b.* 3 Oct. 1755, and *hap.* 26 at Lewisham; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 22 Oct. 1771; *cr.* M.A., 1775 and D.C.L., 26 Oct. 1778; M.P. for Plymouth, 1778-80; for co. Stafford, 1780-86; Lord of the Bedchamber to the Prince of Wales, 1782; Lord Warden of the Stannaries, 1803; P.C. and President of the Indian Board, 1801. He was *sum. by writ v.p.*, 15 June 1801, in his father's *Barony of Dartmouth*, but never took his seat therein, as he *suc.* to the Earldom a few weeks later; Lord Steward of the Household, 1802-04; Lord Chamberlain of the Household, 1804-10; *el.* and *inv.* **K.G.**, 27 May 1805, but never installed. He *m.* 24 Sep. 1782, at her mother's house in Grosvenor Sq., Midx., Frances, 2d da. of Heneage (FINCH), 3d EARL OF AYLESFORD, by Charlotte, da. of Charles (SEYMOUR), DUKE OF SOMERSET. He *d.* 10 Nov. 1810, at Dawlish, co. Devon, and was *bur.* 24 at Trinity Minories. Will pr. 1810. His widow, who was *b.* 9 Feb. 1761, *d.* 21 Nov. 1838, at Blackheath, aged 77. Will pr. Dec. 1838.

Earldom. }
 IV. } 1810.
Barony. }
 VI. }
 4 and 5. WILLIAM (LEGGE), EARL OF DARTMOUTH, &c., s. and h., *b.* 29 Nov. 1784, in St. Geo. Han. Sq.; *ed.* at Eton,^(b) and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; *matric.*, 3 May 1802; B.A., 1805; *cr.* D.C.L., 13 June 1834. He was M.P. for Milbourn Port, Jany. to Nov. 1810. Col. 1st Staffordshire Militia, 1812, taking a lively interest in the Volunteer service. He *m.* firstly, 5 April 1821, at Cirencester, Frances Charlotte, 1st da. of Charles (CHETWYND-TALBOT), 2d EARL TALBOT, by Frances Thomasine, da. of Charles LAMBART. She who was *b.* 17 May 1801, *d.* 4 Oct. 1823, at Ingestre, co. Stafford, and was *bur.* 18 at Trinity Minories. He *m.* secondly, 25 Oct. 1828, at Florence, Frances, 2d da. of George (BARRINGTON), 5th VISCOUNT BARRINGTON [I.], by Elizabeth, da. of Robert ADAIR. She who was *b.* 20 Oct. 1802, *d.* 11 Aug. 1849, in St. James Square, Midx., and was *bur.* at Trinity Minories. He *d.* at Patshull, co. Stafford, 22 Nov. 1853, in his 69th year. Will pr. Feb. 1854.

[GEORGE LEGGE, styled VISCOUNT LEWISHAM, s. and h. ap. by 1st wife, *b.* 10 June 1822, *d.* an infant, v.p., and was *bur.* at Trinity Minories, 18 Oct. 1823.]

^(a) While a member of Lord North's cabinet "his deep sentiments of religion" obtained for him "the nick-name of the *Psalm-singer*." See Wraxall's "*Memoirs*," vol. iii, p. 268. As to his predilection for "*the Tabernacle*," see, *ante*, vol. i. p. 352, note "a."

^(b) The following [poetical ?] description of him, as an Eton boy (presumably meant as in his praise), was written by the Earl of Carlisle, a contemporary Etonian.
 "Mild as the dew, that whitens yonder plain,
 Legge shines serenest 'midst your youthful train."

Earldom. }
V. }
Barony. } 1853.
VII. }

5 and 6. WILLIAM WALTER (LEGGÉ), EARL OF DARTMOUTH [1711], VISCOUNT LEWISHAM [1711] and BARON DARTMOUTH [1682] 2nd but 1st surv. s. and h. by 1st wife, *b.* 12 Aug. 1823 at Sandwell Park; *ed.* at Eton and at Ch. Ch. Oxford; *matric.* 20 Oct. 1841; B.A. 1844; M.A., 1847; M.P. for South Staffordshire. 1849-53; Lord Lieut. of Staffordshire, 1887; He *m.* 9 June 1846 at St. James, Westm., Augusta, 1st da. of Heneage (FINCH), 5th EARL OF AYLESFORD by Augusta Sophia, da. of George (BROOKE), 2nd EARL BROOKE and EARL OF WARWICK. She was *b.* 18 Feb. 1822.

[WILLIAM HENEAGE LEGGE, *styled* VISCOUNT LEWISHAM, s. and h. ap., *b.* 6 May 1851 in Hill Street, St. Geo. Han. Sq.; *ed.* at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; *matric.* 19 May 1869; M.P. for West Kent, 1878-85; for Lewisham, 1885; Vice-Chamberlain of the Household, June 1885 to Feb. 1886 and again August 1886. He *m.* 18 Dec. 1879 at Holkham, Norfolk, Mary, 4th da. of Thomas William (COKE), 2nd EARL OF LEICESTER OF HOLKHAM, by his 1st wife Juliana, da. of Samuel Charles WHITBREAD, of Cardington, Beds. She was *b.* 18 Sep. 1849.]

Family Estates....These, in 1883, consisted of 8,024 acres in the West Riding of Yorkshire; 7,316 in Staffordshire; 2,195 in Bucks; 1,096 in Salop; 454 in Sussex; 391 in Kent (these last being worth £10,470 a year) and 42 (worth £3,350 a year) in Midx. Total 19,518 acres, worth £58,657 a year. *Principal Residence*, Patshull Hall, near Wolverhampton, co. Stafford.

DARTREY OF DAWSON'S GROVE.

Barony [I.] 1 THOMAS DAWSON, was, 28 May 1770, *cr.* BARON DARTREY OF DAWSON'S GROVE, co. Monaghan [I.], and on 19 June 1785, VISCOUNT CREMORNE [I.] He was, 11 Nov. 1791, *cr.* BARON CREMORNE, OF CASTLE DAWSON, co. Monaghan [I.], with a *spec. rem.* He *d. s.p.s.*, 1 March 1713, when *this Barony* (as well as the Viscounty, but *not* the Barony of Cremorne) became *extinct*. See fuller particulars under "CREMORNE," Viscounty [I.], *cr.* 1785; *ex.* 1813.

DARTREY.

Barony. 1. RICHARD (DAWSON), BARON CREMORNE, OF CASTLE DAWSON, co. Monaghan [I.], s. and h., of Richard Thomas, 2d BARON CREMORNE, OF CASTLE DAWSON [I.], by Anne Elizabeth Emily, da. of John WHALEY, of Whaley Abbey, co. Wicklow (which Richard Thomas, *suc.* his uncle Thomas, VISCOUNT CREMORNE, BARON DARTREY, &c. [I.], above named, in the *Barony* of Cremorne, of Castle Dawson [I.], under the *spec. line* in the creation thereof, 11 Nov. 1797), was *b.* 7 Sep. 1817, at Ballyfin, Queen's county; *suc.* his father in the Peerage [I.], 21 March 1827; and was on 20 Sep. 1847, *cr.* BARON DARTREY, of Dartrey, co. Monaghan. He was a Lord-in-Waiting, 1857-58 and 1859-66; **K.P.**, 22 Feb. 1855. On 12 July 1866, he was *cr.* EARL OF DARTREY. Lord Lieut. of co. Monaghan, 1871. He *m.* 12 July 1841, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Augusta, d da. of Edward STANLEY, of Cross Hall, co. Lancaster, by Mary, da. of James (MAITLAND), 8th EARL OF LAUDERDALE [S.] She, who was *b.* 10 June 1823, *d.* 9 Aug. 1887, in Curzon Street, Mayfair, and was *bur.* at Dartrey, aged 64. Her will *pr.* 2 Sep. 1887 over £6,600.

[VESEY DAWSON, *styled* LORD CREMORNE, s. and h. ap., *b.* 22 April 1842, in Hanover Sq., Midx.; sometime Lieut.-Col. Coldstream Guards, retired 1876; M.P. for co. Monaghan, 1865-68; High Sheriff, 1878. He *m.* 29 Aug. 1882, at St. Michael's, Coxwold, Julia Georgina Sarah, 1st da. of Sir George Orby WOMBWELL, Bart.]

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 17,732 acres in co. Monaghan; 8,918 in co. Waterford; 1,665 in co. Armagh; 1,792 in co. Louth, besides 5 (worth £85 a year) in Devon. Total 30,112 acres, worth £21,699 a year. *Principal residence*, Dartrey House, near Cootehill, co. Monaghan.

DAUBENY or DE ALBINI.

Barony by Writ? I. ELIAS DAUBENY, or DE ALBINI, said to be a yr. s. of Ralph De Albin of South Petherton, Somerset,^(a) *suc.* his elder brother Philip in 1294, being then aged 30. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron, (LORD DAUBENY, or DE ALBINI) by writ directed "*Elye de Albinaco*" 2 Nov. (1295) 23 Ed. I. and by other writs, down to 22 Jan. (1304/5) 33 Ed. 1, directed "*Ely Daubeny.*" Tho' sum. to the Parl. at Lincoln in 29 Ed. I. he was not among those Barons who affixed their seal to the memorable letter to the Pope.

He *m.* Joan. He *d.* 1305, *Inq. post-mortem*, 24 April (1305) 33 Ed. I.

The right to any hereditary Barony which by such summons (and sitting thereunder) he would, according to the modern theory, have acquired, would have vested in his issue, none of whom were, however, sum. as Barons, till in 1486, his heir, was *cr.* a Baron by patent. The descent is as follows: (1) SIR RALPH DAUBENY, s. and h. of Elias D., *b.* 3 March 1304/5 (a few weeks before his father's death) was **K.B.** and had robes as a Banneret in 1326. He was sum. to a *Council* (not a Parl.) 25 Feb. (1341/2) 16 Ed. III.^(b) (2) SIR GILES DAUBENY, s. and h., who, tho' "born beyond sea, was enabled to inherit by Parl."^(c) He *d.* 24 June 1386. (3) SIR GILES DAUBENY, s. and h. aged 15 in 1386. He *d.* 22 Aug. 1403. (4) JOHN DAUBENY, s. and h. aged 9 in 1403, *d.* young and unm. 1409. (5) SIR GILES DAUBENY, br. and h., *b.* and *bap.* at Kempston, Beds., 20 Oct. 1393. He *d.* 11 Jan. 1445/6 and was *bur.* at South Petherton, Somerset. (6) WILLIAM DAUBENY, s. and h., *b.* 11 June 1424. He *d.* 2 June 1460/1, and was *suc.* by his s. and h. Giles Daubeny, *cr.*, by patent, 1486 **BARON DAUBENY**, as under.

Barony. I. SIR GILES DAUBENY, s. and h. of William Daubeny, above named, of South Petherton, co. Somerset, by Alice, da. and coheir of John STOURTON, of Preston in that co., *suc.* his father, 2 Jan. 1460/1; was one of the Esquires of the body to Edward IV, in 1477. On the accession of Henry VII, he was made P.C., Constable of Bristol Castle and Master of the Mint, and on the 12 March 1485/6,^(d) was *cr.* **BARON DAUBENY.**^(e) He was, before 27 May 1487, *el.* **K.G.**; was Gov. of Calais, 1489;

^(a) See a large pedigree [privately printed?] compiled by Mr. Pym Yeatman.

^(b) To this *Council* the number of persons sum. was no less than 96, more than double the number of the Barons (40) in the *Parl.* of 1339 and 1340, of the Barons, (45) in 1341 and of the Barons (40) in 1343. See this subject ably discussed (with a spec. view to this Ralph Daubeny) by J. Horace Round, in Selby's "*Genealogist*," Vol. iv. pp. 42-46.

^(c) See letter of James Gairdner in the "*Genealogist*" as above.

^(d) See "*Creations, 1483-1646*," in ap. of 47th Rep. D.K. Public Records. The limitation of the dignity is that, which in and since the 16th century (but not always before that, see next note), was the usual one, *viz.*, to the heir male of the body of the grantee.

^(e) This appears to be the last of the 16 Baronies which were granted by *patent* before the 16th century and the reign of Henry VIII, since which time they have been frequent. These Baronies commence with that of BEAUCHAMP OF KIDDERMINSTER,* *cr.* 1387, by Richard II. This is followed, after nearly 50 years, by the Baronies of FANHOPE (*Cornwall*), 1433; SUDELEY,* (*Boteler*) 1441; MILBROKE (*Cornwall, Lord Fanhope*), 1442; L'ISLE OF KINGSTON ISLE (*Talbot*), 1444; BEAUCHAMP OF POWYK,* 1447; HOO AND HASTINGS, (*Hoo*) 1447; RIVERS* (*Widvite*), 1448; STOURTON,* 1448; RICHEMOUNT-GREY (*Grey*), 1449; EGREMONT (*Percy*), 1449; DACRE (*Fiennes*), 1458; MONTJOY* (*Blount*), 1465; STAFFORD, OF SOUTHWICKE,* 1464; L'ISLE OF KINGSTON L'ISLE (*Grey*), 1475; and DAUBENY,* 1486. The limitation of these Baronies is various, for while that of half the number (*viz.*, those of 8 here marked with an asterisk*) is to the heir male of the body of the grantee; that of 3 others (*viz.*, Hoo, 1447; Richemount-Grey, 1449, and Egremont, 1449) is (tho', in all probability, meant to extend to the heir male of the body only) granted to the heir male; that of 2 others (L'Isle, 1442, and L'Isle, 1475) embodies the old principle of the Barony by tenure, and is to the heir while in *possession* of the territorial Barony, while that of the remaining 3 (Fanhope, 1433; Milbroke, 1442, and Dacre, 1458) is without any words

Chamberlain of the Household, 1495, till his death; Constable of Bridgewater Castle, 1504. He was also present at the battle of Blackheath, 1497, and at that of Taunton, 1498. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Sir John ARUNDEL, of Lanherne, co. Cornwall, by his 2d wife Katherine, da. and coheir of Sir John CHIDIOCK. He *d.* in London, 28 May 1508, and was *bur.* in Westm. Abbey. Will dat. 19 May 1508, pr. (sans date) same year. His widow living 1516.

II. 1508, 2. HENRY (DAUBENY), BARON DAUBENY, only s. and to h., aged 14 years at the death of his father. On 19 July 1538, he was (under the style of "*Henry Daubency Knight, Lord Daubency*") 1548. *cr.* EARL OF BRIDGEWATER.^(a) He *d. s.p.*, 8 April 1548, when when *all honours* conferred on himself and his father became *extinct.*^(b) See fuller account under "Bridgewater," Earldom of, *cr.* 1538; *ex.* 1548.

DAUNTSEY. [See also *sub.* "DANTSEY."]

i.e. "Dauntsey, co. Wilts," Barony (*Stuart*), *cr.* 1664 with the EARLDOM AND DUKEDOM OF CAMBRIDGE, which see; *ex.* June 1667.

i.e. "DAUNTSEY, co. Wilts," Barony (*Stuart*) *cr.* Oct. 1667, with the EARLDOM AND DUKEDOM OF CAMBRIDGE, which see; *ex.* 1671.

DAVENTRY.

i.e. "VILLIERS OF DAVENTRY, co. Northampton," Barony (*Villiers*), *cr.* 1623 with the EARLDOM OF ANGLESEY, which see; *ex.* 1660.

i.e. "FINCH OF DAVENTRY, co. Northampton," Barony (*Finch*), *cr.* 1673; see under "NOTTINGHAM" Earldom of, *cr.* 1681.

DAVIA.

i.e. "DAVIA" Barony of [S.] (*Davia*), *cr.* 1698, (by James II. when in exile) with the EARLDOM OF ALMOND [S.], which see.

DAWNAY OF COWICK.

Barony.
I. 1796, 1. JOHN CHRISTOPHER BURTON (DAWNAY), VISCOUNT
to 1832. DOWNE, [I.], to which peerage he had suc. on the death of his father, the 4th Viscount, 21 Dec. 1780, was *cr.* 9 June 1796, BARON DAWNAY OF COWICK, co. York. He *d. s.p.* 18 Feb. 1832 when the *Barony of Downay* became *extinct.* See fuller particulars under "DOWNE" Viscountcy [I.], *cr.* 1680.

of limitation whatever. Of all these Baronies, but two endured to the 17th century, early in which, in 1606, that of Mountjoy became extinct, while that of Stourton (alone), is still (1890) existing.

(a) See "Creations, 1483-1646" in ap. of 4th Report D.K. Pub. Records.

(b) He was heir *general*, as well as heir male of the body to Elias Daubeny, sum. to Parl. in 1295. His claim, as heir *general*, to any heritable Barony so created would, at his death, devolve on his nephew and heir John (Bourchier) 2nd Earl of Bath, aged 30 in 1548, whose mother Cecily (called "Florence" in the inquisition on her brother's death) was sister of this Henry (Daubeny), Earl of Bridgewater. There was, according to some accounts, another sister, Anne, first wife of Alexander Buller of Lillesdon, co. Somerset, but it is presumed she had *d. s.p.* before 1548.

DAWSON OF DAWSON'S COURT.

Barony [I.] WILLIAM HENRY DAWSON, of Portarlington, Queen's county, was on 29 May 1770,^(a) *cr.* BARON DAWSON OF DAWSON'S COURT, Queen's county [I.]; on 24 July 1776 he was *cr.* VISCOUNT CARLOW, co. Carlow [I.] See "CARLOW" Viscounty [I.], *cr.* 1776.

DAWSON'S GROVE AND CASTLE DAWSON.

i.e. "DARTREY OF DAWSON'S GROVE, co. Monaghan" Barony [I.] (*Dawson*), *cr.* 28 May 1770; see "CREMORNE," Viscounty [I.], *cr.* 1785; both *cr.* 1813.

See "CREMORNE OF CASTLE DAWSON, co. Monaghan" Barony [I.], (*Dawson*) *cr.* 1797.

DE ALBINI, see DAUBENY.

DE BLAQUIERE OF ARDKILL.

Barony [I.] 1. JOHN BLAQUIERE, 5th s. of John B. (*alias* Jean DE BLAQUIERE), of Greenwich, Merchant of London (one of the French refugees in 1685), by Marie Elizabeth, da. of Peter DE VARENNES,^(b) was *b.* 15 May 1732; was sometime in a London merchant's office; afterwards joined the Army, becoming Lieut.-Col. 17th Dragoons; was Sec. of Legation in France, 1771-72; Chief Sec. to [Earl Harcourt] the Lord Lieut. of Ireland, 1772-77; M.P. for Old Leighlin, 1773-83 (advocating in 1773 a tax on absentee landlords); M.P. for Carlingford, 1783-90; for Charleville, 1790-97, and for Newtownards, 1798, till the Union. P.C. [I.]; **K.B.**, 3 Aug. 1774; *cr.* a BARONET [I.], 6 July 1784, being finally, for his support of the Union, *cr.* 30 July 1800, BARON DE BLAQUIERE OF ARDKILL, co. Londonderry [I.]; M.P. for Rye, 1801-02, and for Downton, 1803-06. He received a grant of the office of Great Alnager [I.], in tail male.^(c) He *m.* 24 Dec. 1775, Eleanor, da. of Robert DOBSON, of Anne's Grove, co. Cork. He *d.* at Bray, co. Wicklow, 27 Aug. 1812, aged 80. His widow *d.* 20 Dec. 1833, aged 77.

II. 1812. 2. JOHN (DE BLAQUIERE), BARON DE BLAQUIERE OF ARDKILL [I.], Hered. Great Alnager [I.], s. and h., *b.* 5 Nov. 1776. He, at the time of his father's death was a prisoner in France. He *d.* unm. 7 April 1844.

III. 1844. 3. WILLIAM (DE BLAQUIERE), BARON DE BLAQUIERE OF ARDKILL [I.], Hered. Great Alnager [I.], br. and h., *b.* 27 Jany. 1778. He served in Flanders, at the Cape of Good Hope and in India, becoming finally (1841) a General in the Army. He *m.* 16 Sep. 1811, Harriet, da. of George (TOWNSEND), 1st MARQUESS TOWNSEND, by his 2d wife, Anne, da. of Sir William MONTGOMERY, Bart. She, who was *b.* 20 April 1782, *d.* 9 Nov. 1848. He *d.* 12 Nov. 1851, at Norwood.

IV. 1851. 4. JOHN (DE BLAQUIERE), BARON DE BLAQUIERE OF ARDKILL [I.], Hered. Great Alnager [I.], s. and h., *b.* 2 July 1812. Capt. 3rd West India Foot, 1844; Capt. 41st Foot, 1854. He *m.* firstly 28 July 1849, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Anna, da. of John CHRISTIE. She *d.* 18 Feb. 1851. He

^(a) The day after the creation of the Barony of Dartrey of *Dawson's Grove*, as next under.

^(b) See "Protestant exiles from France," by Rev. D. C. Agnew, 1866.

^(c) This office he surrendered to his son, receiving, in lieu thereof, £1,000 a year.

m. secondly, 25 Nov. 1852, at St. James' Westm., Eleanor Amelia, 1st da. of William George (HYLTON-JOLIFFE), 1st BARON HYLTON, by his 1st wife, Eleanor, da. of the Hon. Berkeley PAGET. He *d.* s.p. 2 Jany. 1871 in Stratford Place, Marylebone. His widow, who was *b.* 1828, living 1890.

V. 1871. 5. WILLIAM BARNARD (DE BLAQUIERE), BARON DE BLAQUIERE OF ARDKILL [I.], Hered. Great Alnager [I.], br. and h., *b.* 16 Dec. 1814, in London. Entered the Royal Navy, 1838, retiring as Captain in 1873. He *m.* 25 Sep. 1862, at St. Marylebone, Anna Maria, da. and h. of John WORMALD, of Brockworth Manor, co. Gloucester, and Upper Harley Street, Midx. He *d.* 24 Nov. 1889 in his 74th year in Cork street, Midx., and was *bur.* at Brockworth, co. Gloucester. Will pr. 28 Jany. 1890, over £6,000. His widow living 1890.

VI. 1889. 6. WILLIAM (DE BLAQUIERE), BARON DE BLAQUIERE OF ARDKILL [I.], cousin and h. male, being 2d and only surv. s. of Charles DE BLAQUIERE, of Woodstock, Canada (who *d.* there 16 July 1869, aged 49), by his first wife Agnes, widow of W. LAWSON, which Charles was the 5th s. of the Hon. Peter-Boyle DE BLAQUIERE, Chancellor of the Univ. of Toronto (who *d.* 23 Oct. 1800, aged 76), 4th and yst. s. of the 1st Baron. He was *b.* 5 Sep. 1856. He *m.* 25 Jany. 1888, at Christchurch Cathedral, Montreal, Lucianne, 1st da. of George DESBARATS.

Family Estates...These, in 1883, were under 3,000 acres.

DE BURGH, see "BOURKE OF BOPHIN."

DECHMONT.

i.e. "DECHMONT, co. Linlithgow," Barony [S.] (*Hamilton*) *cr.* 1696, with the EARLDOM OF ORKNEY [S.], which see.

DECIES.

Note.—"The extensive Lordship called *the Decies* [a Barony, co. Waterford], was granted to Thomas Fitz Anthony, the King's [Henry III] Seneschal of Leinster, and, after his da. [and coheir] Margaret had *m.* [1229] John Fitz Thomas, ancestor of the Earls of Desmond, the Crown granted *the Decies and Desmond*, with the Castle of Dungarvan to the said John Fitz Thomas."^(a) With the Earls of Desmond [I.], it continued till the death of James, the 7th Earl in 1462, when it passed to his second son Sir Gerald More Fitz Gerald, who thus became *Lord of the Decies*, of which Dromana (Dungarvan having been surrendered to the Crown), was the *caput*. Gerald, was *suc.* by his s. and h. John, who *d.* 1533, and who was *suc.* by his s. and h. Gerald, who *d.* 1553, being *suc.* by Maurice, his s. and h., who was *cr.* by patent, 1569, Viscount Decies [I.], as below.

Viscounty [I.] SIR MAURICE FITZ GERALD, of the Decies, co. Waterford, s. and h. of Gerald Fitz Gerald of the same, by Ellice, da. of Pierce (BUTLER), EARL OF OSSORY and ORMONDE [I.], *suc.* his father in 1553, and was *cr.* 27 Jany. 1569, BARON OF DROMANA, and on the 31st ("Viscount of the Decies"), VISCOUNT DECIES [I.],^(b) He *m.* Ellen, da. of John (FITZ GERALD), 5th EARL OF DESMOND [I.] He *d.* s.p. 28 Dec. 1572, when his *peerage dignities* became extinct.

i.e. "DECIES," Viscounty [I.] (POWER), *cr.* 1673, with the EARLDOM OF TYRONE [I.], which see ; both *ex.* 1704.

^(a) "*Lynch*," p. 213 and p. 186.

^(b) Neither patent is enrolled, but, in 1830, "the originals under seal [were] remaining amongst the title deeds of H. Villiers Stuart, Esq., M.P." See "*Lynch*," p. 186.

Barony [I.] 1. The Hon. WILLIAM BERESFORD, ARCHBISHOP OF TUAM, was 21 Dec. 1812, *cr.* BARON DECIES of Decies, co. Waterford [I.] He was 3d s. of Marcus, 1st EARL OF TYRONE [I.], by Catharine, *suo jure*,^(a) BARONESS LA POER [I.], da. and h. of James (POWER), 3d EARL OF TYRONE and VISCOUNT DECIES [I.] of the creation of 1673, above named. He was b. 16 April 1743; ed. at Trin. Coll., Dublin; B.A., 1763; M.A., 1766; D.D., 1780. Rector of Urney, co. Derry; Bishop of Dromore, 1780; Bishop of Ossory, 1782; Archbishop of Tuam, 1794. On 21 Dec. 1812, he was raised to the Peerage as *afsd.* He m. 16 June 1763, at Donnybrook, co. Dublin, Elizabeth, sister of John, 1st EARL OF CLARE [I.], 2d da. of John FITZGIBBON of Mount Shannon, co. Limerick, by Elinor, da. of John GROVE. She, by whom he had 10 sons and 6 daughters, *d.* 24 Aug. 1804. His Grace *d.* 6 Sep. 1819, at Tuam Palace, in his 77th year.

II 1819. 2. JOHN (HORSLEY-BERESFORD), BARON DECIES [I.] 4th but 1st surv. s. and h., b. 20 Jany. 1773, in Dublin; ed. at Eman. Coll., Cambridge; B.A., 1795; M.A., 1809, subsequently D.D., and sometime Rector of Tuam. He m. 26 July 1810, Charlotte Philadelphia, only da. and h. of Robert HORSLEY of Bolam House, co. Northumberland, on which occasion he assumed the additional surname of HORSLEY. She *d.* 9 March 1852, at Ryde, in the Isle of Wight. He *d.* 1 March 1865, in his 83d year.

III. 1855. 3. WILLIAM ROBERT JOHN (HORSLEY-BERESFORD), BARON DECIES [I.], only s. and h., b. June 1811, in Dublin, sometime Capt. Gren. Guards. He m. 31 July 1860, at Shortflatt Tower, co. Northumberland, Catharine Anne, 2d da. of William Dent DENT (formerly HEDLEY) of Shortflatt Tower *afsd.*, by Ellen Mary, da. of Andrew Seton KERR of Kippilaw, co. Roxburgh.

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 6,394 acres in Northumberland; 20 in Westmorland, and 979 in co. Meath. Total 7,393 acres, worth £7,833 a year. *Principal Residence*, Bolam House, near Morpeth, Northumberland.

See "STUART-DE-DECIES OF DROMANA, within the Decies, co. Waterford," Barony (*Villiers-Stuart*), *cr.* 1839; *ex.* 1874.^(b)

DE CLARE, see "CLARE."

DE CLIFFORD.

See "CLIFFORD" Barony, *cr.* by writ, 1299 (*De Clifford*).

DE COURCY.

See under "KINGSALE," Barony [I.] (*De Courcy*).

DE DUNSTANVILLE OF TEHIDY.

Barony. SIR FRANCIS BASSET, Bart., of Tehidy, co. Cornwall, only s. and h. of Francis B. of the same, by Margaret, da. of Sir John St. AUBYN, Bart., was b. at Walcot, 9 Aug. and *bap.* 7 Sep. 1757, at Charlbury, Oxon; *suc.* his father, in the family estates, Nov. 1769; and, having been *cr.* a BARONET (as above), 24 Nov. 1779, was M.P. for Penrhyn, 1780-96; M.A. of Cambridge (Queen's Coll.), 1786; Recorder of Penrhyn, and was, 17 June 1796, *cr.* BARON DE DUN-

^(a) According to the anomalous decision of the Irish House of Lords, confirmed 19 Dec. 1767.

^(b) The grantee was son of Lord Henry Stuart, by Gertrude Amelia, da. and h. of George (Mason-Villiers), Earl of Grandison, and Viscount Grandison of *Dromana* [I.], and was maternally, thro' the families of Mason, Villiers and Fitzgerald, descended from, (and the representative of) Gerald Fitzgerald of the Decies, the father of Maurice, *cr.* Viscount Decies [I.], in 1569, as above stated.

STANVILLE OF TEHIDY,^(a) co. Cornwall. In the following year, having no male issue, he was *cr.* 30 Nov. 1797, BARON BASSET OF STRATTON, co. Cornwall, with a *spec. rem.* of that Barony, failing the heirs male of his body, to his only da. and the heirs male of her body. He *m.* 16 Aug. 1780, at St. Marylebone, Frances Susanna, da. and at length coheir of John Hippisley COXE of Stone Easton, co. Somerset. She *d.* 14 June 1823, at Twickenham, Midx. He *m.* secondly, 13 July 1824, at the Chapel Royal, Whitehall, Harriet, da. of Sir William LEMON, 1st Bart., by Jane, da. of John BULLER of Morval, co. Cornwall. Lord de Dunstanville and Basset, *d. s.p.m.*, 14 Feb. 1835, at South Place, Kensington, when the *Barony of De Dunstanville of Tehidy* and the *Baronetcy* (1779) became *extinct*, but the Barony of Basset of Stratton, devolved on his da. under the *spec. rem.* in its creation. See that dignity. His will *pr.* April 1830. His widow *d.* 30 Dec. 1864, in her 88th year, at 10 Charles Street, Berkeley Square, Midx.

DEENE.

See "BRUDENELL OF DEENE, co. Northampton," Barony (*Brudenell*), *cr.* 1780; *ex.* 1811.

DEEPS.

i.e. "SAUNDERS OF DEEPS, co. Wexford," Barony [I.] (*Gore*), *cr.* 1758, with the Viscounty of Sudley of Castle Gore [I.]; see "ARRAN," Earldom of, [I.], *cr.* 1762, under the 1st Earl.

DEERHURST.

i.e. "DEERHURST of the hundred of Deerhurst, co. Gloucester," Viscounty (*Coventry*), *cr.* 1697, with the EARLDOM OF COVENTRY, which see.

DE ENGAINE, see "ENGAINE."

DE FERRARIIS, or FERRERS, Earldom; see "DERBY," Earldom of (*Ferrers*) 1138-1265.

DE FERRERS, see as above; see also, *sub* "FERRERS" (of Groby).

DE FREYNE OF ARTAGH, and DE FREYNE OF COOLAVIN.

Barony I. ARTHUR FRENCH of French Park, co. Roscommon, s. and h. of Arthur F. of the same,^(b) by Margaret, da. of Edmond COSTELLO, of Edmonstown, co. Mayo, *b.* about 1786; *suc.* his father 24 Nov. 1820; M.P. for co. Roscommon, 1821-32, was *cr.* 16 May 1839, BARON DE FREYNE^(c) OF ARTAGH, co. Roscommon. Having, however, no male issue he was, 5 April 1851, *cr.* BARON DE FREYNE OF COOLAVIN, co. Sligo, with a *spec. rem.* failing the heirs male of his body to his brothers "John French, Clerk, Charles French, Esq., and Fitzstephen French, Esq." in like manner

^(a) The estate of Tehidy was acquired by the Basset family, about 1150 (thro' marriage), from the family of *Dunstanville*.

^(b) This Arthur French was M.P. for co. Roscommon, 1783-1820, from the time of his coming of age to his death. He is said to have been offered an Earldom to support the Union, and, subsequently, a Barony, without any condition annexed. John French, his uncle, also M.P. for co. Roscommon, 1745, till his death (*s.p.*) in 1775, was about to have been raised to the peerage as Baron Dungar, a dignity which (after his death) is said to have been declined by Arthur French, br. and h. of the said John, being father of Arthur above named and grandfather of Lord de Freyne.

^(c) "This title is merely an archaic form of the family name, otherwise *de Freigne, or de Fraxinis*." See an article on "Surnames with the prefix *de*" in the "*Her. and Gen.*," vol. i, pp. 138-158.

respectively. He *m.* 1818, Mary, da. of Christopher MC DERMOTT, of Cregga. She *d.* 7 Sep. 1843. He *d. s.p.* 29 Sep. 1856, when the *Barony of de Freyne of Artagh* (1839) became *extinct*, but the *Barony of 1851*, devolved as under.

II. 1856. 2. JOHN (FRENCH), BARON DE FREYNE OF COOLAVIN, br. and h. under the spec. rem. in the creation of that *Barony*; *b.* 1788; B.A. (Trin. Coll.), Dublin, 1810; M.A., 1815; in holy orders: Rector of Grange Sylvæ, co. Kilkenny. He *d. s.p.*, 22 Aug. 1863, in Dublin.

III. 1863. 3. CHARLES (FRENCH), BARON DE FREYNE OF COOLAVIN, br. and h. under the spec. rem. in the creation of that *Barony*; *b.* 22 Oct. 1790, sometime Capt. in 81st Foot. He *m.* 17 May 1854, in the Protestant Church, of Grange Gorman, Dublin,^(a) Catherine, da. of Luke MAREE. He *d.* 28 Oct. 1868, at French Park afsd. His widow living 1889.

IV. 1868. 4. ARTHUR (FRENCH), BARON DE FREYNE OF COOLAVIN, s. and h., *b.* 9 July 1855; ed. at Downside and at Beaumont (Roman Catholic) Colleges. He *m.* 8 Feb. 1877, at St. John the Baptist, Nice, Laura Octavia, sister of Laurence, 3rd EARL OF ZETLAND, da. of the Hon. John Charles DUNDAS, by Margaret Matilda, da. of James TALBOT. She who was *b.* 11 Oct. 1855, and raised to the rank of an Earl's daughter by royal warrant, 1873, *d.* 19 Jan. 1881, at Villa de Cessoles, Nice. He *m.* secondly, 28 Sep. 1882, at the Church of our Lady of the Rosary, Marylebone Road, Midx., Marie Georgiana, da. of Richard Westbrook LAMB of West Denton, Northumberland.

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 34,400 acres in co. Roscommon: 4,059 in co. Sligo and 329 in co's Galway and Mayo. Total 38,788 acres, worth £15,231 a year. *Principal residence*, French Park, co. Roscommon.

DE GREY OF WREST.

Earldom. 1. AMABELL, 1st da. and coheir of Jemima, *suo jure*,
I. 1816. MARCHIONESS GREY [1740] and BARONESS LUCAS OF CRUDWELL, [1663], by Philip (YORKE), 2d EARL OF HARDWICKE, was *b.* 22 Jan. 1751; *m.* 16 July 1772, at St. James', Westm., Alexander HUME-CAMPBELL, styled VISCOUNT POLWARTH (who was *cr.* 20 May 1776, BARON HUME OF BERWICK, and who *d. s.p.* and *v.p.*, 9 March 1781, aged 31), *suc.* her mother, 10 Jan. 1797, as BARONESS LUCAS OF CRUDWELL, under the *spec. rem.* in the creation of that dignity and was, 25 Oct. 1816, *cr.* COUNTESS DE GREY^(b) OF WREST, co. Bedford, with a *spec.*

(^a) A previous marriage was alleged, dat. 13 Feb. 1851, of which there were three sons, viz. (1), Charles, *b.* 21 Oct. following; (2), John, *b.* 13 March 1853; (3) William John, *b.* 21 April 1854, all being alive at their father's death, but passed over (as illegitimate) in the succession to the peerage.

(^b) The name was thus altered according to the fashion of the 19th century. The Marquessate conferred, in 1740, on the grantees grandfather (and inherited by her mother), was "*Grey*" not "*De Grey*," and even in the writs of summons to her earlier ancestors, the Lords Grey *de* Ruthin, the designation "*de*" (at all events since 1389) followed, instead of preceding the word Grey; as also in the cases of the Lords Grey *de* Codnor (1335), Grey *de* Wilton (1377), Grey *de* Powis (1482), &c. There is an interesting article on "surnames with the prefix *de*" in the "*Her. and Gen.*" vol. i, pp. 138-158, from which it appears that "in the revival of the particle *de*, it would seem that the Irish led the way," but that in England "the same admiration of the prefix *de* began to be entertained in the latter part of the last century." The following peerages of the 18th or 19th century illustrate this much prized prefix. In 1766 the *Barony De Montalt* [I.] was created (*ex. 1777*); in 1776 the *Viscountcy De Vesci* [I.] (the *Barony* [U.K.] in 1884); in 1784 the *Barony Grey de Wilton*, (the *Viscountcy* in 1801); in 1785 another *Barony De Montalt* [I.] (the *Earldom*, [U.K.] in 1886); in 1796 the *Barony De Dunstanville of Tehidy*; in 1800 the *Barony De Blaquiere of Ardkill* [I.]; in 1815 the *Viscountcy Frankfort de Montmorency* [I.]; in 1826 the *Barony De Tabley of Tabley House*, ("a tautologous designation that

rem. of that dignity, failing the heirs male of her body, to her only sister, Mary Jemima, DOWAGER BARONESS GRANTHAM (the 2d and yst. da. of Jemima, *suo jure*, MARCHIONESS GREY above named), and the heirs male of her body. She *d. s.p.*, 4 May 1833. Will pr. May 1833.

II, 1833. 2. THOMAS PHILIP (WEDDELL, afterwards DE GREY),

EARL DE GREY OF WREST, BARON LUCAS OF CRUDWELL, and BARON GRANTHAM, nephew and h., being s. and h. of Thomas (ROBINSON), 1st BARON GRANTHAM, by Mary Jemima, Dow. Baroness of Grantham above named, (who had *d.* 7 Jany. 1830) and thus succeeding to the Earldom of De Grey under the spec. rem. in its creation. He was *b.* 8 Dec. 1781, at Whitehall; *suc.* his father, as BARON GRANTHAM, 20 July 1786; *suc.* his cousin Sir Norton Robinson, 5th Bart., 31 Jany. 1792, in the *Baronetcy* of Robinson of Newby, *cr.* 1690; *ed.* at St. John's Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1801; took the name of *Weddell* in lieu of his patronymic, *Robinson*, by royal lic. 7 May 1803, and subsequently, 24 June 1833 (soon after his becoming Earl De Grey), the name of *De Grey* in lieu of that of *Weddell*; Lord Lieut. of Bedfordshire, 1818-59. Col. of the Yorkshire Hussar Yeomanry, 1819; Yeomanry Aide-de-Camp to King William IV, 1831 and to the Queen, 1837. In the Peel ministry he was First Lord of the Admiralty, Dec. 1834 to April 1835; P.C., 1834; LORD LIEUT. OF IRELAND, 1841-44. K.G., 12 Dec. 1844; F.R.S., F.S.A., &c. He *m.* 20 July 1805, Henrietta Frances, yst. da. of William Willoughby (COLE), 1st EARL OF ENNISKILLEN [L], by Anne, da. of Galbraith LOWRY-CORRY. She, who was *b.* 22 June 1784, *d.* at 4 St. James' Square, Midx., 2 July 1848, aged 64. He *d.* there 14 Nov. 1859, in his 78th year, *s.p.m.* when the *Barony of Lucas of Crudwell devolved on his 1st da. and coheir*, the Dow. Countess Cowper, but the rest of his honours devolved as under.

III, 1859. 3. GEORGE FREDERICK SAMUEL (ROBINSON), EARL DE GREY OF WREST (1818), EARL OF RIPON (1833), VISCOUNT GODERICH OF NOCTON (1827) and BARON GRANTHAM (1761), nephew and h. male, being s. and h. of Frederick John, 1st EARL OF RIPON and VISCOUNT GODERICH OF NOCTON, yst. and only br. of Thomas Philip, EARL DE GREY OF WREST, &c., above named. On 23 June 1871, he was *cr.* MARQUESS OF RIPON; see that dignity.

was sufficiently unmeaning";) in 1828 the Barony Stuart *de* Rothesay of the isle of Bute; in 1831 the Barony *De* Saumarez in the island of Guernsey; in 1835 the Barony *De* L'Isle and Dudley of Penshurst; in 1838 the Barony *De* Mauley of Canford; in 1839 the Barony Stuart *De* Decies of Dromana, *within* the Decies ("we demur to the tautology *de* Decies of Dromana"); in 1839 the Barony *De* Freyne of Coolavin; in 1852 the Viscounty Stratford *de* Redcliffe, co. Somerset; in 1856 the Barony Talbot *de* Malahide; in 1875 the Barony Grey *de* Radcliffe, co. Lancaster; and, finally, in 1887 the Barony *De* Ramsey of Ramsey Abbey. Out of all these it is only some 4 or 5 which are not more or less objectionable. It may be noticed that in Shirley's "Gentlemen of England" (i.e. those whose antiquity dates before 1500), there is but *one*, out of 327 families, beginning with "*De*." Hear this, oh ancient race of Houghton and Trafford, now *De* Houghton and *De* Trafford; oh race of Lill, now *De* Burgh; of Supple, now *De* Capell Brook; of Kilderbee, now *De* Horsey; of Tennyson, now *D'Eyncourt*; of Wilkins, now *De* Winton; of Gossip, now *De* Rodes; of Green, now *De* Freville; of March, now *De* Lisle; of Mullins, now *De* Moleyns; of Hunt, now *De* Vere; and of Morres, now *De* Montmorency. The *one* family with the prefix "*De*," thus mentioned in Shirley's list, is indeed that of *De* Grey, but is *not* that of the illustrious house of Grey, ennobled in so many branches, but a respectable, tho' somewhat undistinguished, race, settled in Suffolk and Norfolk as early as the 14th century, which was first brought into prominence by a successful lawyer, ennobled, as Baron Walsingham, by King George III, in 1780. One would have thought the existence of this somewhat obscure east-county family was, of itself, a reason against the possessor of Wrest Park and other estates inherited from the great house of Grey, thus *De-grading* their name. The name of "Lady Jane Grey" is full of historic associations, while that of "Lady Jane *De* Grey," merely suggests some lady of quality of the 19th century. The euphonious name of *De* Grey (not Grey) was, however, adopted as a surname by the house of Robinson when, in 1833, the newly created Earldom of *De* Grey of Wrest and the estates of the ancient family of Grey (Dukes of Kent) devolved thereon.

DEINCOURT, or DEYNCOURT.

Barony by Writ. EDMUND DEINCOURT of Thurgarton, Notts, Blankney,^(a) co. Lincoln, &c., s. and h. of John D. of the same, *suc.* his father before 1257; served in the wars in France and Scotland; was, with about

I. 1299, 60 others, sum. 8 June 1294, to attend the King wheresoever he should be,^(b) and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DEINCOURT), by writs, 6 Feb. (1298/9), 27 Ed. I, to 3 Dec. (1326), 20 Ed. II. He was one of the Barons who signed the letter to the Pope, 12 Feb. 1300/1, as "*Edm'us de Eyncourt, D'n's de Thurgeriton.*"^(c)

Being anxious to perpetuate his name and arms, which were likely to perish in the person of Isabel, da. of Edmund Deyncourt, late his "*heir apparent*" (and, consequently either a son or grandson), he obtained the royal lic. 23 Feb. (1313/4), 7 Ed. II, to settle his estates after his death on William and John Deyncourt (both sons of John Deyncourt) in tail male respectively with rem. to his own right heirs.^(d) He *d.* (1327), 1 Ed. III, when, if the said Isabel was then living,^(e) she would have been (according to the present theory) the heir to any Barony in fee *cr.* by the writ of 1299.

II. 1332. 1. WILLIAM DEINCOURT of Blankney, afsd., on whom the preceding Lord had settled his lands as above named, *suc.* him therein in 1327, being then aged 26.^(f) He was s. of John Deincourt. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DEINCOURT) by writs 27 Jany. (1331/2) 6 Ed. III. He distinguished himself in the French and Scotch wars, and was in command at the battle of Neville's Cross, 17 Oct. 1346, and was present at the surrender of Calais. He *m.* Millicent, said to have been daughter of William (DE ROS), LORD ROS. He *d.* 2 June (1364) 33 Ed. III. His widow *d.* (1379-80) 3 Ric. II.

III. 1364. 2. WILLIAM (DEINCOURT), LORD DEINCOURT, grandson and h., being s. and h. of William Deincourt, by Margaret, da. of Adam DE WELLE, which William was s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, but *d.* v.p. He was aged 7 years in 1364. He was sum. to Parl. by writs 26 Aug. (1380) 4 Ric. II to 22 Aug. (1381) 5 Ric. II.^(g) He *m.* Alice, sister of Ralph, 1st EARL OF WESTMORLAND, da. of John (NEVILL) LORD NEVILL, by his 1st wife Maud, da. of Henry (PERCY), Lord Percy. He *d.* 14 Oct. 1381. His widow *d.* June 1433. Her Will dat. 5 May 1433, pr. at Lincoln.

IV. 1381. 3. Ralph (Deincourt), LORD DEINCOURT, s. and h. He *d.* in infancy, being in ward to Lord Nevill 7 Nov. 1384.

^(a) He is said to have been the descendant and heir male of Walter "*Domesday-Baron*" of Blanckney.

^(b) See vol. i, p. 259, note "c," *sub* "Basset de Sapcote," as to this writ not being such as would constitute a Barony in fee.

^(c) See "*Nicolas*," pp. 761-809, for an account of this letter.

^(d) See "*Ryley's Plac. Parl.*," p. 547. It is to be observed that no relationship of any of the parties to the grantee is mentioned therein.

^(e) In Burke's extinct Peerage, she is stated to have been then dead without issue, while *Nicolas*, followed by Courthope, says that the Barony "is probably now in abeyance among her descendants and representatives."

^(f) His relationship to the said Lord is not clear (see note "d.") According to Burke, as also to Banks (*Bar. Angl. Conc.* vol. i, p. 184) he was his grandson and h. male being 2d son of the Baron's eldest son (by them called John) who *d.* v.p. and next br. to Edmund, father of Isabel, the heiress apparent in 1313. According to *Nicolas* and Courthope he was "son of John Deincourt, who is presumed to have been brother of the last Baron," and it is to be observed that Dugdale, who seldom is so specific in such matters, says that the first Lord "had issue one only son called Edmund, and he one only daughter, Isabel."

^(g) "He is called in each instance in the Lists of Summons '*Joh'i Deyncourt*,' but this is evidently an error." [*Nicolas.*]

V. 1384. 4. JOHN (DEINCOURT), LORD DEINCOURT, br. and h.
He was *b.* 28 Feb. 1381/2 (posthumous) at Middleham, co. York. He was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron.^(a) He *m.* in 1401 Johanna, da. and h., or coheir, of Robert (DE GREY), LORD GREY DE ROTHERFIELD, by Elizabeth, da. and coheir of William DE LA PLAUNCHE, of Haversham, Bucks. He *d.* 11 May 1406. His widow, who was 2 years old and upwards at her father's death, 14 Jan. 1387/8, would, if his *sole* da., have been (according to the modern rule in the descent of dignities) *suo jure* BARONESS GREY DE ROTHERFIELD. She is said to have *m.* secondly Sir Ralph BOTELER, who *d.* s.p.s.^(b)

VI. 1406, 5. WILLIAM (DEINCOURT), LORD DEINCOURT, only s.
to and h., aged 3 years at his father's death. He *m.* Elizabeth, sister
1422. of John, 1st VISCOUNT BEAUMONT, da. of Henry (BEAUMONT), LORD
BEAUMONT, by Elizabeth, da. of William (WILLOUGHBY), LORD
WILLOUGHBY DE ERESBY. He *d.* s.p. (1422-23), 1 Hen. VI, when
the *Barony* fell into *abeyance* between his two sisters and coheirs.^(c)

DEINCOURT OF SUTTON.

Barony. 1. "FRANCIS LEEKE of Sutton, co. Derby, Knt., and
I. 1624. Bart.,"^(d) was on 26 Oct. 1624, *cr.* "BARON DEINCOURT OF
SUTTON, co. Derby."^(d) He was, on 11 Nov. 1645, *cr.* EARL OF
SCARSDALE, co. Derby. See "SCARSDALE," Earldom of, *cr.* 1645 ;
ex. 1736.^(e)

^(a) "The probable cause of this Baron and his predecessor never having been sum. to Parl. was their dying so very soon after they became of age; viz. Ralph, his brother, a minor, and this Baron about twenty-four or twenty-five years of age. William, his s. and h. the last Baron, died under twenty-one; so that only one out of the three was eligible to a seat in Parliament, and as he did not make proof of his age until just before his death, it is not likely he would have been summoned before he had done so." [*Courthope.*]

^(b) See various versions of her parentage &c. in Banks' "*Bar. Angl. Conc.*," vol. i, p. 236, where an account of her sister (the other coheir) and her descendants is also given.

^(c) These were (1), Alice, aged 18, and (2), Margaret, aged 17. The latter *m.* before 1433, Ralph (de Cromwell), Lord Cromwell, and *d.* s.p. 15 Sep. 1455, being *bur.* at Tattershall, co. Lincoln. Her sister, on that event, would (according to the modern rule in the descent of dignities) have become *suo jure* BARONESS DEINCOURT. She, who was then the widow of William (LOVEL), LORD LOVEL (who *d.* 13 June 1455), *d.* 1475, leaving Francis, Lord Lovel, her grandson and h., who was *cr.* Viscount Lovel, in 1483, but was attainted in 1487, when *all his honours* became *forfeited*.

^(d) See "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Public Records.

^(e) By Royal lic. 27 July 1835, Charles Tennyson took the name and arms of D'EYNCOURT, in compliance with the testamentary direction of his father, "in order (1) to commemorate *his descent* from the ancient and noble family of D'Eyncourt, Barons D'Eyncourt of Blankney, and (2) *his representation* in blood as coheir [not, indeed, of the *family* of Deyncourt, but] of the Earls of Scarsdale, *Barons* D'Eyncourt of Sutton." As to this *last statement*, the petitioner's grandmother, Elizabeth Clayton, was da. and h. of her mother Dorothy Hildyard, who was a coheir of her great grandmother, Lady Anne Leeke, one of the *six daughters* (whose issue became *co-representatives*) of Sir Francis Leeke, *cr.* Earl of Scarsdale and Baron Deincourt of Sutton. This might be *some reason* (especially if any property was inherited, which in this case was not likely and certainly is not alleged) for taking the surname of Leeke, but none for taking the name of one of the *peerage dignities* of the Leeke family (Deincourt, or Scarsdale) as a *surname*. As to the *first statement*, there is indeed a descent of Tennyson, thro' Clayton, Hildyard, Pitt, Savage, Parker and Lovel, from the family of Deyncourt, but the *representation* of that family, is in the descendants of John, Lord Lovel (and these are to be numbered by thousands), and not in those of his *younger* brother, William Lovel, from whom Tennyson, Clayton & Co. derive, neither indeed does the family of Hildyard in *any way* represent that of Pitt (afterwards Barons Rivers), whose (numerous) representatives (among which Hildyard is *not*) represent his (*cadet*) William Lovel.

D'EIVILL or DEYVILLE.

Barony by Writ. JOHN D'EIVILL, a descendant of Robert D. of Egmonton, Notts, was in 1254 excommunicate and shortly afterwards fled the country, but was, however, in 1260, made Warden of the Forests north of Trent, Gov. of Scarborough, and, in 1263, Gov. of York. He was actively engaged in the Barons' rebellion insomuch that he hindered the Sheriff of Yorkshire from stirring, in 1263, in the King's behalf, and he was accordingly sum. as a Baron (LORD DEIVILL) to [Montfort's] Parl. 18 Dec. (1264) 49 Hen. III.^(a) After the King's victory at Eversham 4 Aug. 1265 he again was in arms against him, at Chesterfield, in the following year, but escaped to Axholme, co. Lincoln, making his peace under the "*dictum de Kenilworth*." He *m.* in 1274, Maude, widow of Sir James DE ALDITHLEY, for which he paid a fine of £200.

SIR JOHN D'EIVILL, his s. and h., was never sum. to Parl. He *d.* s.p.m., when any Barony *cr.* by the writ of 1264 fell into abeyance between his daughters and coheirs.^(b)

DE LA BECHE.

NICHOLAS DE LA BECHE, of Aldworth, Berks, was sum. to a council, 25 Feb. (1341/2), 16 Ed. III, but as this was not a regular Parl. no Barony could have been thereby created. He appears to have *d. s.p.* in 1346 when his lands passed to the sisters of one John De La Beche.

DE LA MARE.

Barony by Writ. JOHN DE LA MARE, of Garsington, Oxon, served in the French and Scotch wars, and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DE LA MARE) by writs 6 Feb. (1298/9) 27 Ed. I, to 26 July (1313) 7 Ed. II. He was one of those sum. to the Parl. of Lincoln, tho' his name does not appear in the memorable letter addressed by those Barons to the Pope. He was also sum. to the coronation of Edward II. He *d. s.p.* (1315-1316) 9 Ed. II, when his honours became *extinct*.^(c)

DELAMER OF DUNHAM MASSEY.

Barony. I. SIR GEORGE BOOTH, Bart. of Dunham Massey, co. Chester, s. and h. of William B., by Vere, 2d da. and coheir of Sir Thomas EGERTON (the 1st s. and h. ap. of the celebrated Lord Chancellor), which William was s. and h. ap. of Sir George Booth, 1st Bart. (1611), but *d. v.p.* 26 April 1636, was *b.* 18 Dec. 1622, was M.P. for Cheshire and Custos Rotulorum for that county. He was Commander-in-Chief for the King of all forces in Cheshire, Lancashire and North Wales, and was imprisoned in the Tower of London by the Parliamentarians. On 24 Oct. 1652, he *suc.* his grandfather in the Baronety. He was one of the 12 members chosen by the House in May 1660 to recal the King, and was, by it, voted £10,000 "for his eminent services and great sufferings in the public cause." He was, 20 April 1661, *cr.* BARON DELAMER OF DUNHAM MASSEY, co. Chester.^(d) He *m.* firstly, about 1638, Catharine, 1st da. of Theophilus, 4th EARL OF LINCOLN, by his 1st wife Bridget, da. of William (FIENNES), VISCOUNT SAY AND SELE. She *d.* in childbed, s.p.m. and was

^(a) As to this writ, the first writ extant, see vol. ii, p. 333, note "d," *sub.* "Colvill."

^(b) These were (1) Margaret, and (2) Elizabeth, who *m.* Alexander Leedes and left issue.

^(c) His sister Isabella, then aged 50 and the wife of Thomas Maydenhatch, was found his heir.

^(d) See an account of the ceremonies attending this creation vol. ii, p. 275, note "d," *sub.* "Clarendon."

bur. at Bowdon, co. Chester, 5 Aug. 1643. He *m.* secondly, about 1650, Elizabeth, 1st da. of Henry (GREY), 1st EARL OF STAMFORD, by Anne, 3d and yst. da. and coheir of William (CECIL), 2d EARL OF EXETER. He *d.* 8 Aug. 1684, and was *bur.* at Bowdon. Will dat. 1 Aug. 1671 (*sic*), pr. 4 Jany. 1698/9. His widow *d.* 4 Jany. 1690/1 at Oldfield Hall, near Bowdon, and was *bur.* at Bowdon. Will dat. 6 Oct. 1690, pr. 2 June 1699.

II. 1684. 2. HENRY (BOOTH), BARON DELAMER OF DUNHAM MASSEY, s. and h., by 2d wife; *b.* 13 Jany. 1652. He was, 17 April 1690, *cr.* EARL OF WARRINGTON, co. Lancaster. He *d.* 2 Jany. 1693/4.

III. 1694. 3. GEORGE (BOOTH), EARL OF WARRINGTON and BARON DELAMER OF DUNHAM MASSEY, s. and h., *b.*, 2 May 1675, styled LORD DELAMER, 1690-94. He *d.*, s.p.m., 2 Aug. 1758, when the *Earldom of Warrington* became *extinct*.

} See fuller particulars under "WARRINGTON," *Earldom, cr. 1690; cr. 1758.*

IV. 1758, 4. NATHANIEL (BOOTH), BARON DELAMER OF DUNHAM to MASSEY, cousin and h., being 4th but only surv. s. and h. of the Hon. 1770. Robert BOOTH, D.D., Dean of Bristol, by Mary, his 2d wife, da. of Thomas HALES of Howlets, Kent, which Robert was s. of the 1st Lord by his 2d wife. He, who was *b.* 1709, was, in 1765, appointed chairman of the committees of the House of Lords. He *m.* 26 April 1743, at Hampstead, Midx., Margaret, da. of Richard JONES of Ramsbury manor, Wilts. He *d.* s.p.s. 9 Jany. 1770 when the *Barony of Delamer* became *extinct*, but the *Baronetcy* [1611] devolved on his cousin and h. male, on whose death (7 Nov. 1797) it also became *extinct*. Will pr. Jany. 1770. His widow *d.* 29 July 1773.^(a) Her Will pr. Aug. 1773.

V. 1796. 1. GEORGE HENRY (GREY), EARL OF STAMFORD, s. and h. of Harry, 4th EARL OF STAMFORD, by Mary, only da. and h. of George (BOOTH), 2d EARL OF WARRINGTON and 3d BARON DELAMER OF DUNHAM MASSEY, above named, was *cr.* 22 April 1796, BARON DELAMER OF DUNHAM MASSEY, co. Chester, and EARL OF WARRINGTON, both of which *titles* became *extinct* on the death of his great grandson 3 Jany. 1883. See "STAMFORD," *Earldom of, cr. 1628, under the 5th 6th and 7th Earls.*

DELAMERE OF VALE ROYAL.

Barony. I. THOMAS CHOLMONDELEY, of Vale Royal, co. Chester, s. and h. of Thomas C. of the same, by Dorothy, da. and coheir of Edmund COWPER, of Overleigh, co. Chester, *b.* 9 Aug. 1767, at Beckenham, co. Kent; *suc.* his father, 2 June 1779; High Sheriff for Cheshire 1792; M.P. for that county 1796-1812; was, 17 July 1821, *cr.* BARON DELAMERE OF VALE ROYAL, co. Chester.^(b) He *m.* 17 Dec. 1810, Henrietta Elizabeth, yst. da. of Sir Watkin WILLIAMS-WYNN, 4th Bart., by his 2d wife Charlotte, da. of the Rt. Hon. George GRENVILLE. She *d.* 18 Aug. 1852, aged 65, at Vale Royal. Will pr. Oct. 1852. He *d.* 30 Oct. 1855, after a long illness, at Hereford street, Hyde Park, aged 88.

^(a) "A lady whose truly Christian life and exemplary virtues made her highly valued when living by all who knew her, and will make her death as generally lamented." See "*Ann. Reg.*" for 1773, p. 172.

^(b) This was one of the 22 peerages *cr.* at the coronation of George IV. See an account of these in vol. ii, p. 351, note "d," *sub.* "Conyngnam."

II. 1855. 2. HUGH (CHOLMONDELEY), BARON DELAMERE OF VALE ROYAL, s. and h., b. 3 Oct. 1811, at Vale Royal; ed. at Eton and Ch. Ch., Oxford; matric. 21 May 1828; sometime Lieut. in the 1st Life Guards; Hon. Col. 3d Batt. Cheshire Militia; M.P. for Denbighshire, 1840-41; for Montgomeryshire, 1841-48. He m. firstly, 23 March 1848, Sarah, 2d da. of Thomas Robert (HAY), 10th EARL OF KINNOULL [S.], by Louisa Burton, da. of Admiral Sir Charles ROWLEY, Bart. She, who was b. 4 Dec. 1828, d. 17 Feb. 1859, in Portman Square, Midx. He m. secondly, 27 Dec. 1860, at St. James', Westm., Augusta, 1st da. of the Rt. Hon. Sir George Hamilton SEYMOUR, G.C.B., by Gertrude, da. of Henry Otway (BRAND), LORD DACRE. He d. 1 Aug. 1887, at Vale Royal, and was bur. at Whitegate. His widow, who was b. 6 Nov. 1835, was living 1889.

III. 1887. 3. HUGH (CHOLMONDELEY), BARON DELAMERE OF VALE ROYAL, s. and h., b. 28 April 1870, in London.

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 6,794 acres in Cheshire, worth £11,631 a year. *Principal residence*, Vale Royal, near Northwich, Cheshire.

DE LANCASTRE, or LANCASTER.

Barony by writ, 6 Feb. 1298/9, issued to Henry PLANTAGENET, 2d s. of Edmund, EARL OF LANCASTER) being directed "*Henrico de Lancastre, nepoti Regis*"; See under "LANCASTER."

DE LA POER, see "LA POER."^(a)

DE LA POLE.

Barony by writ. I. 1366, to 1388. 5 Sep. 1389. 1. MICHAEL DE LA POLE was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DE LA POLE) by writs 20 Jan. (1365/6) 39 Ed. III to 28 Sep. (1384) 8 Ric. II; ^(b) the writ of 1 Dec. (1376) 50 Ed. III being directed "*Michi De La Pole, admirallo regis flote navium versus partes Boreales*." On 6 Aug. 1385 he was cr. EARL OF SUFFOLK. See fuller particulars under that title. He was, however, *attainted* in the Parl. of Feb. 1388, whereby all *his honours were forfeited*. He d.

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II. 1397, to 1399. 2. MICHAEL (DE LA POLE), EARL OF SUFFOLK, LORD DE LA POLE, s. and h., *restored* to his father's dignities in the Parl. of (1397) 21 Ric. II, but the proceedings of this Parl. being annulled by the Parl. of (1399) 1 Hen. IV, and those of the Parl. of 1388 being affirmed, this Barony fell again under the former *attainder* of 1388. The Earldom of Suffolk was conferred on the said Michael and the heirs male of his body by patent of 15 Nov. 1399, but this Barony was not therein mentioned (4th Peerage Report, p. 6). He d. 14 Sep. 1415. See fuller particulars under "SUFFOLK" Earldom of, cr. 1399.

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^(a) The name of the Barony [I.], the right to which was confirmed by the Crown, 19 Dec. 1767, was "La Poer." Both forms, however, are said to be wrong (in the "*Her. and Gen.*," (vol. ii, p. 70), where the true form is stated to be *Le Poer*, from "*Rogerus Pauper*," the first of the family who emigrated to Ireland.

^(b) There is proof in the Rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

III. 1464. 3. JOHN (DE LA POLE), DUKE OF SUFFOLK [1448], MARQUESS OF SUFFOLK [1444], EARL OF SUFFOLK [1385 and 1399], and EARL OF PEMBROKE [1443], s. and h. of William, DUKE OF SUFFOLK,^(a) &c., who was br. and h. of Michael, EARL OF SUFFOLK (who d.^(b) 1415) and 2d son of Michael, EARL OF SUFFOLK, LORD DE LA POLE above named. In the Parl. of 4 Ed. IV (1464-65) the *attainder* of 1388 was *reversed* whereby the Earldom of Suffolk *cr.* 1385 and the *Barony of De La Pole, cr.* by the writ of 1366 were again *restored* to the right heirs thereof. He d. 1491.

IV. 1491, 4. EDMOND (DE LA POLE), DUKE OF SUFFOLK, to &c. and LORD DE LA POLE, s. and h. He surrendered the 1504. Dukedom of Suffolk, 26 Feb. 1493, and, being, ten years afterwards, *attainted* Jany. 1504 *all his other honours* became *forfeited.*^(c) He was *beheaded* 4 May 1513.

See fuller particulars under "Suffolk," Dukedom of, *cr.* 1448; *cr.* 1513, *sub.* the 2d and 3rd Dukes.

DELAVAL OF REDFORD, and DELAVAL OF SEATON DELAVAL.

Barony [L.] 1. SIR JOHN HUSSEY DELAVAL, Bart., of Ford, co. Northumberland, 2d s. of Francis Blake D., by Rhoda, da. of Robert APRECE, of Washingley, co. Huntingdon, b. 1728, was *cr.* a Bart. as above, 1 July 1761. He was M.P. for Berwick in several Parls. By the death, 7 Aug. 1771 (in his 48th year), of his eldest br. Sir Francis Blake Delaval, **K.B.**, he *suc.* to the family estates. Having supported "the coalition Ministry," he was, 17 Oct. 1783, *cr.* BARON DELAVAL OF REDFORD,^(d) co. Wicklow [L.], but, soon afterwards changing sides, he was by Pitt's Ministry, *cr.*, 21 Aug. 1786, BARON DELAVAL OF SEATON DELAVAL,^(e) co. Northumberland [G.B.] He *m.* firstly, 2 April 1750, at Duke Street Chapel, Westm., his first cousin, Susanna, widow of John POTER, Under Sec. of State, da. of R. ROBINSON, by Margaret, da. of Edward DELAVAL and sister of F. B. D. above named. She d. 1 and was *bur.* 11 Oct. 1783, in Westm. Abbey. He *m.* secondly, 5 Jany. 1803, at Earsdon, co. Northumberland, Susanna Elizabeth KNIGHT, Spinster. He d. s.p.m.s.,^(f) at Seaton Delaval, 17 May and was

(a) This Duke was beheaded 2 May 1450, having been accused of treason by the Commons and banished by the King, but was never attainted.

(b) This Earl had 3 daughters, all of whom, apparently, died unm.; but see Banks' "*Bar. Ang. Conc.*" vol. i, p. 187, and see also the note "c" next following this.

(c) See "*Coll. Top. et Gen.*" vol. v, p. 156, where it is held (by Francis Townsend, Windsor Herald) that the heirship to this Barony is in the issue of Thomas DE LA POLE, 3d and yst. s. of Michael, Earl of Suffolk, 1397-99.

(d) "He was included by Fox among the Irish Peers of Sep. 1783 [*i.e.* the nine Baronies of Sheffield, Harberton, Leitrim, Llandaff, Riversdale, Donoghmore (Baroness), Delaval, Muncaster and Penrhyn], whom his Majesty consented to raise to that dignity, tho' he refused to make any addition to the *British Peerage.*" See Wraxall's "*Memoirs,*" vol. iv, p. 422.

(e) His double creation is thus alluded to in the *Rolliad* :—

"One day, to gain an Irish title glad,
For Fox he voted:—so the people bade—
'Mongst English Lords ambitious grown to sit,
Next day the people bade him vote for Pitt."

These "same wits" also, "composed a poem called *The Delaval-iad* parodied from Orlando's verses to Rosalind in *As you like it*, but Lord Delaval stood in no awe of such lampoons." His "person, at 70 years of age remained graceful and slender, his manners, elegant, gay and pleasing." *ibid.*

(f) By his 1st wife (only), he had issue one son, John, who d. v.p., 1755, and four daughters, his coheirs, of whom Elizabeth was Baroness Audley, and Sarah, Countess of Tyrconnel [L.] To Lady Tyrconnel's only da. and h. Susanna, Marchioness of Waterford [L.], he devised (on the death of his widow) all his estates.

bur. 13 June 1808, aged 80, in Westm. Abbey, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. Will dat. 24 Sep. 1806, pr. 12 July 1808. His widow *d. s.p.*, 20 Aug. 1822, at the Old Bath, Matlock. Her will pr. 1823.

DE LA WARD, or LA WARD.

- Barony by Writ.**
- I. 1299. 1. ROBERT DE LA WARD, who was in the Scotch wars, and who was Steward of the Household, was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD LA WARD, or DE LA WARD), by writs, 29 Dec. (1299), 28 Ed. I, to 3 Nov. (1306), 34 Ed. I. He was one of the Barons who, as "*Dominus de Alba Aula*," affixed their seal in 1301, to the letter written to the Pope.^(a) He *m. firstly* (—). He *m. secondly*, Ida, da. of Robert (FITZWALTER), LORD FITZWALTER, by his 2d wife Eleanor, da. of William (FERRERS), EARL OF DERBY. He *d.* 1307. His widow *m.* Hugh NEVILL.
- II. 1307, to 1324. 2. SIMON (DE LA WARD), LORD DE LA WARD, s. and h., by 1st wife; was sum. to Parl. from 30 Dec. (1324), 18 Ed. II, to 24 July (1334), 8 Ed. III. He *d. s.p.*, about 1324, when any *Barony* in fee that was vested in him, fell into *abeyance* between his sisters and coheirs.^(b)

DE LA WARR, or LA WARR.

- Barony by Writ.**
- I. 1299. 1. ROGER LA WARR, or DE LA WARR of Isfield, co. Sussex, Wick-warr, co. Glouc., &c., successor to John La Warr (Sheriff of co. Hereford, 1275), was in 1285 in possession of very considerable estates in the counties of Gloucester, Worcester, Wilts, Berks and Sussex; was sum., with about 60 other persons, 8 June (1294), 22 Ed. I, to attend the King, wherever he might be^(c); was Capt. of the forces in Gascony in 1295; and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD LA WARR, or DE LA WARR), from 6 Feb. (1398/9), 27 Ed. I, to 16 June (1311), 4 Ed. II. He was in 1300 ("*sage et preux*") at the siege of Carlaverock, and (as "*Dominus de Isefield*") affixed his seal to the Barons' letter to the Pope in 1301.^(a) He *m.* Clarice, eldest of the two daughters and coheirs of Sir John DE TREGOZ, by Maud, da. of Fulke FITZWARRINE. She *d. v.p.*, before 1300. He *d.* about 1320, before 26 June in that year.
- II. 1307. 1 and 2. JOHN (LA WARR), LORD LA WARR, 1st s. and h. 1320. He was, in 1300, one of the coheirs to his grandfather, JOHN DE TREGOZ above named, and then aged 23, inheriting thereby Ewyas Harold, co. Hereford, &c. He was Page to the King, 1301, was Knighted (**K.B.**) 22 May 1306, by the Prince of Wales. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD LA WARR), by writs (both in his father's lifetime and afterwards) from 26 Aug. (1307) 1 Ed. II to 26 Feb. (1341/2) 16 Ed. III. He became on his father's death in 1320 LORD DE LA WARR [1299] by inheritance. He was in the Scotch, Flemish and French wars, was at the sea fight off Sluys in 1340; the siege of Nantes (being Capt. of 20 men of arms and 20 archers) in 1342, and the famous battle of Crecy in 1346. He *m.* Joan, sister and h. of Thomas, LORD GRESLEY (who *d. s.p.* 1347) da. of Robert DE GRESLEY, by Hawise, da. and coheir of John DE BURGH. By her he acquired the manor of Manchester, co. Lancaster. He *d.* 1347. Will dat. 11 Aug. 1345 at Wakerley, co. Northampton (with cod. 6 March 1346, directing his burial to be in Swineshead Abbey) pr. at Lincoln June 1347. His wife survived him.

^(a) See "*Nicolas*," pp. 761 809, for an able account of this letter.

^(b) These were (1), Joan, sister of the whole blood, who *m.* Hugh Meynell of Langley Meynell, co. Derby, whose issue assumed the arms of De La Warr; and (2), Margaret, who *m.* firstly, Thomas Staple, Serjeant-at-Law, and secondly, John Chanceaux, having issue by both. The matter is fully gone into and a pedigree of their descendants given in Banks' "*Bar. Angl. Conc.*," vol. i, p. 188.

^(c) See as to this writ of 1294, not being such a summons as would constitute a *Barony*, *sub* "*Basset de Sapeote*," vol. i, p. 259, note "*c.*"

III. 1347. 3. ROGER (LA WARR), LORD LA WARR, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir John La Warr, by Margaret, da. of Robert HOLLAND, which John was s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, but *d. v.p.* before Aug. 1345. He was 18 in 1347; was Knighted, April 1360, and was sum. to Parl. by writs 14 Aug. (1362) 36 Ed. III. to 1 June (1363) 37 Ed. III. Distinguishing himself in the French wars he was one of the two^(a) Englishmen to whom John, King of France surrendered himself at Poitiers, 19 Sep. 1356. He was Knight of the Household to the Prince of Wales and Councillor in Aquitaine, 1366. He *m.* firstly Elizabeth, da. of Adam (DE WELLES,) LORD WELLES. He *m.* secondly Eleanor, da. of John (MOWBRAY), LORD MOWBRAY, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of John (SEGRAVE), LORD SEGRAVE. He *d.* 27 Aug. 1376 in Gascony. Will dat. 28 April 1368, at Wakerley afsd. (directing his burial to be at Swinestead Abbey if he died in England) pr. 5 Oct. 1370 at Stowe Park, Lincoln.

IV. 1370. 4. JOHN (LA WARR), LORD LA WARR, s. and h. by 1st wife, aged 26 in 1370, was, with his father and after his death, in the wars of Gascony. He was sum. to Parl. by writs 8 Jany. (1370/1) 44 Ed. III to 5 Nov. (1397) 21 Ric. II. In 1397 he obtained leave to absent himself from Parl. and from any future wars. He *m.* Elizabeth. Her will, dat. at Grimsthorpe 12 Oct. 1393. pr. 17 Jany. 1393/4 at Lincoln. He *d. s.p.* 27 July 1398. Both were *bur.* at Swinestead. His will, dat. 8 Jany. 1397, pr. 1 Aug. 1398 at Swinestead, and registered at Lincoln.

V. 1398. 5. THOMAS (LA WARR), LORD LA WARR, OF DE LA WARR, br. of the whole blood and h., was in 1398 aged 40. He was a Priest and sometime Rector of the Church of Manchester, which, 9 Hen. V (1421), by his request was made Collegiate. He was sum. to Parl. by writs, directed "*Magistro Thomæ De La Warr,*" from 19 Aug. (1399), 23 Ric. II, to 7 Jany. (1425/6), 4 Hen. VI.^(b) He *d. unm.*, 7 May 1426.

VI. 1426. 6. REGINALD (WEST), LORD LA WARR, OF DE LA WARR, and LORD WEST,^(c) nephew and heir,^(d) being 2d but only

(^a) The other was Sir John Pelham; in commemoration of this feat the *buckle of a belt* was assigned to Pelham, and the *crampet chape*, or *boteroll* (the metal termination of the King's scabbard) to De La Warr. "A crampet, or, the inside, per pale *azure* and *gules*, charged with the letter *R*, of the first, is a badge used by Earl De La Warr." See Parker's "Heraldry," 1847. The letter "R." doubtless signifying "*Roi*."

(^b) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(^c) The Barony of West, if a heritable Barony was *cr.* by the writs to his father, from 21 June 1402 to 25 Aug. 1404, would have devolved in 1415 on him, and would accordingly thenceforth follow the Barony of De La Warr till the death, *s.p.*, of Thomas, Lord De La Warr and West, in 1554.

(^d) He was undoubtedly heir general of the 1st Lord, but was of the *half blood* to the last lord and his predecessor. The ground of this succession is thus recited in Dodderidge's "Treatise of Nobility," viz: "that Thomas, Lord De La Warre, being seized in fee tail of certain demesnes, under a fine levied in the time of his ancestors of the Barony of De La Warre, had died *s.p.*, and Reginald West, of the *half blood*, was next heir by reason of the entail." Banks says, "From this it is to be deduced that the succession to the Barony was in this instance, governed by the succession of the *Baronial estate*, and not by any right derivable from the writs of summons as creative of a personal descendable dignity." See "*Bar. Angl. Conc.*," vol. i, p. 189, where somewhat contradictory pedigrees of the (undoubted) heir of the *whole blood* (John Griffin) thro' the family of Latimer are given, with various intelligent observations thereon. In Collins' "*Precedents*," this case of half blood is alluded to, pp. 227, 228, 244 and 250, and it is there stated that in it "the King conferred the dignity upon the half blood before the whole blood, clean contrary to a state in fee and repugnant to the maxim of one sole heir," and similar cases are quoted of Baronies by writ going to the half blood "contrary to the rule of *possessio fratris*," viz: Fitzwalter, Mortimer, Welles, Fauconbridge, Ogle as well as De La Warr, in which last case it occurred "twice, [meaning, apparently, after 1554 as well as after 1426] upon several solemn debates for precedency and contrary to the opinion of some of the Heralds, which proves that the matter did not pass *sub silentio*."

surv. s. and h. of Thomas (WEST), LORD WEST, by Joan, only da. of Roger (LA WARR), 3d LORD LA WARR above named, by his *second* wife Eleanor (MOWBRAY), the said Joan being consequently, sister of the half blood to the last two Lords. He *suc.* his elder br. Thomas, in the family estates and as LORD WEST, 30 Sep. 1415, being then aged 21 years; was Knighted before 1417; was in the wars with France; Capt. of the Castle of St. Lo in Normandy, 1418; Capt. of the Fort of La Motte, 1419; and, having *suc.* his maternal uncle in the estate of Wick-warr, co. Glouc., and other the entailed estates of the La Warr family, was sum. to Parl. (as LORD LA WARR) by writ, directed *Reginaldo la Warre, Chl'r*, 15 July (1427), 5 Hen. VI, and by other writs, some being directed *Reginaldo West, Chl'r* (LORD WEST), from that date to 23 Sep. (1449), 28 Hen. VI.^(a) He purported and probably performed a pilgrimage to the Holy Land in 1441 and 1447. He is generally said to have *m.* Eleanor, 1st da. of Henry (PERCY), 3d EARL OF NORTHUMBERLAND, by Eleanor, da. and h. of Richard POYNINGS, but other authorities say his wife was Margaret, da. of Robert THORLEY. He *d.* 27 Aug. 1451^(b) and was *bur.* at Broadwater Sussex.

VII. 1451. 7. RICHARD (WEST), LORD LA WARR, OF DE LA WARR and LORD WEST, s. and h., then aged 19. He was sum. to Parl. from 22nd Jany. (1455/6) to 19 Aug. (1472) 12 Ed. IV, by writs directed "*Ric'o West, Militi*," or "*Ric'o West Chev'r.*" He was a zealous Lancastrian and in consequence obtained leave to quit England from Ed. IV in 1462 but soon returned. He *m.* Catharine, da. of Robert (HUNGERFORD), LORD HUNGERFORD, by Margaret, da. of William (BOTREAUX), LORD BOTREAUX. He *d.* 10 March 1475/6.

VIII. 1476. 8. THOMAS (WEST), LORD LA WARR, OF DE LA WARR and LORD WEST, s. and h., who obtained livery of hislands at the age of 19 on 1 Sep. 1476, and who, 2 years previously, had served in the expedition to France. **K.B.** at the marriage of Richard, Duke of York, 18 Jany. 1478. He was sum. to Parl.^(c) from 15 Nov. (1482) to 15 April (1523) 14 Hen. VIII.^(a) Espousing the cause of Henry VII he obtained from that King in 1486 large grants from the estates in Sussex of the attainted Duke of Norfolk, including the honour of Bramber, the forest of St. Leonards, the towns of Horsham, Shoreham, &c. He was in 1491 one of the commanders in Flanders; in 1497 aided in suppressing the Cornish rebels; in 1513 was at the sieges of Therouene and Tournay; being made a *Knight Banneret* at the battle of the Spurs, 16 Aug. 1513; attended the King's sister in 1514 at her marriage with Louis XII of France, &c. He was el. **K.G.** 23 April and inst. 11 May, 1510. He *m.* firstly Elizabeth, sister and h. of Sir John Mortimer, da. of Hugh Mortimer of Mortimer's Hall, Hants. He *m.* secondly Eleanor, da. of Sir Roger COPLEY of Roughway, co. Sussex, by Jane, da. of Thomas (HOO), BARON HOO AND HASTINGS. He *d.* 11 Oct. 1525, and was *bur.* at Broadwater. Will dat. 8 Oct. 1524, pr. 12 Feb. 1525/6. The will of his widow as "*Elynor West, Lady La War*," dat. 5 May 1536, directing her burial to be at Broadwater, pr. 14 Nov. 1536.

IX. 1525, 1554. 9. THOMAS (WEST), LORD LA WARR, OF DE LA WARR to and LORD WEST, s. and h. by 1st wife. **K.B.** 29 Nov. 1488 on the creation of the Prince (Arthur) of Wales. Capt. in the King's army in France, being dubbed *Knight Banneret* at Lisle, 14 Oct. 1513; Sheriff of Surrey and Sussex 1524-25. He subscribed in 1531 the declaration to Pope Clement VII urging the King's divorce, receiving a few years later

^(a) There is proof in the Rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

^(b) His numerous manors in the counties of Leicester, Somerset, Dorset, Herts, Sussex, Hants, Wilts, Gloucester, Devon, Suffolk and Lincoln are set out by Dugdale. See "*Collins*" vol. v, p. 8. So also are those of his son the 7th Lord.

^(c) "The Writs of Summons were constantly addressed to the Lord la Warr from the 22 Ed. IV to the 1 Hen. VIII by the name of "*Richardo West, Chev'r*," "*Ric'o West, Militi*," or "*Richardo West de la Warre, Chev'r*"; but as it is certain that *Richard West*, Lord la Warr, died on the 10 March, 16 Ed. IV, 1476 (*Esch. eod. ann.*), it was clearly a mistake. In the 1 Hen. VIII the error was corrected, and from that year until the death of Thomas, Lord la Warr, he was summoned by his proper names." ["*Courthope.*"]

in recompence of that service large grants of Monastic lands, *viz.*, Wherwell Abbey, Hants, &c. He was el. **K. G.** 1st and inst. 13 Dec. 1549; P.C., 1553. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. and coheir of Sir John BONVILLE. She *d.* before him. He *d.* s.p. 25 Sep. 1554 at his manor house of Offington, and was *bur.* at Broadwater.^(a) *Inq. post mortem* 6 June 1555. On his death the *Baronies of De La Warr and West* fell into *abeyance*, between the daughters and coheirs of Sir Owen West (who *d.* Oct. 1551) his next br. tho' of the half blood.^(b) His Will, as "*Sir Thomas West, K.G., Lord La War,*" dat. 5 Nov. 1554, (confirming the Will of his late wife) pr. 12 Nov. 1554.

Barony.

I. 1570.

1. WILLIAM WEST, nephew and h. *male*, being s. and h. of Sir George West of Warbleton, Sussex, by Elizabeth, 1st da. and coheir of Sir Robert MORTON of Lechlade, co. Glouc., which George was 3d son (2d s. by the 2d wife) of the 8th Lord and one of the yr. brothers, of the half blood, of the 9th and last Lord. He was b. before 1520, was Knighted between 1536 and 1549 and *suc.* his father, Sep. 1538. Having been adopted as heir by his uncle, the last Lord (to the exclusion, apparently of the issue of that Lord's next br. Sir Owen West, whose death s.p.m. did not take place till 1551), he "being not content to stay till his uncle's natural death, prepared poison to dispatch him quickly,"^(c) and was consequently by Act of Parl. 1 Feby. (1548/9), 2 Ed. VI. disabled from all honours. He was found guilty of being in the plot of April 1556, against Queen Mary. In July 1557 he was Capt. in the Army at the Siege of St. Quintin, in Picardy; but, on 10 April 1563, was restored in blood; in Nov. 1569 (under the style of "William West, Esquire,") he was joint Lieut. for co. Sussex, and was (for the 2d time) Knighted (by the Earl of Leicester, 5 Feb. 1569/70, at Hampton Court, and is said on the same day to have been *cr.* by patent **BARON DE LA WARR** or **LA WARR**.^(d) He was sum. to Parl. by writs, 8 May (1572), 14 Eliz. to 19 Feb.

(a) See an epitaph composed for him by his friend, Lord Morley, in "Collins" vol. v, p. 15, where also his possessions are set out as also his coheirs (*of the whole blood*), *viz.* the issue of two of his sisters, Dame Eleanor Guilford and Dame Dorothy Owen deceased.

(b) These were (1) Mary, (2) Anne, of whom Mary became eventually the sole heir. Mary *m.* firstly Sir Adrian Poynings, and secondly Sir Richard Rogers. By Poynings she had 3 daughters and coheirs, (1) Elizabeth, (2) Anne, and (3) Mary. Sir H. Nicolas observes that "The Barony of la Warr, as well as that of West, created by the writ of summons to Thomas West, must be considered to be vested in the descendants and representatives of the said Mary. It is a singular fact that, in the proceedings on this Barony, temp. Elizabeth, no allusion is made to this Mary or her descendants; and the last report of the Committee of the House of Lords on the Dignity of a Peer of the Realm is also silent on the subject of the issue of the said Mary, who left three daughters, and whose descendants still exist." Mr. Courthope adds that "Sir Adrian Poynings considered that his issue had, in right of their mother, a right to the Barony, and in the 9 Eliz. 1567 a case was prepared in which that claim was urged; but the heralds of that day, upon what principle it is impossible now to say, were of a different opinion." In Banks' "*Bar. Ang. Conc.*" vol. i, p. 191, the following conjecture is given: "It is said that Sir A. P. was an *alien born*, which may account for the passing over her [*i.e.* Lady Poynings] interest to the next male line."

(c) See "*Dugdale.*"

(d) "*Dugdale* cites no satisfactory authority for the patent; but Sir Edward Walker (MS. WQ 89), gives an account of the ceremony of his creation on Shrove Tuesday, 5 Feb. 1569, at Hampton Court Palace, on which occasion Garter delivered his letters patent to the Lord Chamberlain, who delivered them to the Queen. No enrolment of the patent is however to be found." ["*Courthope.*"] See also notes, *sub* 1570, in "*Creations, 1483-1646*" in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records. Mr. Townsend, Windsor Herald (1784-1819), one of the most competent authorities in such matters, in his additions to "*Dugdale*" (*Coll. Top. et Gen.*, vol. vii, p. 159) makes the following "observations upon the new creation of the title in *William*, and the restoration, as it is called, of the son of *William* to the ancient place and precedence of his ancestors.—The precise date of this new creation is nowhere mentioned with certainty. I have never seen any letters patent for it, and am of opinion that none ever passed. *William* was sum. to Parl. for the first time in 1571 [1572?], and placed as *junior*

(1591/2), 35 Eliz. ; taking his seat as *junior Baron*, in which place he sat until his death. In 1572 he was one of the Peers on the trial of the Duke of Norfolk (after whose execution he was sent to the Queen of Scots to expostulate with her), and in 1589, he was on the trial of the Earl of Arundel. He *m.* firstly before 1555, Elizabeth, da. of Thomas STRANGE of Chesterton, co. Gloucester. He *m.* secondly Anne, widow of Thomas OLIVER, da. of Henry SWIFT of Andover, Hants, and Elizabeth. He *d.* 30 Dec. 1595, at Wherwell, Hants. *Ing. post mortem* 6 April 1596. Admon. (as "SIR WILLIAM WEST, LORD LA WARRE,") 12 Feb. 1600/1, to Richard Nesfield of Wherwell afsd. His widow *m.* Richard KEMISH of Andover afsd. who *d.* 6 Oct. 1611,^(a) and survived him.

II. 1595. 2. THOMAS (WEST), BARON DE LA WARR, s. and h., aged 40 in 1596. Sheriff of Hants, 1585 ; Knighted before 2 March 1589. On his succeeding to his father's Peerage he claimed the precedence of the ancient Barony, when the House of Lords decided that the disability of his father was personal only, operating against his father for his life, but not affecting the petitioner : that the acceptance of a new creation could not injure the claimant, but that on the death of his said father, the old and new dignities descended together to the petitioner, and that the old should be preferred. On 14 Nov. 1597, he was accordingly placed in the precedence of the ancient Barony,^(b) viz : next below the Lord Willoughby De Eresby and next above the Lord Berkeley. He was one of the Peers that sat in 1601, on the trials of the Earls of Essex and Southampton. He *m.* 19 Nov. 1571, Anne, da. of Sir FRANCIS KNOWLES, K.G., by Catharine, da. of William CAREY. He *d.* 24 March 1601/2.

III. 1602. 3. THOMAS (WEST), BARON DE LA WARR, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 9 July, 1577, and *bap.* at Wherwell, Hants^(c) matric. at Oxford (Queen's Coll.), 9 March 1591/2 ; knighted at Dublin by the Earl of Essex (Lord Lieutenant) 12 July, 1599 ; M.A., Oxford, 30 Aug. 1605,^(d) Gov. and

Baron, and during the rem. of his life, more than 25 years, continued to be ranked according to that date ; an undeniable proof that he was considered as holding his dignity by a new creation and not as the right heir of the ancient Barony ; neither was he the right heir according to any of the known rules that govern the descent of Baronies by writ. According to those rules, *the Barony fell into abeyance* at the death of his uncle in 1554 and was in the same state at the moment [1597] when the ancient place was adjudged to the son of William. William was certainly heir *male* to his uncle and he is expressly so described in the Act of Restitution, but he was *not* heir general, and therefore I am at a loss to discover the principle upon which that judgment rested, which gave the rank of the ancient Barony to a person, who could not pretend to be the legal representative of the ancient Barons."

^(a) See Essex Arch. Soc., vol. iii, *N.S.*, where his Mon. inscr. at Andover is printed.

^(b) "Vide *Report of the Lords' Committee to report on the Dignity of a Peer of the Realm*, p. 25. After this decision, it may appear presumptuous to have hazarded the assertion in the last page, that the ancient Barony is vested in the representatives of Mary, the da. and heir of Sir Owen West, uncle of this Baron ; but the case is analogous to that of the Barony of Percy, in which instance, although Algernon Seymour (afterwards Duke of Somerset), was sum. to Parl. in 1722 as Baron Percy, on the supposition that he had succeeded his mother in the ancient Barony, and although he was placed in and sat with the precedence of the ancient Barons Percy, yet it is held by the most competent judges of the subject, that the only Barony of Percy to which his descendants, the Dukes of Northumberland,* have succeeded, is that created by the writ of 1722, the said Algernon Seymour, Lord Percy, having *erroneously* had the precedence of the old Barony assigned to him." ["Nicolas."] See also, *sub* "Abergavenny," in this work, vol. i, p. 20, note "b," as to precedence [allowed in several cases] to certain ancient Baronies.

^(c) "Sponsors "Sir Thomas Shirley, Mr. West of Testwood and Lady Ann Askin."

^(d) See note *sub* "Effingham," as to the M.A.'s *cr.* on this occasion.

**Sic* ; but, since 1865, such descendants and representatives have been the Dukes of Athole [S.]

Capt. Gen. of Virginia, 28 Feb. 1610, whither he proceeded the same year with 150 artificers, returning home after having settled that colony^(a). He *m.* 25 Nov. 1596, at St. Dunstan's in the West, Cecily, 6th and yst. da. of Sir Thomas SHIRLEY, of Wiston, Sussex, by Anne, da. of Sir Thomas KEMPE. He re-embarked for Virginia 7 May 1618, and arrived at St. Michael's "but sailing from thence dies, together with 30 more, not without suspicion of poison"^(b) 7 June 1618. *Inq. post mortem* at Andover, 3 April 1619. Admon. as late of Thornwell, Wilts, 1 July 1620. His widow was living 19 Feb 1622^(c).

IV. 1618. 4. HENRY (WEST), BARON DE LA WARR, s. and h., *b.*
3 Oct. 1603; sum. to parl. 14 Nov. (1621), 19 Jac. I; Capt. in the Earl of Oxford's Reg. of foot, 1624. He *m.* March 1624/5, Isabella, 1st da. and co-heir of Sir Thomas EDMUNDS Treasurer of the Household. He *d.* 1 June 1628^(d). *Inq. post mortem* 15th, shewing that he died seized of the hundred of Wherwell, Hants, &c. His widow, who was *b.* at Brussels Nov. 1607, *d.* before 1679. (*Qy.* 24 Sep. 1677.) Will pr. 1679.

V. 1628. 5. CHARLES (WEST), BARON DE LA WARR, only s. and h., *b.* Feb. 1625/6. He was one of the commissioners from the Parl. to treat with the Scots in 1646 and with the army in 1647, but was imprisoned in Aug. 1659, on suspicion of being implicated in Sir George Booth's scheme for the restoration of the monarchy. He *m.* 25 Sep. 1642, at Highgate, Midx, Anne, da. of John WILD, of Droitwich, co. Worcester, Serjeant at Law. He *d.* 22 Dec. 1687, Admon. 2 Jany. 1687/8, to his son. His widow, living Jany. 1687/8, was bur. 18 May 1702/3, at St. Margaret's, Westm.

VI. 1687. 6. JOHN (WEST), BARON DE LA WARR, 3d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* about 1663; Groom of the Stole and first Gent. of the Bedchamber to Prince George of Denmark, 1697-1708; *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 27 Aug. 1720; Treasurer of the Chamber, 1712-14; one of the Tellers of the Exchequer 1714, and afterwards Treasurer of the Excise.^(e) He *m.* June 1691, Margaret, widow of Thomas SALWEY,^(f) da. and h. of John FREEMAN, Merchant of London. He *d.* in New Palace Yard, 26 May, and was bur. 2 June 1723, at St. Margarets Westm. Will pr. 1723. His widow *d.* 31 Jany. and was bur. 12 Feb. 1737/8, at St. Margarets afsd. Her will pr. 1738.

VII. 1723. 7 and 1. JOHN (WEST), BARON DE LA WARR, only s. and h., *b.* 4 April 1693, was, on his return from his travels, made Standard Bearer to the band of Gent. Pensioners (1712-14), and Clerk extraordinary of the Privy Council; M.P. for Grampound, 1715-22; Guidon and 1st Major, 1st troop of Horse Guards 1715; Lieut. Col. thereof 1717, and subsequently, 1730, Lieut. Col. 1st Reg. of Foot Guards; Col. 1st troop Horse Guards, 1737; Brig.-Gen. 1743, being, as such, at the battle of Dettingen; Major Gen. 1745; Lieut.-Gen. 1747, and Gen. of Horse, 1765. Verderer of Windsor Park, 1718. On the revival of the order of the Bath, he was nom. **K.B.** 27 May and inst. 25 June 1725; Lord of the Bedchamber, 1725-27; P.C. 1731; Treasurer of the Household, 1731-37; Ambassador to Saxe Gotha, March 1736, to conclude the marriage of the Prince of Wales with the Princess Augusta, whom he attended into England. Gov. of New York, July to Sept. 1737; Gov. of Tilbury Fort, 1747; Gov. of Guernsey 1752. On the accession of George III, he was *cr.*, 18 March 1761, VIS-

^(a) His name is still commemorated in "Delaware Bay," "Delaware State," &c, in America. See Sir Egerton Brydges' very full account of this settlement in "Collins," vol. v, p. 20.

^(b) Camden's annals.

^(c) Will of Dame Anne Shirley, widow, her mother.

^(d) "Henry the brave young Lord La Ware

Minerva's and the Muses' care."—*Epitaph* by B. Jonson.

^(e) Bp. Burnet's character of him, when aged 40 and upwards, with Swift's remarks thereon in *italics* is as follows: "A free jolly Gentleman—of very little sense, but formal and well stocked with the low kind of lowest politics."

^(f) According to Luttrell's diary, 22 June 1691, the lady was "Mrs. Freeman, a widow, da. to Mr. Salaway, a Merchant, worth £20,000."

COUNT CANTELUPE and EARL DE LA WARR. He *m.* firstly, 25 May 1721 Charlotte, da. of Donogh (MACCARTHY), 4th EARL OF CLANCARTY [I.], by Elizabeth, da. of Robert (SPENCER), 2d EARL OF SUNDERLAND. She *d.* 7 and was *bur.* 16 Feb. 1734/5, in Westm. Abbey, aged 34. Admon. 6 Nov. 1736. He *m.* secondly June 1744, Anne, Dow. BARONESS ABERGAVENNY, da. of Nehemiah WALKER, of co. Midx. She *d.* July 1748. He *d.* 16 and was *bur.* 22 March 1766, at St. Margaret's Westm. Will pr. 1766.

Earldom.	}	1766.	2 and 8. JOHN (WEST), EARL DE LA WARR, VISCOUNT CANTELUPE, and BARON DE LA WARR, 1st s. and h., by 1st wife, <i>b.</i> 1729; entered 3d Reg. of Foot Guards, 1746; Lieut.-Col. 1st troop of Horse Guards, 1755; Col. in the Army, 1758; <i>styled</i> VISCOUNT CANTELUPE, 1761-66, Major Gen. 1761; Col. 1st troop Horse Gren. Guards, 1763; Col. 1st troop of Horse Guards, 1766, and Lieut.-Gen. in the Army, 1770. From 1761 to 1766 he was Vice-Chamberlain to the Queen Consort, and from 1766 her Master of the Horse, and from 1768 her Lord Chamberlain till his death. He <i>m.</i> 8 Aug. 1756, Mary da. of Lieut.-Gen. John WYNARD. He <i>d.</i> in Audley Square, 22, and was <i>bur.</i> 30 Nov. 1777, at St. Margaret's, Westm. Will pr. 1777. His widow was <i>bur.</i> 6 Nov. 1784, at St. Margaret's afsd. Her Will pr. Dec. 1784.
II.			
Barony.			

VIII.

Earldom.	}	1777.	3 and 9. WILLIAM-AUGUSTUS (WEST), EARL DE LA WARR, &c., s. and h., <i>b.</i> 27 April 1757, <i>styled</i> VISCOUNT CANTELUPE, 1766-77; entered the Coldstream Guards 1774 becoming Lieut.-Col. thereof 1781. He <i>d.</i> unim. Jany. 1783, at Nice in Italy and was <i>bur.</i> there. Admon. July 1784.
III.			
Barony.			

IX.

Earldom.	}	1783.	4 and 10. JOHN-RICHARD (WEST), EARL DE LA WARR, &c., br. and h., <i>b.</i> 28 July 1758, a Lord of the Bedchamber, 1789. He <i>m.</i> 22 April 1783, at St. James, Westm., Catharine, da. of Henry LYELL of Bourne, co. Cambridge (a member of the House of Nobles in Sweden) by Catharine, only child of George Allestric, of Alvaston, Devon. He <i>d.</i> 28 July 1795, and was <i>bur.</i> at Bourne. Admon. Aug. 1795, and June 1848. His widow <i>d.</i> 27 May 1826, at Bath in her 70th year and was <i>bur.</i> at Bourne. Will pr. July 1826.
IV.			
Barony.			

X.

Earldom.	}	1795.	5 and 11. GEORGE-JOHN (WEST, afterwards SACKVILLE-WEST) EARL DE LA WARR, &c., only s. and h., <i>b.</i> 26 Oct. 1791, in Saville Row and <i>hap.</i> at St. James Westm., <i>styled</i> VISCOUNT CANTELUPE till 1795, ed. at Harrow ^(a) and at Brasenose Coll. Oxford; B.A. 2d class classics, 1812; M.A. 1819, being <i>cr.</i> LL.D. of Cambridge (Trin. Coll.) 1828, and D.C.L. of Oxford 10 June 1834. He was a Lord of the Bedchamber to Geo. III, 1813-20; to Geo. IV, 1820-28; P.C., 1841; Chamberlain of the Household, 1841-46, and again 1858-59. Having <i>m.</i> 21 June 1813, at Knole, co. Kent, Elizabeth, 2d and <i>yst.</i> sister and co. heir of George-John-Frederick, 4th Duke of Dorset (who <i>d.</i> s.p. 14 Feb. 1815) da. of John-Frederick (SACKVILLE), 3d DUKE OF DORSET, by Arabella-Diana, da. of Sir Charles COPE, Bart., he took by royal lic. 30 Nov. 1843, the name of <i>Sackville</i> before that of <i>West</i> . He <i>d.</i> 23 Feb. 1869, at Knole Park in his 78th year. His widow, who was <i>b.</i> 9 Aug. 1795 and <i>hap.</i> at Knole afsd. was <i>cr.</i> BARONESS BUCKHURST of Buckhurst, co. Sussex, with a <i>spec.</i> (and very extraordinary) <i>shifting rem.</i> of that dignity, which see. She <i>d.</i> 9 Jany. 1870, at 17, Upper Grosvenor Street. Her will pr. 15 Feb. 1870, under £18,000.
V.			
Barony.			

XI.

(^a) He is the "fair Euryalus" of Lord Byron's "*Childish Recollections*": to him also, Byron addressed a poem beginning "Oh yes I will own we were dear to each other."

[GEORGE-JOHN-FREDERICK WEST, afterwards (1843) SACKVILLE-WEST, styled VISCOUNT CANTELUPE, 1st s. and h. ap., *b.* 25 April 1814, and *bap.* at St. Geo. Han. sq.; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch) 24 March 1832; sometime Lieut. in the Gren Guards; M.P. for Helston 1837-40; for Lewes, 1840-41. He *d.* unm. 25 June 1850, at 17 Upper Grosvenor street, aged 36 and was *bur.* at Withyam, Sussex.]

Earldom. }
VI. } 1869.
Barony. }
XII. }

6 and 12. CHARLES-RICHARD (SACKVILLE-WEST), EARL DE LA WARR, &c., 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 13 Nov. 1815, in Upper Grosvenor street and *bap.* at St. Geo. Han. sq. ed. at Harrow: entered the army, 43d Foot, 1833 (under the surname of West) Lieut. 15th Foot, 1835; Capt. 21st Foot, 1842; acquired the name of *Sackville* before that of *West* under the royal lic. 30 Nov. 1843, above named; aide-de-camp and Mil. Sec. to Lord Gough in India, 1845, being present at the battle of Sobraon; was styled LORD WEST, 1850-69, Major, 21st Foot, 1852, being present at the battles of Alma, Balaclava, and Inkermann, and, as 2d Lieut.-Col., in command of that reg. at the siege of Sebastopol, becoming finally, in 1864, Major-Gen. in the Army; **C.B.** 27 July 1855; officer of the legion of honour of France, 1856; 3d class Medjidie of Turkey, 1858; **K.C.B.** 20 May 1871. He *d.* unm. 22 April 1873, having left the Bull Inn Cambridge that morning and drowned himself in the Cam. Verdict "Temporary Insanity."

Earldom. }
VII. } 1873.
Barony. }
XIII. }

7 and 13. REGINALD-WINDSOR (SACKVILLE), EARL DE LA WARR, VISCOUNT CANTELUPE, BARON DE LA WARR^(a) and BARON BUCKHURST, br. and h., *b.* 21 Feb. 1817, in Upper Grosvenor Street and *bap.* at St. Geo. Han. Sq.; matric. at Oxford (Ball. Coll.), 16 Dec. 1834; B.A., 1838; M.A., 1840; Rector of Withyam, Sussex, 1840-65; Chaplain to the Queen, 1846. Under the royal lic. of 30 Nov. 1843 above named, he acquired the name of *Sackville*, before that of *West*. By the death of his mother, 9 Jan. 1870, he became BARON BUCKHURST, under the spec. rem. in the creation of that dignity, which see. By royal lic. 24 April 1871, he took the name of *Sackville* only; High Steward of Stratford-on-Avon, 1871. In 1873, he *suc.* to the Earldom of De La Warr, &c., with which the Barony of Buckhurst, in spite of the remarkable proviso in the patent of its creation continues united,^(b) tho' Knole Park and other *estates* of the Sackville family devolved, in consequence of such succession to his younger brother. See "SACKVILLE" Barony, *cr.* 1876. He *m.* 7 Feb. 1867, at St. Paul's, Knightsbridge, Constance Mary Elizabeth, 1st da. of Alexander-Dundas-Ross (COCHRANE-WISHART-BAILLIE), 1st BARON LAMINGTON, by Annabella-Mary-Elizabeth, da. of Andrew-Robert DRUMMOND of Cadlands, Hants. She was *b.* 7 Feb. 1846.

[LIONEL-CHARLES-CRANFIELD SACKVILLE, styled VISCOUNT CANTELUPE, 1st s. and h. ap., *b.* 1 Jan. 1668.]

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 17,185 acres in Sussex; 3,240 in Cambridgeshire and 2,941 in Oxon. Total 23,366 acres, worth £21,606 a year. *Principal residence*, Buckhurst Park, near Tunbridge Wells, Sussex.

DE LA ZOUCHE, see ZOUCHE.

DELHI,

See "LAKE OF DELHI AND LASWARY AND ASTON CLINTON, Bucks," Barony, *cr.* 1804; Viscounty, *cr.* 1807; (*Lake*), both *ex.* 1848.

(^a) "Even if no *patent* were granted of the Barony [of De La Warr] in 1569-70, the present Earl is Baron de la Warr under the writ of summons of 13 Eliz., he being *heir general* as well as *heir male* of William West, to whom that writ was addressed. If ever it should happen that the *heir general* is not the *heir male* of the said William, a question of great difficulty will in all probability arise on the succession of the Barony." ["Courthope."]

(^b) See vol. ii, p. 59, note "b," *sub* "Buckhurst."

DE L'ISLE AND DUDLEY OF PENSURST.

Barony

I. 1835.

1. PHILIP—CHARLES SIDNEY, formely SHELLEY SIDNEY, only s. and h. ap. of Sir John SHELLEY-SIDNEY, 1st Bart., of Penshurst Place, co. Kent, by Henrietta, da. of Sir Henry HUNLOKE, 4th Bart., b. 11 March 1800, *bap.* 9 and *pub. rec.* 29 May following at St. James', Westm.; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford, *matric.* 24 Feb. 1820 under the surname of *Sidney*, only. *Capt.* in 1st Reg. of Foot Guards; *M.P.* for Eye, 1829-31; **G.C.H.** (civil) 1831; Surveyor Gen. for the Duchy of Cornwall, 1832-49; LL.D. Cambridge (Sidney Sussex) 1835. On 13 Jany. 1835 he was *cr.* by the King, (his wife's father) BARON DE L'ISLE^(a) AND DUDLEY^(a) OF PENSURST, co. Kent; was a Lord of the Bedchamber, Jany. to April 1835; and Surveyor Gen. of the Duchy of Cornwall, 1832-49. On 14 March 1849 he *suc.* his father in the family estates and Baronety. He *m.* 13 Aug. 1825, at her father's (then Duke of Clarence) house in Charles Street, Berkeley Sq., Midx., Sophia, 1st sister of George (FITZ CLARENCE), 1st EARL OF MUNSTER, illegit. da. of King William IV, by Mrs. JORDAN. She, who is "said to have been the favourite da. of her royal father and [to have] occasionally acted as his amenuensis" ^(b) was raised to the rank of the da. of a Marquess by (her father's) royal warrant 24 May 1831. She *d.* in Kensington Palace, 10 April 1837, having recently been appointed "housekeeper" thereof. He *d.* at Penshurst 4 March 1851 aged 51.

II. 1851.

2. PHILIP (SIDNEY), BARON D'ISLE AND DUDLEY OF PENSURST, 1st s. and h., b. 29 Jany. 1828 in Bolton Street, Piccadilly, *bap.* at Hampton, Midx., ed. at Eton; sometime an officer in the Royal Horse Guards. He *m.* 23 April 1850, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Mary, only da. and h. of Sir William FOULIS, 8th Bart. of Ingleby Manor, co. York, by Mary Jane, 2d da. of Gen. Sir Charles Ross, 6th Bart. [S.] of Balnagowan, co. Ross. She was b. 19 May 1826. He thereupon assumed the additional name of *Foulis* after that of *Sidney* by royal lic. 6 June 1850, under the Will of the said Sir W. Foulis, but relinquished it again.

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 4,356 acres in Kent and 4,896 in the north riding of Yorkshire. Total, 9,252 acres, worth £10,232 a year. *Principal Residence*, Penshurst Place, near Tonbridge, Kent.

DE LONGUEVILLE.

Viscounty.

I. 1690.

1. HENRY (YELVERTON), LORD GREY DE RUTHYN, who in 1679 had *suc.* his br. Charles in that dignity, was 21 April 1690, *cr.* VISCOUNT DE LONGUEVILLE. He *d.* 13 May 1704. See fuller particulars under "GREY DE RUTHYN."

^(a) This extraordinary mixed title was chosen to commemorate his descent thro' his paternal grandmother, Dame Elizabeth Jane Shelley (*nee* Perry) from the family of Sidney, Earls of Leicester and Viscounts L'Isle, descended from Sir Henry Sidney, who *m.* Mary, da. of John (*Dudley*), the well known Duke of Northumberland and sister of Robert (*Dudley*) Earl of Leicester, the favourite of Queen Eliz. As to the peerage of "L'Isle," his father, in 1824, had petitioned for the Barony of L'Isle, *cr.* by the writ of summons of 1357, as one of the coheirs thereof thro' the families of Shelley, Perry, Sydney, Dudley, Grey, Talbot, Beauchamp, Berkeley and L'Isle. The claim was, however, not successful (see fuller account under that dignity) tho' had the claimant being seized of the manor of Kingston L'Isle, he was undoubtedly heir of the body to John Talbot, *cr.* 26 July 1444, Baron L'Isle of Kingston L'Isle, co. Berks, with rem. to his heirs being tenants of that manor. The grantee of 1835 probably was deterred from choosing the title of "L'Isle" by the existence of the Irish Barony of "Lisle of Mountnorth," granted in 1758 to the family of Lysaght, and the prefix "de" was, also, quite in accordance to the taste for the modern antiques which prevailed in the 19th century. See an article on "the prefix De" in the "Her. and Gen." vol. i, pp. 138-158; and see also, *ante*, p. 37, note "b," sub "DE GREY."

^(b) "Annual Registers," for 1837.

II. 1704. 2. TALBOT (YELVERTON), VISCOUNT DE LONGUEVILLE, s. and h. was (as VISCOUNT DE LONGUEVILLE) *cr.* 26 Sep. 1717, EARL OF SUSSEX. See that dignity, *ex.* together with this Viscounty, 1799.

DELORAINÉ.

Earldom [S.] 1. LORD HENRY SCOTT, 3d but 2d surv. s. of James, I. 1706. DUKE OF MONMOUTH, by Anne, *suo jure*, DUCHESS OF BUCCLEUCH [S.], was *b.* 1676, and was on 29 March 1706, *cr.*^(a) EARL OF DELORAINÉ, VISCOUNT OF HERMITAGE and LORD GOLDILANDS [S.], probably in reward for his support of the Union [S.] He was in command of a Reg. of Foot in 1707, was Col. of the 2d troop of Horse Gren. Guards, 1715; Col. of the 16th Foot, in 1724; Col. of the 3d Reg. of Horse, 1730, becoming finally Major Gen. in the Army. REP. PEER [S.] 1715-30; **K.B.**, on the revival of that order, 27 May 1725; Gent. of the Bedchamber to George I. He *m.* firstly, in 1693, Ann, da. and h. of William DUNCOMBE of Battlesden, Beds., one of the Lord Justices of Ireland. She *d.* 22 Oct. 1720. He *m.* secondly 14 March 1726, Mary, da. of Charles HOWARD (s. of Col. the Hon. Philip HOWARD, 7th s. of Thomas, 1st EARL OF BERKSHIRE), by Elizabeth, da. of Edward BATTEN, of Portsmouth. He *d.* suddenly, 25 Dec. 1730, in his 55th year and was *bur.* at Lidwell, in Sandford St. Martin, Oxon^(b) Will pr. 4 Feb. 1730/1. His widow *m.*, April 1734, William WYNDHAM of Ersham, Norfolk. She, who was *b.* 1700, in Winchester, was Governess to the Princesses Mary and Louisa, *d.* in London, 12 Nov. 1744, and was *bur.* at Windsor. Will, signed "Mary de Loraine," dat. 6 and pr. 19 Nov. 1744.

II. 1730. 2. FRANCIS (SCOTT), EARL OF DELORAINÉ, &c. [S.], 1st s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 5 Oct. 1710, and *hap.* 3 Nov. at St. James', Westm., styled VISCOUNT HERMITAGE 1710-30; sometime a Cornet of Horse. He *m.* firstly, 29 Oct. 1732, Mary, widow of (—) HEARSON, da. of Matthew LISTER of Burwell, co. Lincoln. She *d.* 1737, aged 22, and was *bur.* in Lincoln Cathedral. He *m.* secondly, July, 1737, Mary, 1st da. of Gervase SCROPE of Cockerington, co. Lincoln. He *d.* s.p. at Bath, 11 May 1739, in his 29th year. Will pr. 1739. His widow *m.* Thomas VIVIAN. She *d.* at Lincoln, 11 March 1767.

III. 1739. 3. HENRY (SCOTT), EARL OF DELORAINÉ, &c. [S.], br. of the whole blood and h., *b.* 11 Feb. 1712; Capt. R.N., was in command in the Mediterranean in 1739. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of John FENWICK. He *d.* (in his carriage) at Acton, Midx., 31 Jan. 1740, in his 28th year. Will pr. 1740. His widow survived him 54 years, and *d.* 5 June 1794, in Upper Brook street, Midx. Will pr. June 1794.

IV. 1740, 4. HENRY (SCOTT), EARL OF DELORAINÉ, VISCOUNT HERMITAGE and LORD GOLDILANDS [S.], 1st s. and h., *b.* 8 Feb 1807. 1737, styled VISCOUNT HERMITAGE, 1739-40. In early life he was one of the leaders of the fashion and dissipated a fine estate. He *m.* 16 Nov. 1763, at St. Anne's Soho, Frances, widow of the Hon. Henry KNIGHT, da. of Thomas HEATH, of Stanstead, Essex. She, from whom he had long been separated, *d.* in a convent in France in 1782. He *d.* s.p. in Charlotte street, Marylebone, Sep. 1807, in his 71st year, when all his honours became extinct.

DELVIN.

[The origin of this Peerage is obscure. Its possessor in 1489 was one of the 9 Barons [L.] then (with 3 Earls and 3 Viscounts) sum. by Henry VII to Greenwich. He was then placed fifth *i.e.*, next after Slane (the order being Athenry,

(^a) The patent is given in full in Fraser's "Scotts of Buccleuch," vol. ii, p. 324, where, also, are letters from his mother, complaining of his conduct, stating that she had given him £24,000, besides £4,000, for building and furnishing his house at Leadwell. In her will, dat. 16 March 1722/3, her Grace, accordingly leaves him but £5.

(^b) His manners were so excellent, that Dr. Young (author of "Night Thoughts"), thus alludes to them, "Stanhope in wit, in breeding Delorain."

Kingsale, Kerry, Slane, and Delvin), and next *above* Killeen.^(a) As the Barony of Slane was declared by act 2 Ed. IV to be *junior* to that of Preston, which last cannot be placed higher than 1363, it follows that the creation of Delvin as a Peerage must be at a date *subsequent* to 1363. In some of the early Parls. however (particularly in that of 2 Eliz.) the Barony of Delvin is placed (apparently erroneously) immediately *before* that of Slane; but in the warrant 1 Jany. 1615, of the Commissioners for executing the office of Earl Marshal, the Barony of Slane is placed next immediately below that of Kerry (and such seems its proper place) and consequently *above* that of Delvin.

For more than 700 years, however, the Lordship or Barony of Delvin has been in the family of the present (1889) owners. It was one of the subinfeudations of the Lordship of Meath, and, as such, was granted in 1171 (being then about 20,000 acres) by Hugh de Lacy to his kinsman Sir Gilbert NUGENT, on whose death s.p.m.s. it passed to his br. Richard de Capello Nugent, whose only da. and h., Rose, brought it into the family of FITZ JOHN. John Fitz John is said to have been sum. as "*Baron of Delvin*" to Parl. [I.] by writ dat. at Dublin 13 Feb. (1371/2), 46 Edw. III, while Thomas Fitz John was so sum. (tho' not under such designation) 20 Nov. 1374, 22 Jany. 1377/8, and 11 Sep. 1380.^(b) Katharine, da. and h. of this John Fitz John (possibly after the death of the said Thomas supposing him to be her br.) m. William NUGENT^(c) (as below) and brought back the Barony of Delvin to the Nugent family.]

Barony [I.] I. SIR WILLIAM-FITZ-RICHARD NUGENT, Lord of the

I. 1389? Barony of Delvin, co. Westmeath, 2d s. of Richard NUGENT, of Balrath, co. Meath, having m. (when under age) Katharine, da. and h. of John FITZ JOHN, acquired with her the vast Barony of Delvin, and was (under the name of "*Baron of Delvin*") in ward to the King in 1389, as appears by the pat. roll of 12 Ric. II. About that date^(d) he not improbably was cr. (or recognised as) a Peer, BARON^(e) DELVIN [I.]^(f) He was Sheriff of co. Meath, 1401-02. His wife was dead in or before 1406. He d. before 1415.

II. 1415? 2. RICHARD (NUGENT), BARON DELVIN [I.], s. and h.

He is styled in the pat. roll of (1406), 7 Hen. IV (when his father was apparently still alive) as "Richard, son of William Nugent, son and *heir* of Katharine Fitz John," but in the pleas roll of (1442), 20 Hen. VI (when his father was dead) as "Richard Nugent, Knt., Baron of Delvin." He was Sheriff of co. Meath, 1424, and was in 1449 deputy to the Ch. Gov. of Ireland.^(g) In 1452 he was Seneschal of Meath. He m. Katharine (or Juliana), da. of Thomas DRAKE, sister and h. of Nicholas Drake, of Carlanstown, co. Meath. He was living 1450.

III. 1460? 3. CHRISTOPHER (NUGENT), BARON DELVIN [I.], grand-

son and h., being s. and h. of James Nugent, by Elizabeth, 1st da. and coheir of Sir Robert HOLLYWOOD of Drumcree, Dysert and Donore, co. Westmeath and of Tarlayne, co. Dublin, which James was 1st s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, but d., v.p. 1450. He had livery of his estate (1475), 15 Ed. IV. He is said to have m. Elizabeth (or Anne), da. of Sir Robert PRESTON, of Gormanston, possibly, Robert, 1st VISCOUNT GORMANSTON [I.] He d. about 1483.

^(a) See some observations on the date of the early Irish Baronies, as Peerage dignities, vol. 1, p. 171, note "c," *sub* "Athenry."

^(b) See petition of Governor Nugent, 3 Nov. 1800, claiming to be one of the coheirs of the Barony of Delvin [I.] as set out in a "Letter from Sir W. Betham to G. Naylor, Esq.," ordered to be printed 4 June 1832 (folio pp. 34).

^(c) Petition of Andrew Nugent, 1814, claiming as set out in note "b," above.

^(d) "It would appear from the close roll of 46 Ed. III (1372) that not only the peerage of Killeen, but those of *Delvin* and *Howth* were not as yet created." See "*Remarks upon the ancient Baronage of Ireland*," 1829, p. 116; and see also, *ante*, vol. 1, p. 171, note "c," *sub* "ATHENRY."

^(e) See as to the distinction between "*Baro*" and "*Dominus*" in the early Irish Baronies, vol. I, p. xviii (preface), note "a," and p. 172 (*sub* Athenry), note "f."

^(f) See "Lodge," vol. 1, p. 216, last note thereon.

^(g) It has been conjectured, not without reason, that *this* date (1449) is more likely to be the true one of the peerage of Delvin.

IV. 1483? 4. RICHARD (NUGENT), BARON DELVIN [I.], s. and h.,
 sum. to Parl. [I.], 1486, 1490 and 1193. He was one of the 15 Irish
 Peers sum. in 1489, by Henry VII to England.^(a) In 1496, he was Commander-in-Chief
 of the forces for the defence of Ireland, and distinguished himself at the battle of
 Knocklough in Connaught in 1504. LORD DEPUTY [I.], 1527-28, but was taken
 prisoner by O'CONNOR. He m. Isabella, da. of Thomas FITZ GERALD (2d s. of Gerald,
 EARL OF KILDARE [I.]), tho' according to "Lodge," he m. Elizabeth, da. of . . . (St.
 LAURENCE) LORD HOWTH [I.] He d. 28 Feb. 1537, at a great age and was bur. in
 the church of Castleton Delvin. *Inq.* at Trim, 2 April 1538.

V. 1537. 5. RICHARD (NUGENT), BARON DELVIN [I.], grandson
 and h., being s. and h. of Christopher Nugent, by Marian, yst. da. of
 Nicholas (St. LAURENCE), LORD HOWTH [I.], which Christopher was 1st s. and h. ap. of
 the last Lord, but d. v.p. He was aged 14 in 1537, but, in 1545, had livery of his
 lands. He distinguished himself in his wars against the rebel Irish, particularly, in
 1557, against McDonnell. He m. Elizabeth, widow of Thomas NANGLE, styled
 "Baron of Navan," 1st da. of Jenico (Preston), 3d VISCOUNT GORMANSTON [I.] by
 his first wife, Catharine, da. of Gerald (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF KILDARE [I.] He d.
 23 Nov. 1559, having, in his will, directed that he should be bur. with his grandfather.

VI. 1559. 6. CHRISTOPHER (NUGENT), BARON DELVIN [I.], s. and
 h., 15 years old in 1559. Knighted in 1565. In 1567, he obtained a
 royal commission to extirpate the tribe of O'More but, his integrity being suspected,
 was committed a prisoner to the Tower of London in 1580. He was released and was at
 the Parl. of 1585. In 1593, he was made Leader of the forces, and on 4 May 1597,
 received a crown rent of £100 a year. He m. in 1584, Mary, da. of Gerald (FITZ
 GERALD), 11th EARL OF KILDARE [I.], by Mabel, sister to Anthony, 1st VISCOUNT
 MONTAGU, da. of Sir Anthony BROWNE. He d. a prisoner at Dublin Castle, 1 Oct.
 1602, and was bur. 5 at Castleton Delvin. His widow, who was b. 13 Sep. 1556, d.
 1 Oct. 1610 and was bur. with him.

VII. 1602. 7. RICHARD (NUGENT), BARON DELVIN [I.], s. and
 h. On 4 Sep. 1621 he was cr. EARL OF WESTMEATH [I.]
 He d. 1641.

VIII. 1641. 8. RICHARD (NUGENT), EARL OF WESTMEATH and
 and BARON DELVIN [I.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of
 Christopher Nugent, styled, LORD DELVIN, who d. v.p. He d. 1684.

IX. 1684. 9. RICHARD (NUGENT), EARL OF WESTMEATH and
 BARON DELVIN [I.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of
 Christopher Nugent, styled, LORD DELVIN, who d. v.p. He d. unm. April
 1714.

X. 1714. 10. THOMAS (NUGENT), EARL OF WESTMEATH and
 BARON DELVIN [I.], br. and h. He d. s.p.m.s. 30 June
 1752 aged 96,^(b) and was suc. by his br. and h. male in the Earldom of
 Westmeath [I.] and (considering the nature of the ancient Irish Baronies)
 doubtless in the Barony of Delvin [I.] also; see "WESTMEATH,"
 Earldom of, [I.], cr. 1621.

For fuller account see "Westmeath," Earldom
 of, [I.], cr. 1621.

^(a) See the names of these in vol. i, *Preface*, p. iii, note "a," and see also the remarks
 at the beginning of this article of "DELVIN." As to the cause of such summons, &c,
 see, *infra*, in this vol., sub "Desmond."

^(b) Of his eleven children all d. before him, tho' two of his daughters had married
 and had issue, viz. (1) Mary, m. 1705 Francis (Bermingham), Lord Athenry [I.], and
 d. July 1725 leaving issue Thomas, her s. and h., cr. Earl of Louth [I.] in 1759, who
 d. s.p.m.s., 1799; see "Athenry" Barony [I.] (2) Catharine, m. Andrew Nugent of

DE MAULEY OF CANFORD.

Barony.

I. 1838.

1. The Hon. WILLIAM-FRANCIS-SPENCER PONSONBY, of Canford House, Dorset, 3d s. of Frederick (PONSONBY), 3d EARL OF BESSBOROUGH [I.], by Henrietta-Frances, da. of John (SPENCER), 1st EARL SPENCER, b. 31 July 1787, in Cavendish Square, and *bap.* 31 Aug. at St. Marylebone, Middx., M.P. for Poole, 1826-31, for Knaresborough 1832 and

Dysert, co. Westmeath, and d. 7 Oct. 1756 leaving issue Lavallan Nugent, of Dysert and Tullaugham, her s. and h., b. 1722.

The following claims were made to this Barony.

(1) In 1799 this Lavallan Nugent petitioned the Crown for a writ of summons as *Baron of Delvin* [I.], of which Barony he alleged himself coheir [i.e. heir to a moiety]. He d. unm. very shortly afterwards.

(2) In 1800 his next br. and h., John Nugent, Lieut. Gov. of Tortola and the Virgin Island, made a like petition. This, after reference, was reported on, 3 Nov. 1800, by the chief Law Officers [I.], who were of opinion "that John Fitz John sat and voted in Parl. in 46 Ed. III, in pursuance of the said writ of summons, as Baron of Delvin, and thereby became and was seized in fee of the said Barony." They then allude to Thomas Fitz John, who appears as sum. to the Parl. of 1374, 1377/8 and 1380 as to which they say "the presumption is that John was suc. by Thomas, although Thomas is not in any of them [i.e. the writs] called Baron of Delvin"; while as to the pedigree they rely on a MS. in Dublin College which states that "In 7 Ric. II, John Fitz John was Baron of Delvin; that he was suc. by John [not by Thomas as in the writs of summons] Fitz John, Baron of Delvin, his son, who dying s.p., Catharine his sister and h. suc. to the Barony—that she m. William Nugent, Knt., s. of Nicholas (*sic.*) Nugent of Balrath, that their s. Richard, Baron of Delvin, m. Catharine &c." On the strength of this evidence (!!) they remark, "We humbly conceive therefore that it is SUFFICIENTLY PROVED that the first Earl of Westmeath was seized in fee simple of the *Barony of Delvin*, FROM THE OLD M.S." These points being disposed of, they summed up "that the said Barony of Delvin is an ancient Barony in fee and has already been inherited as such by a female; that the said Barony is now in abeyance between petitioner as the sole h. of Lady Catharine Nugent afsd. and the coheirresses of Lady Mary Nugent." The names of the learned gentlemen who made this report were John Toler, Attorney Gen. (afterwards Earl of Norbury [I.]), John Stewart, Solicitor Gen. [I.], and Sir George Daly, Prince Sergeant [I.]

(3) In 1814 a like petition was made by Andrew Nugent, formerly Savage, of Portaferry, co. Down, s. and h. of Patrick Savage of the same, who was s. and h. of Andrew Savage, also of the same, by Margaret,* eldest of the two sisters (whose issue became, coheirs) of John Nugent the last petitioner, who as well as his 3 brothers Lavallan (above named), Patrick and Anthony had d. s.p. After reference, the chief Law Officers [I.] (*viz.*, the Attorney Gen., William Saurin, and the Solicitor Gen., Charles Bushe) reported thereon in 1814, that they find a writ of summons, 46 Ed. III, to one John Fitz John "by the name, style and title of *John Fitz John, Baron De Delvyn*," and that he left an only da. and h. Katharine wife of William Nugent "as appears by the plea roll of 14 Ric. II (1391) in which they are respectively styled *William Nugent, Baro de Delvyn*, and *Katina ux'or ejus filia et heres John' n's Fitz John, Baron' de Delvyn*"; that the said William, Baron of Delvin, was suc. by his son Richard Nugent, styled in the patent roll of 7 Hen. IV (1406) *Ricus fil' Willi' Nugent fil' et heres' Kat'ine Fitz John*" [no allusion being therein made to his then being Baron of Delvin, his father probably being living] but [after his father's death] styled in the plea roll 20 Hen. VI (1442) *Ricus Nugent miles, Baro de Delvyn, &c.*" They accordingly state their opinion "that a Barony in fee has been fully proved to have existed in the person of Thomas, 4th Earl of Westmeath and Baron of Delvin and that Petitioner has proved himself to be one of the coheirs of the said Earl Thomas." The evidence relied upon in this report is unquestionably superior to that in the preceding one, yet it is hardly sufficient of itself to prove that John Fitz John possessed a hereditary parliamentary peerage, and still less that such peerage was, or could be, transmitted thro' his daughter.

See also *sub* "Dunsany," in note to 13th Baron, *circa finem*.

* Barbara, the other sister, was mother of Hugh O'Reilly, *cr. a Bart.* [I.], 1795, who, on the death of his maternal uncle, John Nugent above named, assumed the surname of Nugent.

for Dorset 1832-37, having *m.* 8 Aug. 1814 at St. Marylebone afsd. Barbara da. and h. of Anthony (ASHLEY-COOPER), 5th EARL OF SHAFTESBURY, by Barbara, da. and h. of Sir John WEBB, Bart., was, 10 July 1838,^(a) *cr.* BARON DE MAULEY^(b) OF CANFORD, co. Dorset, his wife being a coheir^(c) to a Barony of Mauley (or De Mauley) said to have been *cr.* by writ in 1295. This lady, who was *b.* 19 Oct. 1788 *d.* 5 June 1844. He *d.* 16 May 1855, aged 68, at 21, St. James' Place, Westm.

II. 1855. 2. CHARLES-FREDERICK-ASHLEY-COOPER (PONSONBY), BARON DE MAULEY OF CANFORD, 1st s. and h., *b.* 12 Sep. 1815, and *bap.* at St. Marylebone, ed. at Eton, M.P. for Poole, 1837-47, and for Dungarvan, 1851-52. He *m.* 9 Aug. 1838, at All Souls, Marylebone, Maria-Jane-Elizabeth, 4th da. of his maternal uncle John-William (PONSONBY), 4th EARL OF BESSBOROUGH [I.], by Maria, da. of John (FANE), 10th EARL OF WESTMORLAND. She was *b.* 14 March 1819.

Family Estates. These, in 1883, consisted of 2,457 acres in co. Somerset (worth £7,433 a year) and 1,255 in Oxon. Total 3,712 acres worth £9,334 a year. *Principal Residence,* Langford House, near Lechlade.

DE MONTALT OF HAWARDEN and DE MONTALT OF DUNDRUM.

Barony [I.] SIR THOMAS MAUDE, 2d Bart. [I.], of Dundrum, co. Tipperary, 4th but 1st surv. s. and h. of Sir Robert Maude, Bart. [I.] of the same (so *cr.* 9 May 1705), by Eleanor, da. and h. of Francis CORNWALLIS of Albermarles, co. Carmarthen, *b.* about 1727; *suc.* his father 4 Aug. 1705; M.P. for co. Tipperary, 1761-76; Gov. of that County, 1770; was *cr.* 18 July 1776, BARON DE MONTALT^(d) OF HAWARDEN, co. Tipperary [I.] He *d.* unm. 17 May 1777, when his *peerage* became *extinct*, but the Baronetcy and estates devolved as under.

II. 1785. 1. SIR CORNWALLIS MAUDE, 3d Bart. [I.], *yst.* and only surv. br. and h. of the above, *bap.* 19 Sep. 1729; *suc.* to the family estates and Baronetcy [I.] in 1777; was, on 25 June 1785, *cr.* BARON DE MONTALT OF HAWARDEN, co. Tipperary [I.], and, on 10 June 1791, VISCOUNT HAWARDEN of Hawarden, co. Tipperary [I.] He *d.* 23 Aug. 1803.

III. 1803. 2. THOMAS RALPH (MAUDE), VISCOUNT HAWARDEN and BARON DE MONTALT OF HAWARDEN [I.], s. and h., *b.* 16 April 1767. He *d.* s.p., 26 Feb. 1807.

IV. 1807. 3. CORNWALLIS (MAUDE), VISCOUNT HAWARDEN and BARON DE MONTALT OF HAWARDEN [I.], br. and h., *b.* 28 March 1780. He *d.* 12 Oct. 1856.

V. 1856. 4 and 1. CORNWALLIS (MAUDE), VISCOUNT HAWARDEN and BARON DE MONTALT OF HAWARDEN [I.], only s. and h., *b.* 4 April 1817; REP. PEER [I.], 1862; *cr.* 9 Sep. 1886 EARL DE MONTALT OF DUNDRUM, co. Tipperary. See "HAWARDEN Viscounty [I.], *cr.* 1791, under the 4th Viscount.

(a) This was one of the eleven "Coronation Peerages." See, *ante*, vol. 11, p. 145, note "b," *sub* "CAREW."

(b) It was not till the reign of Geo. IV that the "fashion proceeded from reviving old names and titles to *inventing some that were entirely new* but formed on the antique pattern, like a modern Gothic castle." In 1826, Sir John Fleming Leicester was *cr.* "Lord de Tabley of Tabley House, a tautologous designation that was sufficiently unmeaning," in 1838, Mr. Ponsonby was *cr.* "Baron de Mauley of Canford," in allusion to an ancient Barony of which the owners, had they continued, would have been called *Mauley*, not *de Mauley*." See an article on "Surnames with the prefix *De*" in "*Her. and Gen.*," vol. 1, pp. 138-158, and see also, *ante*, p. 37, note "b."

(c) Through the families of Ashley-Cooper, Webb, Salvaine, and Mauley.

(d) Montalt (now corrupted into Mould) is the name of a hill in Flintshire, from

See fuller particulars under "HAWARDEN" Viscounty [I.], *cr.* 1791.

DENBIGH.

Barony.

I. 1564
to
1588.

SIR ROBERT DUDLEY, **K.G.**, *b.* 7 Sep. 1534, was on 28 Sep. 1564, *cr.* BARON OF DENBIGH with rem. to the *heirs of his body* and on the following day was *cr.* EARL OF LEICESTER with the usual limitation. See fuller particulars under that dignity. He *d.* *s.p.* legit. 4 Sep. 1588, when *all his honours* became extinct.^(a)

Earldom.

I. 1622.

1. WILLIAM FEILDING^(b) of Newnham Paddock in Monk's Kirby, co. Warwick, s. and h. of Basil F. of the same, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Walter Aston, of Tixall, co. Stafford, was *b.* about 1582; *ed.* at Eman. Coll., Cambridge; knighted 4 March 1606/7, at Whitehall; and, having *m.* about 1607, Susan, only sister of the whole blood to George, afterwards (1623-29) the celebrated DUKE OF BUCKINGHAM, da. of Sir George Villiers, by his 2d wife Mary, *suo jure*, COUNTESS OF BUCKINGHAM, obtained great favour at Court. On 30 Dec. 1620, he was *cr.* BARON OF NEWNHAM PADDOCKES, co. Warwick and VISCOUNT FEILDING,^(c) and on 14 Sep. 1622, EARL OF DENBIGH.^(c) He was master of the wardrobe, 1622, having been deputy master since 1619; was one of the attendants on the Prince of Wales at the Spanish Court in 1623; was *cr.* M.A. of Cambridge 3 March 1627; was an Admiral in several expeditions; a volunteer in Prince Rupert's horse, 1642, and being mortally wounded in a skirmish near Birmingham the 3d *d.* of his wounds^(d) 8 April 1643 and was *bur.* at Kirby. Admon. 8 June 1651, to a creditor. His wife was living 1631.^(e)

II. 1643.

2. BASIL (FEILDING), EARL OF DENBIGH, &c., 1st s. and h., *b.* about 1608, *styled* VISCOUNT FEILDING, 1622-43; *ed.* at Eman. Coll., Cambridge; **K.B.** 2 Feb. 1625/6, at the Coronation. He was sum. to the House of Lords, v.p. 21 and took his seat 24 March 1628/9 in his father's Barony, as LORD FEILDING OF NEWNHAM PADOX; was Ambassador to Venice, 1634-39. In opposition to his father, having joined the Parl. faction, he was, by them, made, v.p., in 1642, Lord Lieut. of co. Denbigh and co. Flint, and subsequently, 1643, Lord Lieut. of co. Warwick; was at the battle of Edgehill and was Col. of a Reg. of Horse in the Parl. army, Major-Gen. in command at Coventry and in several of the Midland Counties, &c., and in 1644 was one of the Parliamentary Commissioners to the King.^(f) As, however, he concurred in the restoration he was, 2 Feb. 1663/4, *cr.* BARON ST. LIZ,^(g) with a spec. rem. failing the heirs male of his

which, also the family of Montalt, Lords of Hawarden Castle (one of whom is said to have been one of the Barons of Hugh Lupus, Earl of Chester in 1070), derived their name. From *Montalt* [though, perhaps, *Monhault*] by "a remarkable contraction" [see Lower's "*Family names*"], we arrive at *Maude*.

^(a) His infant s. and h. ap. who *d.* v.p. 19 July 1584, is styled, on his mon. at St. Mary's, Warwick, "the noble impe, Robert of Dudley, *Baron of Denbigh*."

^(b) His ancestor Geoffrey Feilding, of Misterton, co. Leic., is said to have styled himself in a letter, 11 June (1316), 9 Ed. II, "filius Galfridi, filii Galfridi, Comitiss de Hapsburgh et Domini Laufenburgh et Rin *felden* in Germania," and to have accordingly taken the name of *Felden*, having pretension to that dignity. No mention, however, of this illustrious origin is made in the Heralds' Visitations.

^(c) See "Creations 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D. K. Pub. Records. The patent of 1662 declares the grant to be "ob generis claritatem et *nuptias* admodum honorandas sed *precipue* ob *eximiam* virtutem et erga nos et coronam nostram fidem."

^(d) See "the Loyalists Bloody Roll," vol. 1, p. 194, note "c," *sub* "AUBIGNY." See also Lord Clarendon's character of him.

^(e) It would (almost) appear from a letter of Charles II to Henry Bennet dat. at Cologne 8 June 1655, that she had died there recently.

^(f) His somewhat despicable character is set forth by Clarendon, who gives him credit for "much greater parts than either of the other three" commissioners. It appears that he said he would most willingly "serve the King *signally* but that to lose himself without any benefit to the King he would decline."

^(g) It is difficult to imagine what amount of dignity was considered as being thereby gained as he had already a Barony of more ancient date vested in him. One of his ancestors had *m.* Agnes da. and h. of John Seyton which name is said to be the same as that of St. Liz, the last name having been the patronymic of the (early) Earls of Northampton and Huntingdon in the 12th century.

body to those of his father. He *m.* firstly Anne, da. of Richard (WESTON), 1st EARL OF PORTLAND, by his 2d wife, Frances, da. and coheir of Nicholas WALDEGRAVE. She *d.* at Venice 10 March 1634/5. He *m.* secondly 12 Aug. 1639, Barbara, da. and h. of Sir John LAMB, of Rothwell, co. Northampton, Dean of the Court of Arches, by Anne, 1st da. of Sir Thomas CROMPTON, Dr. of Law, and Barbara his wife. She *d.* 2 and was *bur.* 3 April 1641, in Westm. Abbey. He *m.* thirdly 8 July 1641, at Willesden, Midx., Elizabeth, 1st da. and coheir of Edward (BOURCHIER), 4th EARL OF BATH, by Dorothy, da. of Oliver (St. JOHN), 3d BARON ST. JOHN OF BLETSO. She *d.* 22 Sep. 1670. He *m.* fourthly, Dorothy, da. of Francis LANE, of Glendon by Rothwell, co. Northampton. He *d.* s.p., at Dunstable, 28 Nov. 1675, and was *bur.* at Monk's Kirby. Admon. 29 April 1676. His widow *m.* Sir John JAMES and was *bur.* 23 Nov. 1709, at St. Giles in the fields, Midx.

III. 1675. 3. WILLIAM (FEILDING), EARL OF DENBIGH, VISCOUNT FEILDING, BARON OF NEWNHAM PADDOCKES, and BARON ST. LIZ (to which last dignity he *suc.* under the spec. rem. in the creation thereof) also EARL OF DESMOND, VISCOUNT CALLAN, and BARON FEILDING OF LECAGHE [I.], nephew and h., being s. and h. of George, EARL OF DESMOND, &c. [I.] who was next br. to Basil, Earl of Denbigh, above named. He was *b.* 29 Dec. 1640, and *regd.* at Heston, Midx.; *styled* VISCOUNT CALLAN till 31 Jan. 1665/6, when he *suc.* his father as EARL OF DESMOND [I.], taking his seat [I.] in 1666. He *suc.* his uncle in the English peerages in 1675 as *afsd.* Was deputy Lord Lieut. for co. Warwick 1682-85. He *m.* firstly, Mary, widow of Sir William MEREDYTH, 1st Bart. [I.] sister of John, 1st BARON KINGSTON [I.], da. of Sir Robert KING, Muster Master Gen. [I.], by his 1st wife Frances, da. of Henry (FOLLIOTT), 1st BARON FOLLIOTT OF BALLYSHANNON [I.]. She was *bur.* 12 Sep. 1669, at St. Michan's, Dublin. He *m.* secondly Mary, da. of Henry (CAREY), 2d EARL OF MONMOUTH, by Martha, da. of Lionel (CRANFIELD), EARL OF MIDDLESEX. He *d.* 23 Aug. 1685, at Canonbury House, Islington, Midx., and was *bur.* at Monks' Kirby. Will pr. Sep. 1685. His widow *d.* s.p. 9 Dec. 1719, and was carried away the 16th from St. Giles in the fields. Will pr. Dec. 1719.

IV. 1685. 4. BASIL (FEILDING), EARL OF DENBIGH, &c., also EARL OF DESMOND, &c. [I.], s. and h. by 1st wife, *b.* at Kilkenny in Ireland 1668, *styled* Viscount Feilding 1675-85; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 15 May 1685, and then aged 17. being *cr.* D.C.L. 9 Nov. 1695; Col. of a Reg. of Dragoons and Master of the Horse to Prince George of Denmark 1694-97; Lord Lieut. of co. Leicester 1703-06 and 1711-14; Lord Lieut. of co. Denbigh; one of the Tellers of the Exchequer, 1713-17. He *m.* 22 June 1695 (lic. Fac. office, he aged 26 and she 18) Hester, da. [whose issue in 1759 became heir] of Sir Basil FIREBRACE, 1st Bart., by Elizabeth, da. of Thomas HOUGH, of London, merchant. He *d.* 18 March 1716/7. Admon. 9 May 1717.^(a) His widow *d.* 1 Jan. 1725/6. Admon. 7 July 1726 to a creditor.

V. 1717. 5. WILLIAM (FEILDING), EARL OF DENBIGH, &c., also EARL OF DESMOND, &c. [I.], s. and h., *b.* 26 Oct. 1697, *styled* VISCOUNT FEILDING till 1717; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 17 Dec. 1715. He *m.* about 1718 Isabella, da. of Peter DE JONGE, of Utrecht, in Holland. He *d.* 2 Aug. 1755. Will pr. 1755. His widow *d.* 16 May 1769, and was *bur.* at Teddington, Midx., aged 76. M.I. Her will pr. 1769.

VI. 1755. 6. BASIL (FEILDING), EARL OF DENBIGH, &c., also EARL OF DESMOND, &c. [I.], only s. and h., *b.* 3 Jan. 1719, *styled* VISCOUNT FEILDING till 1755; P.C. 1760 to Geo. II and 1761 to Geo. III; Cupbearer at the Coronation 22 Sep. 1761; Master of the Foxhounds 1761-82; a Lord of the Bedchamber 1763-1800. He *m.* firstly 12 April 1757 at Biggleswade, Beds, Mary, 3d da. and coheir of Sir John Bruce COTTON, 6th and last Bart., by Jane, da. of Sir Robert BURDETT, Bart. She *d.* at East Sheen, Surrey, 14 Oct. 1782. He *m.*

^(a) His character when over 40 years old, as given by Macky, is as under:—"Is a Gent. of good nature, but is one of the greatest drinkers in England; he is tall, fat, and very black."

secondly 21 July 1783, Sarah, widow of Sir Charles HALFORD, 7th and last Bart., da of Edward FARNHAM, of Quorndon House, co. Leicester. He *d.* 14 July 1800. Will pr. Sep. 1800. His widow *d.* s.p. 2 Oct. 1814. Will pr. 1815.

[WILLIAM-ROBERT FEILDING, *styled* VISCOUNT FEILDING, 1st s. and h. ap. *b.* 15 June 1760, an officer in the army, becoming eventually Major-Gen. In 1794 he raised the 22d Reg. of Dragoons; was *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford 3 July 1793; M.P. for Beeralston 1780-90; for Newport, co. Cornwall, 1790-96. He *m.* 26 April 1791, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Anne Catharine, da. of Thomas-Jelf POWIS, of Berwick House, Salop, and Moreton Hall, co. Chester. He *d.* v.p. 8 Aug 1799. Will pr. April 1800. His widow *d.* 1 Jan. 1852, at Rossall, near Shrewsbury, aged 80. Her will pr. March 1852].

VII. 1800. 7. WILLIAM-BASIL-PERCY (FEILDING), EARL OF DENBIGH, &c., also EARL OF DESMOND, &c. [I.], grandson and h., being 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. of William-Robert FEILDING, *styled* VISCOUNT FEILDING, and Anne-Catharine his wife above named; *b.* 25 March 1796, at Berwick House afsd.; *styled* VISCOUNT FEILDING, 1799-1800; *ed.* at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.A. 1816; *cr.* D.C.L., Oxford, 19 Oct. 1835; a Lord of the Bedchamber 1830-33; P.C. 1833; G.C.H. (Civil) 1833; Chamberlain to Adelaide, the Queen Consort, 1833; Master of the Horse, 1834-49, to the said Queen, both as Consort and Dowager. He *m.* 8 May 1822, Mary-Elizabeth Kitty, 1st da. of Thomas (MORETON), 1st EARL OF DUCIE, by Frances, da. of Henry (HERBERT), 1st EARL OF CARNARVON. She who was *b.* 14 Dec. 1798, *d.* 16 Dec. 1842, in her 44th year at Eaton Place, Midx. He *d.* 25 June 1865, aged 69 at Hampstead, Midx.

VIII. 1865. 8. RUDOLPH-WILLIAM-BASIL (FEILDING), EARL OF DENBIGH, [1622] VISCOUNT FEILDING, BARON FEILDING OF NEWNHAM PADDOCKES [1620] and BARON ST. LIZ [1664] also EARL OF DESMOND, VISCOUNT CALLAN, and BARON FEILDING OF LECAGHE [1622] in the peerage of Ireland, s. and h., *b.* 9 April 1823 at Woodchester Park, co. Glouc.; *styled* VISCOUNT FEILDING till 1865; *ed.* at Eton and at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.A. 1884; High Sheriff of co. Flint, 1850; Hon. Col. 1st Batt. Flintshire Rifle Volunteers, 1860. He *m.* firstly 18 June 1846 at St. Nicholas, Brighton, Louisa, da. and h. of David PENNANT, of Downing and Bychton, co. Flint, by Emma, da. of Robert (BRUDENELL), 6th EARL OF CARDIGAN. She *d.* 1 May 1853, aged 24. He *m.* secondly 29 Sep. 1857, Mary, 4th da. of Robert BERKELEY, of Spetchley Park, co. Worcester, by Henrietta-Sophia, da. and coheir of Paul BENFIELD. She was *b.* 15 Aug. 1833.

[RUDOLPH-ROBERT-BASIL-ALOYSIUS-AUGUSTINE FEILDING, *styled* VISCOUNT FEILDING, 1st s. and h. ap. by 1st wife, *b.* 26 May 1859, at Downing, co. Flint, *ed.* at Oscott Coll. and at the Mil. Acad., Woolwich; Captain Royal Horse Artillery; A.D.C. to the Lord Lieut. of Ireland, 1887. He *m.* 24 Sep. 1884, at the Roman Catholic Chapel, Ugbrook, Devon, Cecilia-Mary, 6th da. of Charles-Hugh (CLIFFORD), 8th BARON CLIFFORD OF CHUDLEIGH, by Agnes-Louisa-Catharine, da. of William-Henry-Francis (PETRE), 11th BARON PETRE OF WRITTLE. She was *b.* 11 Aug. 1860].

Family Estates. These in 1883 consisted of 370 acres in Leicestershire and 2,848 in Flintshire. Total 3,218 acres worth £6,340 a year. *Principal Residence*, Newnham Paddox, near Lutterworth, co. Leicester.

DENMAN OF DOVEDALE.

Barony. 1. THOMAS DENMAN, only s; of Thomas Denman, 1. 1834. M.D., one of the Court Physicians, by Elizabeth, da. of Alexander BRODIE, of St. James, Westm., was *b.* 23 Feb. 1779, in Queen street,^(a) Golden Square, was *ed.* at Eton and at St. John's Coll., Cambridge; B.A. 1800; M.A. 1803; entered Linc. Inn and became a pupil to Charles Butler and Mr. Tidd^(b) and, after practising as a special pleader, was called to the Bar 9 May 1806,

^(a) This street has been named "Denman street" in his honour.

^(b) See vol. ii, p. 130, note "a," *sub* "CAMPBELL."

joining the Midland Circuit and Lincoln Sessions; M.P. for Wareham 1818-20; for Nottingham 1820-26 and again 1830-32, "distinguishing himself by the boldness with which he attacked abuses and in particular by advocating the necessity of an amelioration of the criminal^(a) law." On the accession of Geo. IV, the Queen Consort (Caroline) appointed Brougham her Attorney Gen. and Denman her Solicitor Gen., who, as such, took a principal part in her trial.^(b) "The immense popularity which attached to all who were engaged on behalf of that Lady brought Mr. Denman into public notice."^(c) In 1822 he was elected Common Serjeant of London; in 1828 King's Council; in 1830 (under the Grey Ministry) Attorney Gen. being knighted, 1 Dec. 1830; and in Nov. 1832, Chief Justice of the King's Bench,^(d) being, on 28 March 1834, *cr.* BARON DENMAN OF DOVEDALE, co. Derby. In consequence of the illness of the Lord Chancellor Cottenham, he presided as Lord High Steward, 16 Feb. 1841, at the trial of the Earl of Cardigan. Early in 1850, after 18 years office, he from ill health resigned his post. He *m.* 18 Oct. 1804, at Saxby, co. Lincoln, Theodosia Anne, 1st da. of the Rev. Richard VEVERS, Rector of Kettering, co. Northampton, by Theodosia Dorothy, da. of the Rev. Sir William ANDERSON, 6th Bart. of Lea, co. Lincoln. She, who was *b.* 21 Nov. 1779, *d.* 28 June 1852, at Parslaves, Essex. He *d.* 22 Sep. 1854, in his 76th year at Stoke Albany, co. Northampton.^(e) Will pr. Oct. 1854.

^(a) Foss's "Judges."

^(b) In this trial, Aug. 1820 "nearly the whole talent of the Bar was engaged, and of the 11 Counsel who appeared, six on one side and five on the other, no less than ten, were afterwards elevated to high legal distinction." See Foss's "Judges," *sub* "Denman." "In so far as the Bar was concerned the contest was a battle of Giants, Sir Robert Gifford, Attorney Gen. [afterwards Lord Gifford and Chief Justice of the Common Pleas] Copley, the Sol. Gen. [afterwards Lord Lyndhurst and Lord Chancellor] with *Dr. Adams*, and *Mr. Parke* [afterwards Lord Wensleydale and one of the Barons of the Court of Exchequer] appeared in support of the bill; *Mr. Brougham* the Queen's Attorney Gen. [afterwards Lord Brougham and Lord Chancellor], *Mr. Denman*, the Queen's Sol. Gen. [afterwards Lord Denman and Ch. Justice of the King's Bench], *Dr. Lushington* [the Rt. Hon. Stephen Lushington, D.C.L., Judge of the High Court of Admiralty 1838-67; *d.* 19 Jany. 1873, in 91st year] *Mr. Williams* [Sir John Williams, one of the Justices of the Court of King's Bench 1834-46] *Mr. Tindal* [the Rt. Hon. Sir Nicholas Conyngham Tindal, Ch. Justice of the Court of Common Pleas 1829-46] and *Mr. Wilde* [afterwards Lord Truro and Lord Chancellor] appeared for the Queen. With the exception of *Dr. Adams* [William Adams, LL.D., Advocate, Doctors Commons, from 1799 to 1825, when he retired from ill health tho' he survived till (his 80th year) 11 June 1851], they *all* subsequently obtained Judicial dignity, three of them becoming Lord Chancellors." See Martin's "Life of Lord Lyndhurst," p. 183, in which work, however, among the *five* (for *such*, not *four*, was their number) counsel for the King, the name of Sir Christopher ROBINSON, King's Advocate General, is omitted. He, however, was no exception, being from 1828 to his death in 1833, Judge of the High Court of Admiralty.

^(c) See "Annual Reg." for 1854. The popular excitement, however, soon flagged, and "before the close of the year, everybody was becoming tired of the Queen and her case. The tone of the public mind was cleverly expressed in an epigram written on the [to his side singularly] *malapropos* passage which concluded Mr. Denman's speech for the Queen, in which he begged the House to tell her [in the words used some 1800 years previously to a woman taken in adultery] to *go and sin no more* :—

"Most Gracious Queen, we thee implore,
To go away and *sin no more* ;
But, if that effort be too great,
To go away at any rate."

See "*The Croker papers*" as quoted in a review thereof in "*The Athenæum*," 25 Oct. 1884. Mr. Denman's comparison of this mature and reckless Queen to Octavia, the innocent and virgin bride of Nero (by implication involving a comparison of George IV to that Tyrant) was equally unfortunate and much more inappropriate.

^(d) *Sic*, not Chief Justice of England as wrongly stated in Block's "Tables." See vol. 11, p. 331, note "c," *sub* "Coleridge."

^(e) "As a Barrister he was not distinguished for the variety and depth of his legal knowledge; he owed his success to other qualities than those of the mere lawyer. In

- II. 1854. 2. THOMAS (DENMAN, afterwards AITCHISON-DENMAN),
 BARON DENMAN OF DOVEDALE, 1st s. and h., b. 30 July 1805, ed. at
 Eton and at Brasenose Coll., Oxford, matric. 17 May 1823; Barrister (Linc. Inn)
 1833, and sometime associate to his father, when Ch. Justice of the Queen's Bench.
 He m. firstly 12 Aug. 1829, at Lincoln, Georgina, da. of the Rev. Thomas ROE by
 Catherine-Sarah, sister of Major-Gen. Sir Howard ELPHINSTONE, 1st Bart. She d.
 25 April 1871, at Stony Middleton. He m. secondly, 10 Oct. 1871, at Haddington,
 Marion, 1st da. and coheir of James AITCHISON, of Alderston, co. Haddington, by
 Janet RENNIE, his wife. By royal lic. 20 Dec. 1876, he took the name of *Aitchison*
 before that of *Denman* under the will of his wife's mother above named.

Family Estates...These, in 1883, were under 2,000 acres.

DENNINGTON.

See "ROUS OF DENNINGTON, co. Suffolk," Barony (*Rous*), *cr.* 1796.

DENNISTOUN.

SIR ROBERT DENNISTOUN, Sheriff of Lennox and Keeper of the
 Castle of Dunbarton, who d. s.p.m., in 1399, is often spoken of as LORD
 DENNISTOUN [S.], but cannot, however, be considered as having acquired a
 peerage Barony.

DENNY DE WALTHAM.

- Barony by 1. SIR EDWARD DENNY, was sum. to Parl. as a Baron
 Writ. (LORD DENNY DE WALTHAM), by writs from 27 Oct. (1604),
 2 Jac. I, to 17 May (1625), 1 Car. I, directed "*Edwardo Denny de*
 I. 1604. *Waltham, Ch'r.*" On 26 Oct., he was *cr.* EARL OF NORWICH.
 See fuller particulars under that dignity. He d. s.p.m., 27 Sep. 1637,
 when the *Earldom* became *extinct*, but the Barony devolved as under.
- II. 1637, 2. JAMES (HAY), EARL OF CARLISLE, VISCOUNT DON-
 to CASTER, LORD DENNY DE WALTHAM, &c., grandson and h., being s.
 1660. and h., James (HAY), 1st EARL OF CARLISLE, by his 1st wife, Honora,
 only child of Edward (DENNY), LORD DENNY DE WALTHAM above
 named, which Honora, d. v.p., in or before 1617. He was b. about
 1605, and had *suc.* his father, 25 April 1636, as EARL OF CARLISLE, &c. He d. s.p.
 30 Oct. 1660, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. For fuller particulars, see
 "CARLISLE," *Earldom of*, *cr.* 1622; *ex.* 1660, *sub* the 2d Earl.

DERAMORE OF BELVOIR.

- Barony. 1. SIR THOMAS BATESON, 2d Bart., of Belvoir Park,
 I. 1885. and of Moira Park, both in the county of Down, 2d but 1st surv.
 s. and h. of Sir Robert Bateson, Bart., of Belvoir Park afsd. (*cr.* a
 Baronet 18 Dec. 1818) by Catharine, yst. da. of Samuel DICKSON of
 Ballynaguile, co. Limerick, was b. 4 June 1819; sometime Capt. 30th Light Dragoons;
 M.P. for co. Londonderry, 1844-47; for Devizes, 1864-85; junior Lord of the Treasury,
 Feb. to Dec. 1852, and having *suc.* his father, 21 April 1863, in the Baronetcy and
 family estates was *cr.* 18 Nov. 1885, BARON DERAMORE OF BELVOIR, co.
 Down, with a *spec. rem.*, failing the heir male of his body, "to his br. George-
 William BATESON-DE-YARBURGH, Esq." He m. 24 Feb. 1849 at St. James, Padding-
 ton, Caroline-Elizabeth-Anne, 2d da. of George-Rice (RICE-TREVOR), BARON

him the *man* always triumphed over the *advocate*. He was all sincerity and fervour;
 his manner was popular; his fine musical and powerful voice and easy manner of
 speaking were great recommendations; his appearance strikingly prepossessing, his
 figure tall and his head of fine and noble expression, &c." See "Annual Reg." for
 1854.

DINEVOR, by Frances, da. of Lord Charles FITZROY. She, who was *b.* 17 Aug. 1827, *d.* 12 Aug. 1887, at 12 Grosvenor Place, Midx.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 7,762 acres in co. Londonderry, 6,400 in co. Down (these last worth £9,411 a year) 284 in co. Antrim, and 2,927 in co. Limerick. Total 17,373 acres, worth £14,888 a year. *Principal Residence*, Belvoir Park, near Belfast.

DE RAMSEY OF RAMSEY ABBEY.

Barony.
I. 1887. 1. EDWARD FELLOWES of Ramsey Abbey, co. Huntingdon, and Haverland Hall, co. Norfolk, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. of William Henry F. of the same, by Emma, da. of Richard BENYON of Englefield House, Berks; *b.* 14 May 1809, *ed.* at Charterhouse, sometime Lieut. 15th Hussars, *suc.* his father 25 Aug. 1837, M.P. for co. Huntingdon 1837-80, was *cr.*, 8 July 1887, BARON DE RAMSEY^(a) OF RAMSEY ABBEY, co. Huntingdon.^(b) He *m.* 22 July 1845, Mary-Julia, 1st da. of George John (MILLES), 4th BARON SONDES OF LEES COURT, by Eleanor, da. of Sir Edward KNATCHBULL, Bart. He *d.* 9 Aug. 1887 after a long illness, at 3 Belgrave Square, Midx., five weeks after his creation; *bur.* at Ramsey. Will *pr.* above £134,000. His widow was *b.* 8 Oct. 1825 and living 1890.

II. 1887. 2. WILLIAM-HENRY (FELLOWES), BARON DE RAMSEY OF RAMSEY ABBEY, s. and h., *b.* 16 May 1848, *ed.* at Eton; Lieut. 1st Life Guards 1867; Capt. 1872-77; M.P. for co. Huntingdon 1880-85 and for the Ramsey division 1885-87; one of the Lords in Waiting, 1890. He *m.* 12 July 1877, at St. James, Westm., Rosamond-Jane-Frances, 2d da. of John Winston (SPENCER-CHURCHILL), DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH, by Frances-Anne-Emily, da. of Charles-William (VANE), 3d MARQUESS OF LONDONDERRY [I.] She was *b.* 9 Nov. 1851.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 15,629 acres in co. Huntingdon, 4,083 in Norfolk, and 309 in co. Cambridge. Total 20,021 acres, worth £26,203 a year. *Principal Residence*, Ramsey Abbey, co. Huntingdon.

DERBY [County of].

Earldom.
I. 1138. 1. ROBERT DE FERRARIIS, FERRARS or FERRERS, 3d son of Henry de Ferrers (by Bertha, his wife) one of the companions of William the Conqueror (being s. of his guardian, Walkeline, Seigneur de Ferrierres^(c) in Normandy) was *b.* before 1083; *suc.* his 2d br. Engenulf, before 1136 in the honour of Tutbury, co. Stafford, and in above 200 Lordships in divers counties (of which 114 were in Derbyshire), distinguished himself greatly as "*Robert de Tutbury*" in command of the Derbyshire forces at the battle of

(^a) This is one of the *modern antiques* of the 19th century, framed on the same model as "*De Tabley of Tabley House*." See, *ante*, p. 37, note "b," under "*De Grey*" for some remarks on the prefix "*de*."

(^b) He was one of the eight "*Jubilee*" Barons *cr.* that month. See list of these vol. ii, p. 238, note "a," under "*Cheylesmore*."

(^c) See an article in the "*Brit. Arch. Ass.*" (1851), vol. vii, p. 220, by J. R. Planche, on "*The Armorial bearings of the families of Ferrers and Peverel*," in which that able and amusing writer remarks that tho' he does "*not charge the ancient Heralds with having forged the horse-shoes of De Ferrers*," it is more probable that it was by the match with MARSHALL, that "*the horse-shoe pinches*." It must be noted that the Peverell connection, therein alluded to is renounced by the author, some years later in his "*The Conqueror*." See *infra*, p. 65, note "g."

(^d) As the holders of other earlier Earldoms were frequently styled Earls of various places according to their chief residence, &c.; the earlier Earls of Derby having resided chiefly at Tutbury Castle, were not unfrequently styled EARLS OF TUTBURY; being still more frequently, from their surname, styled EARLS DE FERRERS. See also p. 65, note "f."

the Standard at Northallerton 22 Aug. 1138, against the Scotch and is said to have been *cr.* EARL OF DERBY^(d) in that year by King Stephen.^(e) He *m.* Hawise DE VITRE. He *d.* 1139.

II. 1139. 2. ROBERT (FERRERS), EARL OF DERBY, OR EARL DE FERRERS (*de Ferrariis*), or, according to some, EARL OF NOTTINGHAM, 3d but only surv. s. and h., *b.* before 1101. He styled himself "*Robertus Comes junior de Ferrariis*," and likewise "*Robertus Comes junior de Nottingham*."^(f) He was Founder of Bredon Priory, co. Leicester in 1144, &c. He is said by some^(g) to have *m.* Margaret, da. and h. of William PEVEREL, Lord of the honour of Nottingham, who was dispossessed thereof in 1155. He became a monk before 1159 (when his lands were in the King's hands); was living 16 April 1161, but *d.* before 1163 and was *bur.* at Merevale Abbey, co. Warwick which he had founded.

III. 1162? 3. WILLIAM (FERRERS), EARL OF DERBY, OR EARL DE FERRERS,^(h) s. and h., under age in 1159. He appears to have joined

(e) "John, Prior of Hexham, the continuator of Simon, the Monk of Durham, says that Stephen, elated with his successes after the Battle of the Standard, gave to Robert de Ferrers the Earldom of Derby, at the same time that he bestowed the County of York on William de Albemarle." [Courthope].

(f) "Until the reign of King Ric. II, no charter or patent of creation to the Earldom of this county [NOTTINGHAM] is on record. William Peverel, a natural son of William the Conqueror, obtained the *Lordship* of Nottingham, which passed, *by an heir female* [*sed query*] to the Ferrers, Earls of Derby, who are sometimes, tho' erroneously styled Earls of Nottingham. John, afterwards King of England, received a grant of the County and Castle of Nottingham, but the first person who was regularly *cr.* Earl of this county was [in] 1377" [Nicolas]. "Robert, 2d Earl of Derby, styled himself *Comes junior de Nottingham* from which he has been styled *Earl of Nottingham*, altho' the style conveys no such meaning" [Courthope, *sub* "Nottingham."] The subject is intricate, but probably a *residence* at Nottingham (which was only a *Lordship*) would, as in the case of Tutbury, account for the style of *Comes de Nottingham*. The counties of Derby and Nottingham had but one Sheriff till 10 Eliz., so that (like as in the case of Dorset and Somerset) the style of *either* county might appertain to him who had the third penny from *both*.

(g) By (*inter alios*) Mr. James Doyle in his "*Official Baronage*," and if *any* Earl (Ferrers), of Derby, is to be credited with such a wife (and this wife has been attributed to *several*), this Earl is as likely to have been her husband, as any. It is, however, far more probable that this Margaret Peverel *never had any existence*, and that the Peverel estates came to the Ferrers family thro' the match of the 5th Earl with Agnes, sister and coheir of Randolph, Earl of Chester, grandson of Randolph, Earl of Chester, the grantee thereof. See this matter ably discussed in Planche's "*The Conqueror and his companions*," vol. ii, pp. 66-73, *sub* "Ferrers."

(h) The names and succession of these Earls (distinguished chiefly for disloyalty and for the incurable treason of the last of them) is most obscure. That given in the text is the one thought to be the most probable by Mr. Eyton (the well-known historian of Shropshire) and is confirmed by the chartulary of Tutbury, in which "ROBERT [VI], s. and h. of WILLIAM [V], formerly Earl of Derby, confirmed in 1260, the grants of HENRY, the *Founder*, and of ROBERT [I], and of another ROBERT [II], and of WILLIAM [III], and of another WILLIAM [IV], who was my grandfather, and of WILLIAM [V], my father." *Ex inform.* E. Chester Waters.

"Dugdale," "Nicolas," and "Courthope," make no less than *four* (instead of but *two*) Earls follow Robert, the 2d Earl, in the 26 years elapsing between 1164 and 1190, *viz.*: (1) WILLIAM, living 1164 and 1167; (2) ROBERT, living 1172; (3) WILLIAM, who *d.* 1190, and (4) WILLIAM, invested 1191. It seems, however, far more probable that the *William, living* in 1164 was he who *d.* in 1190, and that it was, *by mistake*, he was, sometimes, during that interval, spoken of as *Robert*. Mr. Chester Waters writes thus, "He [*i.e.* the Earl] is called *Robert* in Benedict's account of the burning of Nottingham. There is a charter, however, to Lenton Priory, in which Earl *William* grants for the souls of those who were with him at the burning of Nottingham. He calls himself *Robert* in his grant to Dore Abbey, for the soul of his wife, Sybil *de*

the French party against the King in 1173, but subsequently was forced to surrender his castles of Tutbury and Duffield to the crown, which were demolished. He was deprived of his Earldom and other honours by King Richard I, but apparently restored within a few months. He *m.* Sybilla, da. of William DE BRAOSE, of Brecknock and Abergavenny, by Bertha, da. of Milo (DE GLOUCESTER), EARL OF HEREFORD. He took the Cross, 1187, becoming a Crusader, 1190, and *d.* in Palestine, before Acre, 21 Oct. 1190. His widow, Sybil, was living 1224.

IV. 1190. 4. WILLIAM (FERRERS), EARL OF DERBY, OR EARL DE FERRERS, s. and h. He was one of the four Peers who held the canopy at the second Coronation, 17 April 1194, of King Richard I, being also present at that of King John, who by charter 7 June 1199, confirmed him in the *Earldom of Derby*,^(a) granting him the 3d penny of that county.^(b) He also obtained the manors of Higham-Ferrers, Blisworth, and Newbottle, co. Northampton, &c. He was present at the Coronation of Hen. III; and was a Crusader 1218-20; Sheriff of co. Lancaster 1224-27, &c. He *m.*, in 1192, Agnes one of the four sisters and coheirs^(c) of Randolph (DE BLONDEVILLE), EARL OF CHESTER, da. of Hugh (DE KEVELIOC), EARL OF CHESTER, by Bertrada, da. of Simon, COUNT D'EVREUX. By her he acquired the manor of Chartley, co. Stafford, and all the lands between the rivers Ribble and Mersey, &c.^(d) He *d.* 22 Sep. 1247.^(e) His widow *d.* a few weeks later in Oct. 1247.

V. 1247. 5. WILLIAM (FERRERS), EARL OF DERBY, OR EARL DE FERRERS, s. and h., *b.* before 1200; Envoy to France June, 1225; invested with the Earldom, 2 Feb. 1248; inheriting also Chartley and other the estates of his mother. He *m.* firstly^(f) Sybilla, fourth of the five daughters of (whose issue became coheirs to) William (MARSHALL), EARL OF PEMBROKE, by Isabel, da. and h. of Richard (DE CLARE), Earl of Pembroke. He *m.* secondly Margaret, da. and coheir of Roger (DE QUINCY), EARL OF WINCHESTER, by his 1st wife Helen, 1st da. and coheir of Alan, LORD OF GALLOWAY [S]. He *d.* 24 March 1253/4, at St. Neots, co. Huntingdon, from a fall from his chariot, which conveyance, owing to constant gout, he from his youth had continually to use: *bur.* in Merivale Abbey. His widow, who brought him the Lordship of Groby,^(g) co. Leicester, *d.* 1294.

Braose, mother of, his son and heir, William, (*Mon.* V, 553). He calls himself, however, *William* again, in his Charter to Bredon Priory, which he made, in 1189, on his way to the Crusades. His widow, Sybil, was living 1218-24 (*Testa* 188)."

(a) Sandford (p. 82) says that "the counties of Corwall, Dorset, and Somerset, Nottingham, Derby, and Lancaster," were, *inter alia*, bestowed by Richard I [in 1189] on his br. John, afterwards, 1199, *King John* but at that time Earl of Gloucester. John does not appear, however, to have been thence considered EARL OF DERBY (or Nottingham) tho' according to Vincent (p. 474) "divers good authorities might be produced to prove King John to have been EARL OF SOMERSET" (or Dorset), while Brooke (*uncontradicted* by Vincent) allows him to be EARL OF LANCASTER and EARL OF CORNWALL, and it is also stated by Nicolas (*sub* "Cornwall") that "he bore the title of Earl of Cornwall during the lifetime of King Richard I."

(b) "Being solemnly *cr.* EARL OF DERBY by a spec. charter, then *dat.* at Northampton he was girt with a sword by the King's own hands (being the first of whom in any charter that expression was used) having likewise thereby a grant of the third penny of all the pleas impleaded before the Sheriff throughout that whole county whereof he was Earl to hold to him and his heirs in as ample a manner as any of his ancestors enjoyed the same." [Dugdale]

(c) See their names, &c. in vol. ii, p. 225, note "a," *sub* "Chester."

(d) The claim of the Earls (Ferrers) of Derby to the lands of William Peverel (forfeited in 1155) was probably through this match. See, *ante*, p. 65 note "g," *circa finem*.

(e) "Ætate fere centenarius" [M. Paris].

(f) There were no less than seven daughters of this first marriage, all of whom married and had issue, and became coheirs to their mother in her share of the vast estates of the family of Marshall, Earls of Pembroke.

(g) This Lordship was inherited by her *second* son William Ferrers, whose s. and h. another William Ferrers was *sum.* to Parl. as a Baron in 1300 and was ancestor of the Lords Ferrers *de Groby* which Barony devolved in 1445 to the family of Grey and was forfeited (with the Dukedom of Suffolk) in 1554.

- VI. 1254, 6. ROBERT (FERRERS), EARL OF DERBY, or EARL DE
to FERRERS, s. and h., *b.* about 1241; as soon as he was of full age took
1266. an active part against the King in the Barons' rebellion, plundering
Worcester, &c. He sat in (Montfort's) Parl. of 1264 and was at the
battles of Lewes and Evesham on the side of the rebels. After
submission and pardon by spec. pat. 5 Dec. 1265 (inasmuch as he had been excepted
from the terms of the *dictum* of Kenilworth) he again rebelled and was defeated at
the battle of Chesterfield early in 1266, taken prisoner to London and "in the Parl.
held the same year [1266] was *totally disherited*,"^(a) whereby his *Earldom* became
forfeited. In March 1268/9 an agreement was made whereby he was allowed to
retain Chartly^(b) in Staffordshire and Holbrooke in Derbyshire, yielding up Tutbury
and all other his lands and honours. He *m.* firstly (he being 9 and she 8 years old)
before 6 Feb. 1253, Marie, da. of Hugh Le Brun, COUNT OF ANGOULEME in France, who
was br. of the half-blood (*ex parte materna*) to King Henry III. He *m.* secondly,
Eleanor, "da. as some say to Ralph, LORD BASSET."^(a) He *d.* in or before 1279. His
widow was living 1281.

[The vast estates forfeited by the above Earl, including the Honour of Derby, were 12 July 1266, conferred on the King's yst. s. Edmund (PLANTAGENET), styled "Crouchback," EARL OF LANCASTER and EARL OF LEICESTER. This Edmund is, accordingly, sometimes spoken of as EARL OF DERBY also, but "really had nothing of the title of Earl of Derby."^(c) His s. and h. Thomas, styles himself, "Earl of Lancaster, Leicester and Ferrers" (which last must be taken as equivalent to *Earl of Derby*), on 12 Feb. 1301. This Earl was beheaded 22 March 1322, when, being attainted, *all his honours* became *forfeited*.]

- VII. 1337. 1. HENRY (PLANTAGENET), LORD DE LANCASTRE, s. and
h. ap. of Henry, EARL OF LANCASTER (which last named Henry was
2d s., but eventually h. of Edmund, Earl of Lancaster, sometimes called *Earl of Derby*, as above stated, the yst. son of King Henry III), was *b.* about 1299; was
sum. v.p. to Parl., in his father's Barony, as LORD DE LANCASTRE, by writ 3 Feb.
(1334/5), 9 Ed. III, and was 16 March 1336/7, *cr.* EARL OF DERBY, "to hold to
him and his heirs." On his father's death 22 Sep. 1345, he suc. him as EARL OF
LANCASTER, &c. He was *cr.* EARL OF LINCOLN, 20 Aug. 1349 and on 6 March 1351/2,
DUKE OF LANCASTER. See fuller particulars under the latter dignity. He *d.*, s.p.m.,
13 March 1361/2, when the Dukedom of Lancaster, certainly, and the various Earldoms,
probably, became *extinct*, the Barony of De Lancastre (*cr.* by writ of 1299)
falling into abeyance.

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[It is, however possible that the Earldom of Derby devolved, or at all events was at that period held to have devolved either (1) to the *territorial* heir, *i.e.*, the heir of the estates of that Earldom or (2) to the heir general of the body of the grantee, as under.]

- VIII? 1362. 2? BLANCHE, 2d and yst. da. and coheir, inherited
as her share the honour of Derby and other the estates of the previous
Earls of Derby,^(a) and (by the death s.p. of her eldest sister, Maud, Duchess of

^(a) See "Dugdale."

^(b) Chartley was accordingly inherited by his only s. and h. John Ferrers, who by writ, 6 Feb. 1299, was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (Lord Ferrers *de Chartley*), the Barony, devolving in 1450 to the family of Devereux, and subsequently to that of Shirley, Compton, and Townshend, till it fell into *abeyance* in 1855.

^(c) "It does not appear that at this period the title of Earl of Leicester was considered as attendant upon the Castle and honour of Leicester, or that of the *Earl of Derby* upon the possessions of the Ferrers family. It is, however, to be observed that at the Coronation of Richard II, John of Gaunt, King of Castile and Leon, claimed as *Earl of Leicester*, the High Stewardship of England, as *Earl of Lincoln* [another Earldom of which his late wife, Maud, was the heiress] to be Carver at the King's table, &c., all of which claims appear to have been allowed." See "Courthope," sub "Leicester."

Bavaria) became sole heir of the body of her father (*cr.* Earl of Derby to him and *his heirs*) and therefore may be considered as, *suo jure*, COUNTESS OF DERBY. She *m.* 19 May 1359, at the age of 12 years, John (PLANTAGENET), EARL OF RICHMOND (4th s. of *King Edward III*), who as EARL OF LANCASTER (in her right) was, 13 Nov. 1362, *cr.* DUKE OF LANCASTER, and who *d.* 3 Feb. 1399.^(a) See fuller particulars of him under that dignity. He in her right styled himself EARL OF DERBY, &c. She, who was his first wife, *d.* 1369.

IX. 1369, 3. HENRY (PLANTAGENET), EARL OF DERBY, s. and h.,
or
1385, *b.* at Bolingbroke, about 1366, sum. to Parl. 3 Sep. (1385) 9 Ric. ii,
to as Earl of Derby. He was, 29 Sep. 1397, *cr.* DUKE OF HEREFORD,
1399. and on his father's death, 3 Feb. 1398/9, became DUKE OF LAN-
CASTER, &c. See fuller particulars under that dignity. On 29 Sep.
1399 he suc. to the throne as **Henry IV**, when all his honours
became *merged* in the Crown.

X. 1485. 1. THOMAS (STANLEY), LORD STANLEY, 1st s. and h.
of Thomas, LORD STANLEY (so *cr.* by writ dat. 1456), by Joan, da.
and coheir of Sir Robert GOUSHILL of Hoveringham, Notts. and Elizabeth, Dowager
DUCHESS OF NORFOLK, da. and at length coheir of Richard (FITZALAN), EARL OF
ARUNDEL, was *b.* about 1435; suc. his father, 20 Feb. 1458/9, being then aged 21,
and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD STANLEY),^(b) from 30 July (1460), 38 Hen. VI,
to 9 Dec (1483), 1 Ric. III. He was also Sovereign Lord of the Isle of Man,^(c) and
possessor of the large estates at Lathom and Knowsley, in the hundred of West
Derby, co. Lancaster, inherited from the family of Lathom.^(d) Knighted 9 July 1460
by Henry VI, to whom, in 1454, he had been Esquire of the body; was P.C. and

(a) The legend round one of his seals, affixed to a deed 28 Jany. 1375 is "S. privat. Johannis, Ducis Lancaster; Comit Richmond, *Derb.*, Linc., Leyce; Senescalli Angl." See "Sandford" p. 249. Dugdale says that he used the title of *Earl of Derby* "amongst the rest of his great titles, not in respect of any formal creation, but because he had married Blanch above named," while Thoms, in his "*Book of the Court*," p. 105, after remarking that, till the time of Henry III, Earldoms appear in several instances to have been held like Baronies, by the tenure of certain lands, which had been created into *Earldoms*" remarks that "even as late as the reign of Edward III, the titles of the Earldoms [Lancaster, Derby, Leicester and Lincoln] of which Henry Plantagenet, Duke of Lancaster died [1361] possessed, were assumed by John of Gaunt, the husband of Blanch Plantagenet, his da. and eventually sole heir."

(b) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting. "*Dominus Stanley*" sat in the Parl. of Coventry 11 Dec. 1459. It is tolerably certain that it was his father (who *d.* Feb. 1458/9) not he himself who was the 1st Lord, sum. by writ, 15 Jany. (1455/6) 34 Hen. VI. See *sub* "STANLEY."

(c) The Lordship of the Isle of Man was granted by Henry IV in 1400 (on the forfeiture of Lord Scrope) to Henry (Percy) Earl of Northumberland to be holden in Sovereignty. He, however, forfeited it some few years later. The Crown granted it in 1406 to Sir John Stanley, K.G., on condition of presenting "a cast of falcons" at each Coronation. See Taylor's "Glory of Regality." In the Stanley family it, together with some 170,000 acres, remained till 1736, when it passed thro' an heiress to that of Murray, Dukes of Athole [S.] See also p. 73, note "c."

(d) Isabel da. and h. of Sir Thomas Lathom *m.* Sir John Stanley, K.G., grantee of the Isle of Man (1406) leaving issue Sir John Stanley, the father of Thomas, Lord Stanley, whose son was the first Earl. The curious story how "Sir Thomas de Lathom begot a child called Oskytel on a woman who lived not far thence and having no child by his own Lady designed to adopt this Oskytel for his heir" which he did by causing it to be placed in an eagle's nest, situated so that his wife should see it, and persuading her to adopt it inasmuch as "he looked upon it as a miracle" is told by Dugdale, as the origin of the crest still born by Mr. Oskytel's descendants. The romance is a good deal taken off by Seacombe, in his history of the "House of Stanley to 1735," according to whose version the peccant Sir Thomas Lathom was father of Isabel Stanley and, in his old age, preferring her (his legitimate daughter) to his bastard son, left to her the Lathom estate and the bulk of his lands, whereby the Stanleys "*in derision*" of Oskytel's introduction and ultimate fate adopted this

Steward of the Household to Edward IV and Richard III, 1471-85; present at the Coronation of Richard III^(a); **K.G.**, 1483; Constable of England for life, 16 Dec. 1483, with the fee of £100 a year, granted by Richard III, whose cause, he betrayed most skillfully at the battle of Bosworth, 22 Aug. 1485, where he is said to have set that King's crown on the head of the victorious Henry VII.^(b) By him he was accordingly *cr.* 27 Oct. 1485,^(c) EARL OF DERBY,^(d) and made one of the Commissioners for the office of Lord High Steward at his own and his consort's Coronation. He was godfather (1486) to Prince Arthur, the King's eldest son. On 24 June 1495, he received a visit lasting nearly a month, from the King and Queen, at Knowsley and at Lathom. He *m.* firstly, Eleanor, sister of Richard, EARL OF WARWICK (the celebrated King-Maker), da. of Richard (NEVILL), EARL OF SALISBURY, by Alice da. and h. of Thomas (MONTACUTE), EARL OF SALISBURY. She was *bur.* (as Lady Stanley), at St. James', Garlickhithe, London. He *m.* secondly, about 1482, Margaret, Dow. COUNTESS OF RICHMOND (mother to King Henry VII), then widow^(e) of Sir Henry Stafford (who *d.* 1481), da. and h. of John (BEAUFORT), DUKE OF SOMERSET, by Margaret, da. of Sir John ((BEAUCHAMP) LORD BEAUCHAMP DE BLETSOE. He *d.* 29 July 1504, at Lathom, and was *bur.* with his ancestors at Burscough Priory, co. Lancaster. Will dat. 28 July and *pr.* 9 Nov. 1504. His widow who was *b.* 1441 at Bletsoe was the well known founder of Christ's and St. John's Colleges, Cambridge. (See fuller account of her *sub* "RICHMOND.") She *d.* 29 June 1509 (three months after the death of King Henry VII, her son) in her 69th year and was *bur.* in Westm. Abbey. Will, as "Countess of Richmond and Derby," *pr.* 17 Oct. 1512, at Lambeth.

[GEORGE STANLEY *styled* (after 1485) LORD STANLEY, but who in 1482 became LORD STRANGE, s. and h. ap., *b.* about 1460, **K.B.** 18 April 1475. Having *m.* Joane, only da. and h. of John (LE STRANGE), LORD STRANGE DE KNOCKIN, by

singular crest. The matter is made more obscure by the fact that the family of Lathom, *as well as the family of Stanley*, bear this strange crest.

(^a) See a list of the 45 Peers present at the coronation, 6 July 1483, of Ric. III, p. 8, note "b." *sub* "DACRE."

(^b) His br. Sir William Stanley, **K.G.**, who took an equal part as himself in the battle of Bosworth was executed 16 Feb. 1494/5, for the Perkin Warbeck plot. See an interesting note as to him in Walpole's "*Historic Doubts*," quoted in "Collins" iii, p. 57.

(^c) Shrewsbury, Derby and Huntingdon are called "the *Catskin* Earls." They are the *only* Earldoms now remaining prior to those of the 17th century, save such as (like Arundel, Rutland, Wiltshire, &c.) are merged in higher titles, and save also the anomalous Earldom of Devon (1553-1556), resuscitated in 1831. See as to the term "*Catskin*," *sub* "Huntingdon."

(^d) There can be no doubt that he was made Earl of the county of Derby, and the fact seems never to have been questioned till of late years. Mr. Courthope (in a MS. note to this title) states that having inspected the Charter Roll of 1 Hen. VII he finds that "altho' there are no words in the charter stating that he was made Earl of the county of Derby, there is the usual clause directing the payment of £20 per annum *by the Sheriff of Derby and Notts*, out of the profits of those counties." It is, however, a curious coincidence that the estates of the family were chiefly in the *hundred of West Derby*, co. Lancaster, while they appear to have had no land and no connection with the county of Derby. It appears, however, to have been the custom, till the 18th century, on the grant of an Earldom or any higher dignity, to take the name of some county, city or principal town, *if possible* one connected with the grantee, but if none such were available *otherwise*. In this way it would seem the title of *Bristol* was in 1698 conferred on Digby and again in 1703 on Hervéy; that of *Buckingham* in 1702 on Sheffield and again in 1736 on Hobart; that of *Cardigan* in 1661 on Brudenell; of *Carmarthen* in 1689 on Osborne; of *Carnarvon* in 1628 on Dormer, in 1714 on Brydges, and in 1793 on Herbert; that of *Chichester* in 1644 on Leigh and in 1675 on Fitzroy; that of *Derby* in 1485 on Stanley; of *Devon* in 1618 on Cavendish (a family that had estates in almost every part of England but the West); that of *Dorset* in 1603 on Sackville; of *Dover* in 1627 on Carey; in 1685 [as a Barony] on Jermyn and in 1708 on Douglas, and so on thro' E, F, and the other letters of the alphabet. Most of these families had apparently little, or no connection with the *place* (from which the title was taken) or even with any *family* that previously held such title.

(^e) The remarks of Vincent on "Brooke" (who had denied this match with Stafford) are worth reading for their extreme pungency.

Jaquetta (sister to Elizabeth, Queen Consort of Ed. IV) da. of Richard (WIDVILLE) EARL RIVERS, which Joane, on her father's death, 15 Oct. 1477, became *suo jure* BARONESS STRANGE DE KNOCKIN [1299] he was in her right sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD STRANGE) from 15 Nov. (1482), 22 Ed. IV to 26 Jany. (1496/7), 12 Hen. VII by writs directed "*Georgio Stanley de la Strange.*"^(a) He was in hostage to King Richard III and in great risk of his life thro' his father's treachery to that King. By Henry VII he was made **K.G.** in May 1487, and was P.C. He *d. v.p.* 5 Dec. 1497,^(b) at Derby House,^(c) St. Paul's Wharf, London, and was *bur.* (with his mother) at St. James', Garlickhithe. His widow *d.* 20 March 1513/4, at Colham, Midx. Will dat. 6 July 1513, pr. 3 May 1514. *Inq. post mortem* at Yeovil, Somerset, 26 Oct. 1514.]

XI. 1504. 2. THOMAS (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, &c., grandson and h., being s. and h. of George (STANLEY), LORD STRANGE DE KNOCKIN and Joane his wife, above named. He was *b.* before 1485; **K.B.** 31 Oct. 1494. On 20 March 1513/4 (some 10 years after he had suc. to the Earldom, &c.), he *suc.* his mother as LORD STRANGE DE KNOCKIN. He attended King Henry VIII in the French expedition in 1513, was at the battle of Spurs 18 Aug. 1513, and attended the Emperor Charles V at Dover in 1520; P.C. 1520. He was (a few weeks before his death) one of the peers on the trial of the Duke of Buckingham 13 May 1521. He *m.* 1507 Anne, widow of John (RATCLIFFE) LORD FITZ WALTER (beheaded 1495), sister of George, 1st EARL OF HUNTINGDON, da. of Edward (HASTINGS), LORD HUNGERFORD AND HASTINGS by Mary, da. and h. of Thomas (HUNGERFORD), LORD HUNGERFORD. He *d.* 23 May 1521, at Colham Green, Midx., and was *bur.* at Syon Monastery in that county. Will as "Earl of Derby and Lord Stanley" without date, pr. 27 June 1524, and 4 May 1583. *Inq. post mortem* 9 and 13 May and 24 Oct. 1522, also 15 Sep. 1523.^(d) The will of his widow dat. 6 Sep. 1550, pr. 3 March 1550/1.

XII. 1521. 3. EDWARD (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, &c., 2d but 1st surv. s. and h.^(e) *b.* about 1508; probably *styled* LORD STRANGE 1514-21; was one of the Peers who petitioned the Pope to grant the King's divorce in 1532; **K.B.** 30 May 1533 and Cupbearer at the Coronation of Anne (Boleyn), Queen Consort, the following day; *el. K.G.* 17 Feb. 1546/7, inst. 23 May 1547, having been Bearer of the *Curtana* at the Coronation of Ed. VI on 20 Feb.; Lord Lieut. of co. Lanc. 1552. Altho', probably, it was only by accident that he was not amongst those who signed the document setting aside the succession of Mary to the Crown^(f)

(a) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(b) The old rhythmical history of the house of Stanley says he was poisoned at a banquet.

(c) This house was exchanged in 1552 by his grandson the 3rd Earl, for lands near Knowsley belonging to the Crown, and was granted by Queen Mary to the College of Heralds, being the site of the present College, which was erected after the fire of London.

(d) By this inquisition it appears "that by charter 8 Hen. VIII he had the following titles—*Thomas, Earl of Derby, Viscount Kynton, Lord Stanley and Strange, Lord of Knokyn, Mohun, Bassett, Bernal and Lacy, Lord of Man and the Isles.*" With respect to "Lord of Knokyn," (as distinct from "*Strange de Knockin,*") Mohun, Bassett, &c., these may be taken as merely territorial Lordships; the four previous titles, however, appear to denote peerage dignities and unquestionably three of them were so, tho' the *Viscounty of Kynton* remains a mystery. Kinton itself, like Knockin, is in Oswestry hundred, Salop, and doubtless formed part of the possessions of the Strange family in that district.

(e) His yr. br., Sir James Stanley, was ancestor of the Stanleys, Baronets (so *cr.* 1628) of Bickerstaffe, of whom Sir Edward the 5th Bart. *suc.* in 1736 as Earl of Derby.

(f) Among the signatories of the letters patent, 16 June 1553, whereby Edward VI settled the Crown on Lady Jane Grey "of all whose support would be useful, of all whose opposition had to be dreaded, Lord William Howard and Lord Derby alone were absent, and Lord Derby was represented by his son." See Froude's "Edward VI," p. 507, where an excellent "analysis of the signatures" [tho' as to the *peerage*

he was, undoubtedly, one of the earliest and most constant supporters of that Queen; P.C. 17 Aug. 1553; Lord High Steward and Bearer of the *Curtana* at the Coronation of Queen Mary, 1 Oct. 1553; one of the Commissioners for the trial of Lady Jane Grey, &c., 11 Nov. 1553; one of the attendants on Philip, Prince of Spain, at his landing 19 July 1554. On the accession of Queen Eliz. he was again made P.C. 24 Nov. 1558, Chamberlain of Chester 1559-65, and in 1569 Lord Lieut. cos. Chester and Lancaster. His magnificent hospitality was unbounded.^(a) He *m.* firstly 21 Feb. 1530, Dorothy, da. of Thomas (HOWARD), 2d DUKE OF NORFOLK, by his 2d wife Agnes, da. of Hugh TILNEY, of Boston, co. Lincoln. He *m.* secondly Margaret, da. of Ellis BARLOW, of Barlow, co. Lanc. He *m.* thirdly Mary, da. of Sir George COTTON, of Combermere, co. Chester, by Mary, da. of John ONLEY, of Catesby, co. Northampton. He *d.* 24 Oct. 1572, at Lathom House and was *bur.* 4 Dec. with great magnificence^(b) in the church at Ormskirk. Fun. cert. at Coll. of Arms. Will dat. 24 Aug. pr. 21 Nov. 1572. His widow *m.* Henry (GREY), 6th EARL OF KENT (who *d.* 31 Jan. 1615, aged 74) and *d. s.p.*, 16 Nov. 1580.

XIII. 1572. 4. HENRY (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, &c., s. and h. by 1st wife, styled LORD STRANGE till 1559, and, as such, one of the 40 Knights (made as **K.B.'s**) 20 Feb. 1546/7,^(c) at the coron. of Ed. VI, to whom he was Gent. of the Privy Chamber, as he was also, July 1554, to King Philip. He was sum. to Parl., v.p., in his father's Barony, as LORD STRANGE, by writs 23 Jany. (1558/9) 1 Eliz. to 8 Feb. (1575/6) 18 Eliz.; was *cr.* M.A. of Oxford 6 Sep. 1566. He suc. his father in 1572 as Lord Lieut. cos. Lanc. and Chester; el. **K.G.** 24 April and inst. 30 May 1574; AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY to France for the investiture (at Paris 18 Feb. 1585/6) of King Henry III with the order of the Garter; ^(d) P.C. 1585; Steward of the Household 1588. He was also in Oct. 1586 one of the Commissioners for the

part thereof not entirely accurate] is given. No less than 26 Peers affixed their names to this settlement. These were two Dukes, *viz.*, Northumberland (Grand Master of the Household) and Suffolk; 2 Marquesses, *viz.*, Northampton and Winchester (Lord Treasurer); nine Earls, *viz.*, Arundel, Bedford (Lord Privy Seal), Huntingdon, Oxford, Pembroke, Shrewsbury, Warwick (eldest son of the Duke of Northumberland), Westmorland, and Worcester; besides thirteen Barons, *viz.*, Abergavenny, Bray, Clinton, Cobham, Darcy, Grey de Wilton, Paget, Rich, Russell (eldest son of the Earl of Bedford), Talbot (eldest son of the Earl of Shrewsbury), Wentworth, Willoughby of Parham, and Windsor. The Earls of Bath, Derby, and Sussex, were represented by their respective eldest sons, *viz.*, John Bouchier styled Lord Fitzwarine, Henry Stanley styled Lord Strange, and Thomas Ratcliffe styled Lord Fitzwalter. John Paulet styled Lord St. John (s. and h. ap. of the Marquess of Winchester), Lord Thomas Grey (br. to the Duke of Suffolk), and Gerald Fitzgerald, the *attainted* Earl of Kildare [I.], were also among them, as was also the Archbishop (Cranmer) of Canterbury, Bishop (Goodrich) of Ely (then Lord Chancellor), and Bishop (Ridley) of London. There were, besides, the three Secretaries of State (Petre, Cecil, and Cheke), seven Judges, six Privy Councillors, the Lord Mayor and six Aldermen, &c., &c.

^(a) Camden in his "Annals of Eliz." says "that with Edward, Earl of Derby's death, the glory of hospitality seemed to fall asleep." Mr. Howard Evans, in his "*Our Old Nobility*," adds "His household expenses are said to have amounted to £4,000 per annum. His political career was, however, a most inglorious one; under Edward VI. he acted as a Commissioner for the advancement of the Reformation; under Mary he delivered Protestants to be burnt at the stake; under Elizabeth he hunted Catholics to the death. Thus he contrived to keep all he had and to acquire still more." The Stanley motto, "*Sans changer*," was equally inappropriate to him, as to his ancestor, the 1st Earl of Derby.

^(b) The ceremony is printed in full in "Collins," vol. iii, pp. 72-78.

^(c) These were so dubbed "*in lieu of the Bath [K.B.]*, which then could not be performed according to all ceremonies thereto belonging, the time for that purpose being too short." See Metcalf's "*Book of Knights*," p. 85.

^(d) See an account of these special Garter missions vol. ii, p. 192, note "a," *sub* "*Cathcart*."

trial of the Queen of Scots^(a) and 14 April 1589, was LORD HIGH STEWARD for the trial of the Earl of Arundel. He m. 7 Feb. 1555, in the Royal chapel, Whitehall, Margaret^(b) 1st da. of Henry (CLIFFORD), 2d EARL OF CUMBERLAND, and the only child that survived infancy of (his 1st wife) Eleanor, da. of Charles (BRANDON), DUKE OF SUFFOLK, which Eleanor was 2d and yst. da. and coheir of her mother the Lady Mary (TUDOR) da. of King Henry VII. He d. 25 Sep. 1593, and was bur. at Ormskirk. Will dat. 21 and 22 Sep. (1593) 35 Eliz., and pr. 17 Oct. 1594. His widow d. in Cleveland Row, Midx., 29 Sep. 1596, aged about 56 and was bur. in Westm. Abbey. Will dat. 7 Aug., 18 and 20 Sep. and pr. 12 and 15 Nov. 1596.

XIV. 1593. 5. FERDINANDO (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, LORD STRANGE DE KNOCKIN [1299], LORD STANLEY [1456], and Sovereign Lord of the Isle of Man, s. and h., b. in London about 1559, and styled LORD STRANGE till 1589, when he was sum. to Parl. v.p. in his father's Barony as LORD STRANGE by writs 23 Jany. (1588/9) 31 Eliz. to 19 Feb. (1592/3) 35 Eliz. being present in the Parl. of 1589; was cr. M.A. of Oxford 17 Sep. 1589, having matric. there (St. John's Coll.) in 1572,^(c) at the age of 12. He suc. his father in 1594 as Lord Lieut. cos. Lanc. and Chester. Having rejected a treasonable project to assume the Crown in right of his grandmother, Margaret Clifford^(b) and caused one Hesketh, who (on behalf of the Jesuits and others) had suggested that assumption, to be arrested, he was in all probability poisoned^(d) in revenge. He m. about 1580 Alice da. of Sir John SPENCER, of Althorpe, co. Northampton, by Katharine, da. of Sir Thomas KITSON, of Hengrave, Suffolk. He d. (as afsd.) s.p.m., 16 April and was bur. 6 May 1594, at Ormskirk,^(e) when the *Baronies of Strange de Knockin and Stanley* fell into *abeyance* between his three daughters and coheirs.^(f) Will dat. 12 April 1594, and pr. 12 Oct. following. His widow m. 20 Oct. 1600, as his 3d wife, Thomas (EGERTON), 1st VISCOUNT BRACKLEY (better known as Lord Chancellor Ellesmere)

(a) The 24 noblemen who were on the Commission for the trial of the Queen of Scots at Fotheringay in Oct. 1586 were nine Earls, viz., Oxford, Kent, Derby, Worcester, Rutland, Cumberland, Warwick, Pembroke, and Lincoln; one Viscount, viz., Montagu, and fourteen Barons, viz., Abergavenny, Zouche, Morley, Stafford, Grey de Wilton, Lumley, Stourton, Sandys, Wentworth, Mordaunt, St. John of Bletso, Burghley (the Lord Treasurer), Compton, and Cheyne. Besides these, there was the Lord Chancellor (Sir Christopher Hatton), and "the Privy Councillors Hatton, Walsingham, Crofts, Sadler (who had held Mary Stuart in his arms when she was a baby), Mildmay, and Sir Amyas Paulet," as also the two Chief Justices (Wray and Anderson), the Chief Baron (Manwood), and four other Judges. See Froude's "*Elizabeth*," vol. vi, p. 281.

(b) This Margaret was looked upon by many Englishmen (*circa* 1557) as the legal heir [presumptive] of the Crown. See *Cal. of State Papers, Venetian*, ed. by R. Brown, p. 107.

(c) The three brothers Ferdinando Strange [*sic*], London, aged 12; William Stanley, London, aged 11; and Francis Stanley, Herts, aged 10, matric. together (St. John's Coll.) in 1572.

(d) The story is told in full in Camden's "annals," *sub* 1594 and extracted in "Collins" vol. iii, p. 81.

(e) He was a Poet and is noticed in Park's "*Royal and Noble Authors*," vol. ii, p. 45.

(f) These were (1) Anne, b. 1580, m. firstly Grey (Brydges), Baron Chandos, and secondly, 1624, the notorious Earl of Castlehaven [I], who was beheaded 1631 (2) Frances, Countess of Bridgewater, and (3) Elizabeth, Countess of Huntingdon. The representation of Lady Chandos is very obscure, which is remarkable, inasmuch as if Edward Seymour, Lord Beauchamp (son of Lady Katharine Grey by Edward, Earl of Hertford) be considered (which he frequently was) illegitimate, the Crown would have vested in her issue after the death of Queen Eliz. under the will of Henry VIII (made in accordance with Act of Parl.) which excluded the Scotch line. The most accurate account of this issue is in Long's "*Royal Descents*" [4to 1845], p. 3. See also "*N. and Q.*," 5th S. xii, pp. 238, 195, &c., alluding to the account (by Sir Egerton Brydges) in the *Genl. Mag.* which, however, is far from accurate.

who *d.* 15 March 1616/7, in his 77th year.^(a) She *d.* 26 and was *bur.* 28 Jan'y. 1636/7, at Harefield, Midx. Will pr. 1637.

XV. 1594. 6. WILLIAM (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, br. and h. *male*, who, as h. male of the body of the grantee, inherited the *Earldom* tho' not the other honours of the family. He was *b.* in London about 1561 matric. at Oxford (St. John's Coll. in 1572,^(b) at the age of 11; *el.* **K.G.** 23 April and inst. 26 May 1601; Chamberlain of Chester 1603-26 and Joint Chamb. (with his son James) 1626-42. Lord Lieut. *cos.* Lanc. and Chester, 1607-26 and Joint Lord Lieut. thereof (with his said son) 1626-42. Having purchased the rights of his nieces therein, the *Lordship* or Admiralty of the *Isle of Man* was confirmed to him 7 July (1609) 7 Jac. I and ratified by Act of Parliament.^(c) He *m.* 26 June 1594, at Greenwich, Elizabeth, sister (of the half blood) and coheir of Henry, 18th Earl of Oxford, 1st da. of Edward (DE VERE), 17th EARL OF OXFORD, by his first wife, Anne, da. of William (CECIL), 1st BARON BURGHLEY. She *d.* at Richmond, Surrey, 10, and was *bur.* 11 March 1626/7, at Westm. Abbey. He *d.* 29 Sep. 1642, and was *bur.* at Ormskirk. Will dat. 19 Feb. 1626; pr. 19 Feb. 1619/50.

XVI. 1642. 7. JAMES (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, s. and h., *b.* 31 Jan'y. 1607, at Knowsley, co. Lanc., M.P. for Liverpool 1625, **K.B.** under the designation of LORD STRANGE^(d) 2 Feb. 1625/6, at the Coronation; Joint Lord Lieut. (with his father) *cos.* Lanc. and Chester and Joint Chamberlain of Chester 1626-42, becoming sole Lord Lieut. and sole Chamberlain, 1642. He was sum to Parl. v.p., as LORD STRANGE by writs 7 March (1627/8), 3 Car. I to 3 Nov. (1639), 15 Car. I, directed "*Jacobo Stanley de Strange, Ch'z,*" under the erroneous belief that the Barony of *Strange de Knockin* [1299] was vested in his father and was placed in the precedence^(e) of that ancient Barony. In 1642 he was one of the first to join the King at York, and, being that year Lord Lieut. of North Wales as well as of Cheshire and Lancashire, had intended to set up the Royal Standard (afterwards erected at Nottingham) in those parts. He subsequently removed to the Isle of Man to secure that place while his wife sustained the celebrated siege (raised 27 May 1644) of Lathom House.^(f) He was *el.* **K.G.** (at Jersey) 12 Jan'y. 1649/50^(g) but never installed. He *m.* 26 June 1626, Charlotte DE LA TREMOUILLE, da. of Claude, DUKE OF THOUARS, in France by Charlotte, da. of William of NASSAU, PRINCE OF ORANGE, and Charlotte of BOURBON his wife. Taking part in the rising on

^(a) The manors of Brackley and Halse, co. Northampton, were granted in 1488 to George (Stanley), Lord Strange de Knockyn, father of the 2d Earl of Derby and great grandfather of the 5th Earl, to whose 2d da. and coheir, Frances, they were assigned as her portion. Her husband John (Egerton), 2d Viscount Brackley and 1st Earl of Bridgewater (see p. 72, note "f.") was s. and h. male of the 1st Viscount (the well-known Lord Chancellor Ellesmere) who doubtless took the title of *Brackley* when *cr.* a Viscount (in 1616) in honour of his said son's estate and who himself was (as in the text) the 2d husband of the Dow. Countess of Derby, the mother of the wife of his said son. See Baker's *Northamptonshire*, vol. i, p. 564.

^(b) See p. 72, note "c."

^(c) The right thereto was held by the Council to be in the Crown; the Stanley family having no right therein inasmuch as the grant by Henry IV was made to them *before* the Percy estates of which this was part, had legally lapsed to the Crown by the forfeiture of the Percy family. See p. 68, note "c."

^(d) This was under the (erroneous) impression that the Barony of Strange [1299] was vested in his father. See, however, the coheirs there of p. 72, note "f."

^(e) See an account of *precedence* (wrongfully) allowed to this and other Baronies (Clifford and Percy) *cr.* by writs issued in inadvertence vol. i, p. 20, note "b," *circa finem*.

^(f) A second siege thereof lasted nearly two years. It is said to have cost the enemy no less than 6,000 men. See "Dugdale" where a very full account is given of the Earl and his wife, and see also "Collins" for a different but still more elaborate account (vol. iii, pp. 83-93), where the Earl's defiant letter to Cromwell, 12 July 1649, refusing to surrender the Isle of Man, is given in full.

^(g) The ribband and George were sent to him in the Isle of Man.

behalf of the young king, he was severely wounded 26 Aug. 1651, at the fight in Wigan lane and taken prisoner at the battle of Worcester 3 Sep. 1651, and *beheaded* (pursuant to a Court Martial of the Parl. army) 15 Oct. 1651, at Bolton, co. Lancaster.^(a) He was *bur.* at Ormskirk. Admon. May 1662. His distinguished widow *d.* 21 March 1663, and was *bur.* at Ormskirk. Will pr. 1664.

XVII. 1651. 8. CHARLES (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY [1485] and LORD STRANGE [1628], s. and h., *b.* 19 Jany. 1628, *styled* LORD STRANGE till 1651. He joined in Booth's rising in Aug. 1659 on behalf of the King; Lord Lieut. cos. Lancaster and Chester; Bearer of the third Sword at the Coronation, 23 April 1661. He *m.* 1650, Dorothea Helena (Maid of Honour to the Queen of Bohemia), da. of John, BARON DE RUPA, in Holland. He *d.* 21 Dec. 1672, and was *bur.* 29 Jany. 1672/3 at Ormskirk. Admon. as late of Knowsley, co. Lanc., 3 Oct. 1674. His widow was *bur.* 16 April 1703, at Ormskirk.

XVIII. 1672. 9. WILLIAM-GEORGE-RICHARD (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY [1485] and LORD STRANGE [1628], s. and h., *b.* about 1655, *styled* LORD STRANGE till 1672; Lord Lieut. of cos. Chester and Lanc. 1676-87^(b) and 1688-1702; bearer of the second sword at the Coronation of James II, 23 April 1685; (c) was one of the pall bearers, 5 March 1694/5, at the funeral of Queen Mary; Lord Lieut. of North Wales (save co. Denbigh) June 1702. He *m.* 10 July 1673, Elizabeth, sister of James, 2d DUKE OF ORMOND, da. of Thomas BUTLER, *styled* EARL OF OSSORY, by Emilia, da. of Henry DE NASSAU, LORD OF AUVERQUERQUE, in Holland. He *d.* 5 Nov. 1702, s.p.m.^(d) and was *bur.* at Ormskirk. Will pr. July 1705. His widow *d.* 5 and was *bur.* 12 July 1717, in Westm. Abbey, aged 57; M.A. at Kew, Surrey. Will dat. 23 Feb. 1714/5, pr. 26 July 1717.

[JAMES STANLEY, *styled* LORD STRANGE, only s. and h., *b.* 28 and *bay.* 29 June 1680, at Knowsley Chapel; *d.* v.p. and unm. at Naples, 1699, and was *bur.* 14 April 1700 at Ormskirk.]

XIX. 1702. 10. JAMES (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, br. and h. male, *b.* 3 July 1664; M.P. for Clitheroe 1685-87; for Preston (in the Convention Parl.) 1689-90; and for Lancashire 1695-1702. He served several campaigns in Flanders under William III; was Lieut.-Col. in the Foot Guards becoming finally, 1703, Major-Gen. in the army; Col. of the 16th Foot, 1692 to 1705 when he retired from the army. Groom of the Bedchamber 1689-1702; Lord Lieut. co. Lanc. 1702-10 and 1714-36; P.C. 1706; Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster 1706-10; Bearer of the Sword at the Coronation of Queen Anne 23 April 1702 and of Geo. I, 20 Oct. 1714; Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard 1715-23. By the death of his great niece, 8 Aug. 1732, he became the heir *general* of his father and as such LORD STRANGE [1628].^(d) He *m.* Feb. 1705 at the chapel of Halnaker (near Chichester) Mary, da. and h. of Sir William MORLEY, **K.B.**, of Halnaker, afsd., co. Sussex, by his 2d wife Anne, da. and h. of Sir John DENHAM, **K.B.** He *d.* s.p. 1 Feb.

^(a) See vol. i, p. 194, note "c," in "The Loyalists' Bloody Roll."

^(b) See list of the Lords Lieuts. dismissed by James II, vol. i, p. 28, note "a," under "Abingdon."

^(c) A portrait of his handsome and intellectual face is in Sandford's magnificent work "Coronation of James II," and is admirably reproduced by Mr. Doyle in his "Official Baroage."

^(d) The *Barony of Strange*, which originated in the writ of 1628, fell into *abeyance* in 1702, on the death of the 9th Earl of Derby, between his two daughters and coheirs. In 1714 the right thereto passed to Henrietta the only surv. da. then wife of John, Lord Ashburnham. In 1718 it passed to her only surv. child Henrietta Bridget Ashburnham, spinster, on whose death unm. 8 Aug. 1732, it reverted to James, 10th Earl of Derby, who then became heir *general* of the grantee. In 1736 it devolved on James (Murray), 2d Duke of Athole [S], grandson and h. of Amelia, Marchioness of Athole [S], the only child whose issue then remained of James, 7th Earl of Derby, the 1st Lord Strange of the creation of 1628. See the coheirs of the *Barony of Strange de Knockin* (cr. 1299) and of the *Barony of Stanley* (cr. 1456), p. 72, note "f."

1735/6, at Knowsley, and was *bur.* at Ormskirk, when the Barony of Strange^(a) devolved on the heir general as also did the Lordship of the Isle of Man and most other of his large estates.^(b) Will pr. 1736. His widow, who was *b.* 8 Sep. 1667, *d.* at Chichester 29 March 1752, and was *bur.* at Boxgrove, Sussex, aged 84.

[WILLIAM STANLEY, who, properly, should have been styled LORD STANLEY, only *s.* and *h.* ap., *b.* 31 Jany. and *d.* 4 March 1709/10, in infancy.]

XX. 1736. 11. EDWARD (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, cousin and *h.* male, being *s.* and *h.* of Sir Thomas Stanley, 4th Bart., of Bickerstaff, co. Lanc., by his 1st wife, Elizabeth, *da.* and *h.* of Thomas PATTEN, of Preston, co. Lanc., which Sir Thomas was *s.* and *h.* of Sir Edward S., 3d Bart. (who *d.* 1671), *s.* and *h.* of Sir Thomas S., 2d Bart. (who *d.* 1653), *s.* and *h.* of Sir Edward S., *cr.* a Baronet, 26 June 1628, which Sir Edward was *s.* and *h.* of Henry S.^(c) (who *d.* 1597), all being of Bickerstaffe afsd., which Henry was 2d *s.* of Sir James Stanley, of Cross-hall, co. Lanc., br. to Thomas, 2d Earl of Derby abovenamed, both being sons of George, Lord Strange de Knockin, *s.* and *h.* ap. of Thomas, 1st Earl of Derby. He was *b.* 17 Sep. 1689, at Knowsley, in Hayton, co. Lanc., *suc.* his father, as 5th Baronet, 7 May 1714; High Sheriff, co. Lanc., 1722; M.P., co. Lanc., 1727-36, taking his seat in the House of Lords 13 April 1736; Lord Lieut., co. Lanc., 1742 to 1757 and again, after the death of his son, 1771, till his own death. He *m.* Sep. 1714, Elizabeth, *da.* and *h.* of Robert HESKETH, of Rufford, co. Lancaster, by Elizabeth, *da.* of the Hon. William SPENCER, of Ashton, co. Lancaster. He *d.* at Knowsley 22 Feb. 1776, aged 86, his widow, who was *b.* 29 Aug. 1694, dying but two days after him. Both were *bur.* 11 March at Ormskirk. His will pr. April 1776.

[JAMES STANLEY afterwards STANLEY-SMITH who, properly, should have been styled LORD STANLEY but who was erroneously^(d) styled LORD STRANGE, *s.* and *h.* ap., *b.* 7 and *hap.* 29 Jan. 1716/7, at Preston, co. Lanc.; ed. at Westm. School and at the Univ. of Leyden; M.P. for co. Lancaster 1738-71; Lord Lieut., co. Lanc., 1757-71; P.C. 1762; Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster 1762-71. He *m.* 17 March 1746/7, Lucy, 2d and *yst.* *da.* and coheir of Hugh SMITH, of Weald Hall, co. Essex (who *d.* 1745), by Dorothy, *da.* of Dacre BARRET-LENNARD, of Belhouse, co. Essex, on which occasion he (in compliance with the will of his wife's father) took by Act of Parl. 21 Geo. II, the name of *Smith*^(e) before that of *Stanley*. She *d.* 5 Feb. 1759, at Preston, co. Lanc. Her admon as "*Viscountess Strange*" 18 Dec. 1760. He *d.* v.p. at Bath of apoplexy, 1 June 1771. Both *bur.* at Ormskirk. His will as "*Viscount Strange*" pr. Aug. 1771.]

XXI. 1776. 12. EDWARD (SMITH-STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, grandson and *h.* being *s.* and *h.* of James Smith-Stanley styled (erroneously) LORD STRANGE^(d) by Lucy his wife above named. He was *b.* 12 Sep. 1752, and *hap.* at Preston afsd.; ed. at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.A. 1773; M.P. for co.

^(a) See, *ante*, p. 74, note "d."

^(b) Bp. Burnet's character of him (at the age of 40 and upwards) with Dean Swift's remarks thereon *in italics* is as under. "On his brother's death he came to the House of Peers where he never will make any figure, the sword being more his profession. He is a fair complexioned man, well shaped, taller than the ordinary size and a man of honour—as *arrant a + + + + + as his brother.*" [It is not very clear what word these *nine crosses* denote, perhaps "*scoundrel*," a word composed of *nine letters.*]

^(c) The wife of this Henry Stanley was Mary, *da.* and *h.* of Peter STANLEY, of Bickerstaffe, co. Lanc., by Elizabeth, *da.* and *h.* of James Scaresbig, of the same, thro' which match that estate was acquired by the family of Stanley.

^(d) See, *ante*, p. 74, note "d," *sub* the (xviii) 9th Earl.

^(e) A good account of this family of Smith, *alias* Heriz, is in the *Top. and Gen.*, iii, pp. 255-260. Dorothy, the 1st *da.* and coheir *m.* John Barry and was ancestress of the family of Smith-Barry of Foaty Island, co. Cork, Marbury Hall, Cheshire, &c.

Lanc. 1774-76; Lord Lieut. thereof 1776-1834; Col. of the Lanc. Militia 1772; Col. in the army (during service) 1779; P.C. 1783; Chancellor of the Duchy of Lanc. Aug. to Dec. 1783 and again Feb. to March 1806. He *m.* firstly 23 June 1774, at Kew, near Richmond, Surrey, Elizabeth,^(a) da. (whose issue in 1799 became sole heir) of James (HAMILTON), 6th DUKE OF HAMILTON [S.] by (the beautiful) Elizabeth, da. of John GRUNNING. She, who was *b.* 26 Jan. 1753, at Holyrood House, Edinburgh, *d.* in Portman Sq., Midx., 14 March 1797 (having long been separated from her husband) and was *bur.* 2 April at Bromley, co. Kent. He *m.* secondly, a few weeks subsequently, 1 May 1797, at his house in Grosvenor Square, Midx., "Elizabeth FARRAN^(b) spinster," whose father George F. was sometime a surgeon at Cork (afterwards an actor) and whose mother was da. of (—) WRIGHT, a Publican at Liverpool. She who was an actress of some note^(c) *d.* 23 April 1829, aged 66, at Knowsley Park and was *bur.* at Ormskirk. He *d.* 21 Oct. 1834, aged 82 at Knowsley and was *bur.* at Ormskirk afsd. Will pr. Nov. 1835.

XXII. 1834. 13. EDWARD (SMITH-STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 21 April 1775, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., styled LORD STANLEY till 1832; ed. at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.A. 1793; Col. of the 2d Reg. of Lanc. Militia 1797 and Col. in the army (during service) 1798; M.P. for Preston 1796-1812; for co. Lancaster 1812-32; *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford 23 June 1819; Vice-Admiral, co. Lanc., 1831. On 22 Dec. 1832 (there being no Barony vested in his father wherein he could be sum. to the House of Lords) he was *cr.* BARON STANLEY OF BICKERSTAFFE, co. Lancaster. In 1834 he *suc.* his father in the Earldom of Derby, and as Lord Lieut. of co. Lancaster; **K.G.** 2 April 1839. He was President of the Linnæan Society 1828 to 1833 and President of the Zoological Society^(d) till his death. He *m.* 30 Oct. 1798, his cousin Charlotte-Margaret, 2d da. of the Rev. Geoffrey HORNBY, Rector of Winwick, co. Lanc., by Lucy, sister of Edward (SMITH-STANLEY), 12th EARL OF DERBY next above named. She who was *b.* 20 Oct. 1778, *d.* 16 June 1817. He *d.* 30 June 1851, aged 76, at Knowsley Park. Will pr. Oct. 1851.

XXIII. 1851. 14. EDWARD-GEOFFREY (SMITH-STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY, &c., s. and h., *b.* 19 March 1799, at Knowsley Park; styled LORD STANLEY till 1844; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford (matric. 17 Oct. 1817), gaining the Latin verse prize ("*Syracuse*") in 1819; M.P., Stockbridge, 1820-26; Preston 1826-30; Windsor 1830-32; North Lancashire 1832-44, being sum. to the House of Lords v.p. 4 Nov. 1844, as LORD STANLEY OF BICKERSTAFFE. He had meanwhile been Under Sec. for the Colonies 1827-28; P.C. 1830; P.C. [I.] 1831; Chief Sec. for Ireland 1830-33 and a Cabinet Minister, June 1831; Sec. of State for the Colonies, 1833-34 and again 1841-45. He had also been Lord Rector of the Univ. of Glasgow, 1834-36. Soon after succeeding to the Earldom he became first Lord of the Treasury (*Prime Minister*) Feb. to Dec. 1852, March 1858 to June 1859, and for the 3d time June 1866 to Feb. 1868; ^(e) Chancellor of the Univ. of Oxford 1852-69,

^(a) See tabular pedigree in vol. i, p. 7 (*note*) sub "*Abercorn*," shewing the Earls of Derby to be, thro' this match, *heirs of line* to James (Hamilton), Earl of Arran [S.] (Regent of Scotland) and *Duc de Châtellerauld in France*, and consequently not improbably entitled to that Dukedom.

^(b) So spelt in the registry one of the witnesses being "Margaret Farran."

^(c) She appeared first on the stage, at Bath, at a very early age; was acting in 1774 with her mother and sister (Margaret afterwards Mrs. Knight) at Wakefield and at Liverpool (as Rosetta) in "Love in a Village." In 1777 she appeared in London, acting in "She Stoops to Conquer," and in most of the well known plays for *twenty years*, taking leave on 7 April 1797, (as "Lady Teazle") a few weeks before her marriage. Her portrait by Sir Thomas Lawrence has often been engraved.

^(d) "So great was his attachment to Zoology that he had formed at Knowsley such collections of living animals and birds as far surpass any menagerie or aviary previously attempted by any private person in this country." See "*Annual Reg.*" for 1851.

^(e) As a Scholar his translation of the "*Iliad*" testifies his excellence; as an Orator his impetuous eloquence gave him the name of "*the Rupert of debate*"; while as a Statesman, his character belongs to the history of his country.

having been *cr. D.C.L.* thereof by diploma 19 Oct, 1852; **K.G.** 28 June 1859. He *m.* 31 May 1825, Emma-Caroline, 2d da. of Edward (BOOTLE-WILBRAHAM), 1st BARON SKELMERSDALE, by Mary-Elizabeth, da. of Edward TAYLOR. He *d.* 23 Oct. 1869, in his 69th year at Knowsley Park and was *bur.* at Knowsley. Will *pr.* 2 April 1870, under £250,000. His widow, who was *b.* 17 March 1805, *d.* 26 April 1876 at 15, Cromwell Road, Midx., and was *bur.* at Knowsley.

XXIV. 1869. 15. EDWARD-HENRY (STANLEY), EARL OF DERBY [1485] and BARON STANLEY OF BICKERSTAFFE [1832], *s.* and *h.*, *b.* 21 July 1826, at Knowsley Park; *ed.* at Rugby and at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; 10th in the 1st class of classical tripos and M.A. 1848; M.P., King's Lynn, 1848-69; *style* LORD STANLEY 1851-69; Under Sec. of State for foreign affairs March to Dec. 1852; P.C. 1858; Sec. of State for the Colonies Feb. 1858; for India 1858-59; for foreign affairs 1866-68 and 1874-78; and for the Colonies (again) 1882-85. He was *cr. D.C.L.* of Oxford 7 June 1853; LL.D. of Cambridge 9 June 1862; was Lord Rector of the Univ. of Glasgow 1869-71; Lord Rector of the Univ. of Edinburgh 1875-77; **K.G.** 15 July 1884. He *m.* 5 July 1870, at the Chapel Royal, St. James, Mary-Catherine, Dow. MARCHIONESS OF SALISBURY, 2d da. of George John (WEST), 5th EARL DE LA WARR, by Elizabeth, *suo jure*, BARONESS BUCKHURST. She was *b.* 23 July 1824.

Family Estates^(a).—These, in 1883, consisted of 57,000 acres in Lancashire (worth £156,735 a year), 9,500 in Cheshire, 92 in Flintshire, besides 1,400 in Surrey and 950 in Kent. Total 68,942 acres of which the value of those in the first three counties (that of those in Surrey and Kent being unstated) is £163,273 a year, exclusive of 900 acres leased in buildings and returned in the tenants names.^(b) *Principal Residence*, Knowsley Park, near Prescot, Lancashire.

It is to be observed that there is not one acre of this property in the county of Derby. So also in the case of the Dukedom of Devonshire as to the county of Devon, &c.

DE REEDE.

See "REEDE" which appears to have been the name of the Barony conferred 24 March 1644/5, on John DE REEDE, Ambassador from Holland.

DERNELEY, see "DARNLEY."

DE ROOS, or DE ROS, see "Roos."

DERRY ISLAND.

See "AVONMORE OF DERRY ISLAND, co. Tipperary," Viscounty [I.] (*Yclverton*), *cr.* 1800.

DERVOCK.

See "MACARTNEY OF DERVOCK, co. Antrim," Barony [I.] (*Macartney*), *cr.* 1792; *ex.* 1806.

^(a) About the year 1710 the extensive estates of the Moores of Bank Hall in Liverpool, Bootle, and Kirkdale, were sold to the Earl of Derby for £12,000; in 1847 some 270,000 square yards thereof was sold to the dock trustees for £90,000. The contiguity to Liverpool was the sole reason for the great value of this estate which else would have been merely agricultural, and on the coast line nothing at all. See Howard Evans' "*Our Old Nobility*."

^(b) See vol. ii, p. 51, note "a," *sub* "Bucleuch" for some remarks (*circa finem*) on Lord Derby's property as compared with the holders of 100,000 acres and upwards.

DERWENT OF HACKNESS.

Barony.

I. 1881. **1. SIR HARCOURT VANDEN-BEMPDE-JOHNSTONE, Bart.**, was *cr.* 10 Oct. 1881, **BARON DERWENT OF HACKNESS**, in the north riding of co. York. He was s. and h. of Sir John VANDEN-BEMPDE-JOHNSTONE, 2d Bart., of Hackness Hall, co. York, by Louisa-Augusta, 2d da. of Edward VENABLES-VERNON-HARCOURT, Archbishop of York; *b.* 3 Jan. 1829, at Bishopsthorpe Palace, York; *ed.* at Eton; sometime Lieut. 2d Life Guards; *suc.* his father as 3d Bart. 24 Feb. 1869; M.P. for Scarborough 1869-80, being raised to the peerage, as above, the next year. He *m.* 27 May 1850, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Charlotte, sister of Charles-Henry, 1st **BARON HILLINGDON**, 2d da. of Sir Charles MILLS, Bart. (so *cr.* 1868) by Emily, da. of Richard-Henry Cox, of Hillingdon, co. Midx.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 12,764 acres in the north riding of Yorkshire, worth £10,026 a year. *Principal Residence*, Hackness Hall, near Scarborough, co. York.

DERWENTWATER.

Earldom.

I. 1688. **1. SIR FRANCIS RADCLYFFE, Bart.**, of Dilston, co. Northumberland, and of Derwentwater, co. Cumberland, *only surv. s.* and h. of Sir Edward R., 2d Bart., of the same, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Thomas BARTON, of Wenby, co. York, was *b.* 1625; Capt. in Vane's Reg. of Foot 1667; *suc.* his father as 3d Baronet, 18 Dec. 1663, and was *cr.* 7 March 1687/8^(a) **BARON TYNDALE**, co. Northumberland, **VISCOUNT RADCLYFFE AND LANGLEY**, and **EARL OF DERWENTWATER**, co. Cumberland. He *m.* before 1670 Catharine, widow of Henry LAWSON, of Brough, co. York (who was slain 1644), da. and coheir of Sir William FENWICKE, of Meldon, co. Northumberland. She *d.* before 1696. He *d.* April 1697 aged 72 and was *bur.* at Dilston. Will dat. 20 April 1696, pr. 4 Oct. 1698.

II. 1697.

2. EDWARD (RADCLYFFE), EARL OF DERWENTWATER, &c.^(b) s. and h., *b.* 9 Dec. 1655; *styled* **VISCOUNT RADCLYFFE** 1688-97. He *m.* 18 Aug. 1687, the Lady Mary TUDOR, illegit. da. of King Charles II, by Mary DAVIES, a well known actress. He *d.* 29 April 1705, at his house in Arlington street, Midx., and was *bur.* 10 May at Dilston. Will dat. 14 to 23 Apr. 1705, pr. 24 May following. His widow, who was *b.* 16 Oct. 1673, being the 14th and yst. child of her Royal father, had from him a warrant of the precedence of the da. of an Earl, 10 Dec. 1680 (with confirmation of the surname of *Tudor*) and had the precedence of the da. of a Duke by a like warrant, 21 Feb. 1683/4. She *m.* in 1705, a few months after her husband's death, Henry GRAHAM^(c), of Levens, M.P. for Westmorland, sometime Groom of the Bedchamber, who *d.* 7 Jan. 1706/7, at St. James', Westm. Within a few months of his death she *m.* thirdly 26 Aug. 1707, at Twickenham, Midx., James ROOKE. She *d.* at Paris 5 Nov. 1726.

(a) This is one of the few English peerages conferred by James II which (not reckoning titles of inferior rank granted in the same patent) were but ten in all. These are 1 Dukedom, *i.e.*, Berwick (*Fitz-James*); 1 Marquessate, *i.e.*, Powis (*Herbert*); 3 Earldoms, *i.e.*, Dorchester (*Sedley*), Derwentwater (*Radclyffe*), and Stafford (*Howard*); 4 Baronies, *i.e.*, Dover (*Jermyn*), Churchill, Jeffreys, Waldegrave, and Griffin. See below *sub* "Dundee," as to *Scotch* Peerages conferred by that monarch; and as to *Irish* Peerages so conferred see vol. iv, *sub* "Galway."

(b) The Peerage writers have one and all (including even Mr. Doyle, in 1886), followed "Sandford" [p. 654], who states the name of this Peer to be (that of his father) *Francois*. His own will, the will of his father, and of his brother Francis, &c., clearly prove this to be an error, as apparently are the dates given by Sandford to the births of the children of this Earl.

(c) "With whom she lived in her husband's lifetime." See P. Le Neve's memoranda in "Top. and Gen." iii, 154. No mention of her is made in her husband's will.

III. 1705, 3. JAMES (RADCLYFFE), EARL OF DERWENTWATER, &c.,
 to s. and h., *b.* in Arlington street, Midx., 28 June 1689, *styled* VISCOUNT
 1716. RADCLYFFE till 1705; was in command in the Jacobite army, Oct.
 1715, but after the defeat at Preston surrendered himself prisoner, 13
 Nov. 1715, and was sent to the Tower of London. He *m.* (settl. dat.
 24 June 1712), Anna-Maria, 1st da. of Sir John WEBB, 3d Bart., of Odstock, Wilts, by
 Barbara, da. and coheir of John (BELASYSE), 1st BARON BELASYSE OF WORLABY. He
 was found guilty of high treason and *beheaded* on Tower Hill 24 Feb. 1715/6, and
 having being attainted *all his honours* became *forfeited*.^(a) He was *bur.* privately at
 St. Giles in the fields, Midx. M.I.^(b) His widow *d.* at Brussels, of the small-pox, 30
 Aug. 1723, aged 30, and was *bur.* in the church of the English Canonesses at
 Louvaine. Will dat. 5 to 16 March 1722, pr. 27 May 1734.

IV. 1716. 4. JOHN RADCLYFFE, *styled* VISCOUNT RADCLYFFE, who
 but for the attainder would have been EARL OF DERWENTWATER,
 &c., and who so designated himself, only s. and h. He inherited the greater part
 of the vast family estates which were preserved by the entail from forfeiture. He
d. unm. and under age at his grandfather's (Sir John Webb) house in Great Marl-
 borough street, Midx., 31 Dec. 1731, and was *bur.* with his mother at Louvain.
 Will dat. 11 Nov. 1731, pr. 1732.^(c)

V. 1731. 5. CHARLES RADCLYFFE, who, but for the attainder,
 would have been EARL OF DERWENTWATER, &c., and who so
styled himself, uncle and h. male, being 3d and yst. s. of the 2d Earl. He was *b.*
 3 Sep. 1693, at Little Parndon, Essex. He joined the Jacobite rising and with his
 br., the Earl, surrendered himself prisoner 13 Nov. 1715, and was found guilty of
 high treason. His extreme youth (22 years) would probably have procured his
 pardon, but on 11 Dec. 1716, he (with 13 others) escaped from Newgate
 and joined the Stuart family on the Continent where he became Secretary to
 Prince Charles Edward. He *m.* 24 June 1724, at St. Mary's, Brussels, Charlotte-
 Maria, *suo jure*, COUNTESS OF NEWBURGH [S.] who, in 1694, had *suc.* her father
 Charles (LEVINGSTON), 2d EARL OF NEWBURGH [S.] in that dignity and who was
 widow of the Hon. Thomas CLIFFORD. At the rising of 1745 he embarked
 for Scotland (doubtless to join the "Chevalier," tho' of this fact no *proof* was
 obtained) but the ship being captured off Deal he was brought prisoner to the
 Tower of London. In Michaelmas 1746 he was condemned to death *under*
his former sentence of some 30 years since, in spite of the gen. pardon of 1716 and,
 tho' owing to the attainder, he was not legally a Peer, he was (as such) *beheaded* (like
 his brother 30 years before) on Tower Hill, 8 Dec. 1746, aged 53, and *bur.* the
 11th at St. Giles in the fields.^(d) His widow, the Countess of Newburgh [S.] *d.*
 in London 4 Aug. 1755, and was *bur.* with him. M.I. Her will dat. 25 April
 1751, pr. 12 Jan. 1756.

(a) See below, *sub* "Duffus," for a list of peerages forfeited in the insurrection of 1715.

(b) His generosity was unbounded; he was "a man formed by nature to be generally beloved." See Patten's "*Rebellion*." His youth, also, made his fate much lamented. With him was executed William (Gordon), 6th Viscount Kenmure [S.]; the escape from the Tower, on the previous day, of William (Maxwell), 5th Earl of Nithsdale [S.], having prevented that Earl from suffering the like fate.

(c) Alice Mary, his only sister and h. *m.* 2 May 1732, Robert James (Petre), 8th Baron Petre of Writtle, and is ancestress of the present peer, who consequently is heir gen. of the 1st Earl of Derwentwater.

(d) He and the Earl, his br., are said not only to have lost their lives, but upwards of £300,000 in money value, for the Stuart cause.

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| VI. 1746. | 6. JAMES BARTHOLOMEW RADCLYFFE, who | } | For fuller particulars see "NEWBURGH," Earlom of [S.] cr. 1660, sub. the 4th and 5th Earls. |
| | but for the attainer would have been EARL OF DERWENTWATER, s. and h., b. 23 Aug. 1725; <i>suc.</i> his mother as EARL OF NEWBURGH, &c. [S.], on 4 Aug. 1755. He <i>d.</i> 2 Jan'y 1786. | | |
| VII. 1786,
1814. | 7. Anthony James (RADCLYFFE), EARL to OF NEWBURGH, &c. [S.], who, but for the attainer, would have been EARL OF DERWENTWATER, only s. and h., b. 20 June 1757. ^(a) He <i>d.</i> s.p. 29 Nov. 1814, when the male issue of the 1st Earl came to an end and <i>all the honours</i> [E.] granted under the patent of 1688 (which since 1716 had been under attainer) became absolutely <i>extinct.</i> ^(b) | | |

DESART.

- Barony [I].** I. JOHN CUFFE, of Desart, co. Kilkenny, s. and h. of Agmondesham C., of Castle Inch, in that co., by Ann, widow of John WARDEN, and da. of Sir John OTWAY, of London, was M.P. for Thomastown 1715-27; *suc.* his father Dec. 1727 and was *cr.* 10 Nov 1733, BARON DESART^(c), co. Kilkenny [I.], taking his seat two days afterwards. He *m.* firstly 2 Sep. 1707, Margaret, da. and h. of James HAMILTON, of Carnesure, co. Downe, but by her had no surv. issue. He *m.* secondly 12 Feb. 1726/7, Dorothea, 1st da. of Lieut.-Gen. Richard GORGES, of Kilbrew, co. Meath, by his 1st wife Jane, da. of Sir Arthur LOFTUS. He *d.* 26 June 1749, and was *bur.* at Castle Inch.

^(a) In 1788 the long pending claim to the Derwentwater estates (which by entail had been preserved from entire forfeiture) was compromised by Act of Parl. and the property was vested in trust for Greenwich Hospital while an annuity of £2,500 was granted to Lord Newburgh and the heirs male under the entail.

^(b) In 1865 there appeared at Blydon in the Tyne valley a remarkable character stating herself to be Amelia-Mary-Tudor Radcliffe, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF DERWENTWATER, then aged 35. According to her story, JOHN, the 4th Earl, did not die a young man and *unn.* in 1731 but fled to Germany and there *m.* in 1740, at Frankfort-on-the-Main, the Countess of Waldstein. Of their eleven children all *d.* young but two, viz., (V) JAMES, the 5th Earl, who *suc.* his father, but who *d.* s.p. and (VI) JOHN JAMES, the 6th Earl, who *m.* 4 June 1813, the Princess Sobieski. Of their six children the eldest (VII)—was the 7th and last Earl who *d.* *unn.* in 1854, leaving his property to his only surv. sister (VIII) AMELIA, the (soi-disant) *suo jure* Countess abovenamed. On 29 Sep. 1868, this Lady effected a lodgement in Dilston Castle claiming it and some 4 other estates in the Barony as her own inheritances. From this she was ejected in two days but she continued encamped, close by, some 40 days longer. In 1870, on refusal of a tenant to pay his rent to her, she caused his stock to be distrained and sold, for which acts all who were concerned therein were found guilty while "the Countess" was adjudicated a bankrupt, 24 March 1871. From 25 Nov. 1872, till July 1873 she was in Newcastle Gaol for contempt of court. In 1874 she made a raid on the Whittonstall estates and was mulcted in heavy damages accordingly. She *d.* *unn.* of bronchitis 26 Feb. 1880, aged 49 (according to her coffin plate) at Shotley bridge and was *bur.* at Blackill cemetery, co. Durham. A very interesting account of her and her strange proceedings by "William Longstaff" is in "The Monthly Chronicle of North-Country lore" (April and May 1888), vol. ii, pp. 165-170 and 205-212. In March 1870 and again in May 1871 her "heirlooms" had been sold at Newcastle, including several copies of a lithographed pedigree (3½ by 2¼ feet) which shewed "the title of Lady Amelia to the Derwentwater Estates." The result of this last auction (one of two days) was £275, tho' the effects were valued by "the Countess" herself at £200,000!

^(c) See the preamble to this patent (where the merits of his father and grandfather are set forth as also the services of the latter "Protestantium successioni") in "Lodge" VI, 62.

II. 1749. 2. JOHN (CUFFE), BARON DESART [I.], 3d but 1st surv. s. and h., by 2d wife, *b.* 16 Nov. 1730; ed. at Dublin Univ.; took his seat in House of Lords [I.] 25 Nov. 1751. He *m.* 2 Sep. 1752, Sophia, widow of Thomas THORNHILL, da. and h. of Bettridge BADHAM, of Rockfield, co. Cork. He *d.* s.p.m. 25 Nov. 1767, at Desart. His widow *d.* 2 Aug. 1768, in Merrion street, Dublin.

III. 1767. }
 Viscountcy [I.] } 3. and 1. OTWAY (CUFFE), BARON DESART [I.],
 I. 1781. } br. and h. male; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 11 July
 Earldom [I.] } 1752, and then aged 15; admitted to the Inner Temple,
 I. 1793. } 31 Jany. 1756; took his seat in the House of Lords [I.]
 22 Dec. 1767. On 6 Jany. 1781, he was *cr.* VISCOUNT
 DESART, co. Kilkenny [I.], taking his seat, as such, 9 Oct.
 1791, and on 20 Dec. 1793, he was *cr.* VISCOUNT CASTLE-
 CUFFE and EARL OF DESART [I.] REP. PEER [I.] 1801-4.
 He *m.* 18 Aug. 1785, Ann, sister of John Denis, 1st MARQUESS
 OF SLIGO [I.], 1st da. of Peter (BROWNE), 2d EARL OF ALTAMONT [I.], by Elizabeth,
 da. and h. of Denis KELLY. He *d.* 9 Aug. 1804, at Dublin. His widow *d.* 15 Aug.
 1814.

Earldom and }
 Viscountcy [I.] } 2 and 4. JOHN-OTWAY (CUFFE), EARL OF
 II. } 1804. DESART, &c. [I.], only s. and h., *b.* 20 Feb. 1788, at Dublin;
 Barony [I.] } styled VISCOUNT CASTLE-CUFFE 1793-1804; matric. at
 IV. } Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 29 April 1805; M.P. for Bossiney 1809-
 17. He *m.* 7 Oct. 1817, Catherine, 1st da. and coheir of
 Maurice Nugent O'CONNOR, of Mount Pleasant, King's
 county. He *d.* 23 Nov. 1820, in his 33d year, at Desart.
 His widow *m.* 26 Jany. 1824, Rose-Lambert PRICE (s. and h.
 ap. of Sir Rose Price, 1st Bart.), who *d.* v.p. 16 Jany. 1826,
 aged 26, in Ireland. She *d.* 13 Feb. 1874, aged 75, at 122,
 Pembroke Road, Dublin.^(a)

Earldom and }
 Viscountcy [I.] } 3 and 5. JOHN-OTWAY-O'CONNOR (CUFFE),
 III. } 1820. EARL OF DESART, &c. [I.], only s. and h., *b.* 12 Oct. 1818
 Barony [I.] } at Desart House; styled VISCOUNT CASTLE-CUFFE till
 V. } 1820; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 20 Oct. 1836; M.P.
 for Ipswich, June to Aug. 1842; REP. PEER [I.] 1846-65;
 Under Sec. to the Colonies 1852. He *m.* 28 June 1842,
 at St. Geo. Han. sq., Elizabeth-Lucy, 3d da. of John-
 Frederick (CAMPBELL), 1st EARL CAWDOR, by Elizabeth,
 da. of Thomas (THYNNE), 2d MARQUESS OF BATH. He *d.*
 1 April 1865, in Eaton square, Midx. His widow who was
b. 16 Jany. 1822, and was a lady of the bedchamber 1845-64, was living 1889.

Earldom and }
 Viscountcy [I.] } 4 and 6. WILLIAM-ULICK-O'CONNOR (CUFFE),
 IV. } 1865. EARL OF DESART, &c. [I.], 1st s. and h., *b.* 10 July 1845,
 Barony [I.] } in Grosvenor Crescent, Midx., styled VISCOUNT CASTLE-
 VI. } CUFFE till 1865; ed. at Eton; Page of Honour 1856-62;
 Lieut. Gren. Guards 1862; Captain 1865 but retired the
 same year. He *m.* firstly, 1 June 1871, at Stillingfleet, co.
 York, Maria-Emma-Georgina, 1st da. of Thomas-Henry
 PRESTON, of Moreby Hall, in that co. From her he
 obtained a divorce in May 1878.^(b) He *m.* secondly 27
 April 1881, at Christ Church, Down street, Midx., Ellen-
 Odette, 1st da. of Henry-Louis BISCHOFFSHEIM.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 8,000 acres in co. Kilkenny and 932 in co. Tipperary. Total 8,932 acres, worth £6,278 a year. *Principal Residence*, Desart Court, co. Kilkenny.

^(a) She was refused recognition at Court by Geo. IV, after her remarriage, by any other style than that of "Mrs. Price."

^(b) She subsequently *m.* Charles Sugden, the actor.

DE SAUMAREZ.

Barony. 1. Admiral SIR JAMES SAUMAREZ, Bart., Vice-Admiral

I. 1831. of Great Britain and Grand Cross of the Bath, was 15 Sep. 1831, *cr.* BARON DE SAUMAREZ in the island of Guernsey.^(a) He was 3d s. of Matthew S., of Guernsey, by his 2d wife, Carteret, da. of James LE MARCHANT of that island, and was *b.* there 11 March 1757. Entering the navy at an early age the various battles in which he distinguished himself are a matter of history. He was knighted (as Capt. R.N.) 6 Nov. 1793; was second in command at the battle of the Nile, 1 Aug. 1790; was *cr.* a BARONET, 13 June 1801; obtained a victory off Cadiz over the French and Spanish fleets, 1 July 1801, for which he received the thanks of both houses; was *nom.* K.B. 5 Sep. and *inv.* 17 Nov. 1801, *inst.* 19 Nov. 1803, becoming G.C.B. in 1815; Grand Cross of the Swedish Order of the Sword; Admiral of the Red; General of the Royal Marine force, &c.; *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 16 June 1814. In his 75th year he was, in 1831, raised to the Peerage as above stated. He *m.* 27 Oct. 1788, at Guernsey, Martha, da. and h. of Thomas LE MARCHANT, of Guernsey, by Mary, da. and coheir of Peter DOBREE of the same. He *d.* at Saumarez in Guernsey 9 Oct. 1836, in his 80th year. His widow *d.* there 17 April 1849, aged 80.

II. 1836. 2. JAMES (SAUMAREZ), BARON DE SAUMAREZ, 1st s. and h., *b.* 9 Oct. 1789, in Guernsey; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 22 Oct. 1807; B.A. and 2d class classics 1811; M.A. 1814; in holy orders; Rector of Huggate, co. York, 1825-63. He *m.* 5 Oct. 1814, Mary, da. of Vice Admiral William LECHMERE, of Steeple Aston, Oxon, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir John DASHWOOD-KING, 2d Bart. She *d.* 12 May 1849 (a few weeks after her mother-in-law) at Cheltenham. He *d.* there s.p. 9 April 1863, in his 74th year.

III. 1863. 3. JOHN ST. VINCENT (SAUMAREZ), BARON DE SAUMAREZ, br. and h., being 4th and yst. s. of the 1st Baron; *b.* 28 May 1806, in Guernsey; *ed.* at Harrow and at the Royal Mil. Coll., Sandhurst; was in the Rifle brigade; became Col. in the Army 1854, retiring 1855. He *m.* firstly, 2 July 1838, Caroline-Esther, 1st da. of William RHODES, of Kirkshill and of Bramhope Hall, co. York. She *d.* 15 July 1846. He *m.* secondly, 13 April 1850, Margaret Antoinette, 4th da. of William-Richard-Hopkins NORTHEY, of Wing House, Bucks.
Family Estates...These, in 1883, were under 2,000 acres.

DESKFORD.

See "OGILVY OF DESKFORD," Barony [S.] (*Ogilvy*); *cr.* 1616.

DESMOND.^(b)

["The successive Lords^(c) of the House of Desmond, from 1199 to 1327, are only traced thro' the public rolls by the names of *Thomas filius Mauricii*, *Johannes filius Thomæ*, *Mauricius filius Johannis*, *Thomas filius Mauricii*, and *Mauricius filius Thomæ*; and the successive Lords of Ophaley are at the same period simply called *Mauricius filius Geraldii*, *Geraldus filius Mauricii*, *Mauricius filius Geraldii*, &c., without any addition." See "Lynch," p. 230, where (pp. 229-266) an account is given of the "HOUSE OF DESMOND."

^(a) This was one of the "Coronation" peerages of William IV. See vol. ii, p. 312, note "a," *sub* "CLONCURRY."

^(b) Three principalities called respectively *Tuaidh-Muin* (North-Munster), *Jar-Muin* (East-Munster), and *Des-Muin* (South-Munster), softened or modernised into *Thomond*, *Ormond*, and *Desmond*, occupied the broad expanse of Munster." See "Parly Gazeteer" [I.], 1849.

^(c) See vol. i, p. xviii (*preface*), note "a," as to the use of the word "*Baro*" and "*Dominus*" by some of the early feudal Lords of Ireland.

The very interesting "Relation of the Fitz Gerald's of Ireland written in the co. of Clare, 22 die Oct. Anno Dom. 1638," by Mr. Thomas Russell, with copious pedigrees of the Desmond branch thereof, has been printed in the "Arch. Assoc. of Ireland" and re-issued (by the Rev. Samuel Hayman) in "*Unpublished Geraldine Documents*," 1881.]

Barony [I]. JOHN - FITZ - THOMAS (FITZ-GERALD), of Connelloe [or I. 1259. O'Gonnell], co. Limerick, s. and h. of Thomas FITZ-MAURICE (FITZ-GERALD) of the same by Ellenor, da. of Jordan and sister of Geoffrey DE MARISCO, Justice of Ireland (which Thomas is said to have been s. to Maurice FITZ-GERALD, one of the Conquerors of Ireland, and br. to Gerald, ancestor of the Earls of Kildare [I.]) *suc.* his father in 1213, and having *m.* Margery, da. and coheir of Thomas FITZ ANTHONY, of Thomastown, co. Kilkenny, Lord of the Honour of Kerry^(a) and Seneschal of Leinster, acquired with her (before 1232) the Baronies of Decies^(b) and Desmond, and obtained from Prince Edward (to whom the dominion of Ireland had been granted) by charter 7 Nov. (1259) 44 Henry III a grant of those Baronies together with the Castle of Dungarvan^(b) whereby he may not improbably be considered a peer as LORD OF DECIES AND DESMOND^(c) [I]. He is sometimes stated to have *m.*, secondly, Honora O'CONNOR, but it is doubtful whether this lady (by whom he had four sons, each ancestor of a numerous race) was his *wife*. He *d.* 1261 being slain in a fight at Callan and was *bur.* in the Monastery of Tralee of which he was founder.

II. 1261. THOMAS FITZ-MAURICE (FITZ-GERALD), LORD OF DECIES AND DESMOND [I.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of Maurice FITZ-JOHN (by his 1st wife^(d) Joan, da. of John DE COGAN, of Carrigaline), which Maurice was s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, with whom he was slain in 1261. He was aged nine months at his father's death.^(e) In 1295 he was for some months CHIEF GOV. OF IRELAND as Lord Justice. He *m.* Margaret DE BURGH. He was living 4 May 1296 but *d.* before 1299 and was *bur.* in the Friary at Youghal which in 1268 he had completed. His widow *m.* in 1299 (without the Royal lic.) Reginald ROSEL, and was living Easter (1300) 28 Ed. I.

III. 1298? THOMAS-FITZ-THOMAS (FITZ-GERALD), LORD OF DECIES AND DESMOND [I.], s. and h., aged 10 years, Easter (1300) 28 Ed. I. He *d.* a minor and unm. before 2 April 1307, as appears by a writ of that date.

^(a) See some account of this honour of Kerry vol. i, preface, p. xi.

^(b) See some account of "the Decies" *ante*, p. 34, *sub*. "DECIES." Dungarvan being the *caput baronie* thereof, was itself considered a palatine honour. See vol. i, preface, p. xii.

^(c) It is, of course, doubtful whether the Lord of Decies and Desmond can be considered as holding a Peerage Barony in the sense now attributed thereto and consequently whether he is entitled to a place in this work. The same remark would, however, apply to other early Irish Baronies (Athenry, Kingsale, Kerry, &c.), which, tho' their origin is as uncertain as in this case, unquestionably *crystallised* into actual Peerage dignities. The ancestors of the Earls of Kildare, Ormonde, and Desmond, were, at the time of the creation of these respective Earldoms (1316, 1323, and 1329), in a position certainly equal to, if not greater than these Barons, and may, therefore, not unreasonably be supposed to have held similar Baronies. This Barony, however, the holder thereof having subsequently obtained an unquestionable peerage dignity in the Earldom, did *not* undergo a similar process of *crystallisation*. See also vol. ii, p. 94, note "c," *sub* "BUTLER."

^(d) The second wife Matilda de Barry was living as his widow, Easter (1300) 28 Ed. I.

^(e) He it is, probably, who was known as "Nappagh," *i.e.* (*Simiacus*) the ape, the tradition being that at the news of the death of his father and grandfather the servants ran away from the house at Tralee where he was in his cradle whence a Baboon carried him to the battlements of the Friary but brought him back safely. See "Lodge" i, p. 62, note; confirmed by Canon Hayman's "*Geraldine Documents*." The same story, somewhat differently told, is also applied to John Fitz-Thomas-Gerald, of Offaly, who was in 1316 *cr.* Earl of Kildare [I].

IV. 1308? 1. MAURICE-FITZ-THOMAS (FITZ-GERALD), LORD OF
Earldom [I.] DECIES AND DESMOND [I.], known as "*Maurice the great*," br. and h.

I. 1329. He was of full age before 12 Aug. 1315, and, having had livery of Decies and Desmond in 1312, had livery of Kerry in 1315. His powerful influence second to none (save perhaps the Earls of Ulster) caused him to be cr. 22 Aug. 1329, EARL OF DESMOND [I]. He was engaged frequently against the rebel Irish, taking, in 1339, the Lord of Kerry a prisoner. He took a prominent part in the remonstrance of the Irish against Sir John Morris, Chief Governor (1341-44) and the exclusion of the Anglo-Irish from authority. In 1344 he assisted in the French war. On 9 Aug. 1353 (but a few months before his death) he was made CH. GOV. OF IRELAND as Lord Justice for life. He *m.* firstly 13 Aug. 1312, at Greencastle, Margaret, 5th da. of Richard (DE BURGH), EARL OF ULSTER [I.], called the *Red Earl*, by Margaret, da. of John DE BURGH. She *d.* at Dublin 1331. He *m.* secondly Margaret, da. of Connor O'BRIEN, of Thomond. She *d.* s.p.m. He *m.* thirdly, Aveline or Elenor, da. of Nicholas (FITZ-MAURICE), 3d LORD OF KERRY [I.], above named, by Slany, da. of Connor O'BRIEN, of Thomond. He *d.* in Dublin Castle 25 Jan. 1355/6, and was *bur.* at Tralee, having some years previously settled his vast estates in tail male by a deed wherein he styles himself "*Comes Desmonice, Dominus Deyse [i.e., Decies] et de Ogonyll ac dominus Libertatis Kerrygye.*"^(a) His widow was living 1356.

II. 1356. 2. MAURICE-FITZ-MAURICE (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF
DESMOND [I.], known as "*Oge*," 1st s. and h., by 1st wife, was of full age and had livery of his lands 4 March 1358. He *m.* (with a portion of £1,000) Beatrix, da. of Ralph (STAFFORD), EARL OF STAFFORD, by Margaret, da. and h. of Hugh (AUDLEY), EARL OF GLOUCESTER. He *d.* s.p.m. 1358. His widow *m.* in 1368 Thomas (DE ROOS), 5th LORD ROOS, who *d.* 8 June 1383. She *m.* thirdly Sir Richard BURLEY, **K.G.**, who *d.* s.p. 23 May 1387. She *d.* 14 April 1415. Will dat. 25 June 1414, (directing her burial to be at Wartre,) pr. 16 May 1415.

III. 1358. 3. NICHOLAS-FITZ-MAURICE (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF
DESMOND [I.] by descent, next br. and h. (son of the 1st Earl by his 1st or 3d wife) being an idiot, was (practically) passed over, his estates being granted 33 Ed. III (1359) to his yr. br., Gerald. He *d.* unm. 1367.

IV. 1367. 4. GERALD-FITZ-MAURICE (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF
DESMOND [I.], known as "*The Poet*," next br. and h., being s. to the 1st Earl^(b) by his 3d wife. In 1359 he had livery of his brother's lands as above stated, to whose Earldom he *suc.* some seven years later. He was CHIEF GOV. OF IRELAND, as Lord Justice, 1367 to 1369, upholding his father's policy of amalgamation with the Native Irish. In 1386 he was Deputy Justiciar in Munster. Besides being a poet, he was a mathematician, and often looked upon as a magician. He *m.* in 1359 Eleanor, da. of James (BUTLER), 2d EARL OF ORMONDE [I.], by Elizabeth, da. of Sir John DARCY. With her he had the Barony of Inchiquin, in Imokilly. She *d.* 1392. He disappeared in 1398, being probably slain, by O'Brien of Thomond, near the island of Kerry, but believed by the peasantry "*to live beneath the waters of Lough Gur.*"^(c)

V. 1398. 5. JOHN-FITZ-GERALD (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF DES-
MOND [I.], s. and h. He was, 12 April 1386, Sheriff of co. Kerry and was knighted after an expedition against Scotland. He *m.* Mary, da. of Mac William BOURKE, or (according to Lodge) Joan, "*da. of the LORD FERMOY*" [I.] He *d.* 4 March 1399, being drowned in the river Suir, near Ardfinnan, and was *bur.* at Youghal. *Inq. post mortem* 30 May 1400, at Clonmell

^(a) See "*Lynch*," p. 243.

^(b) The first Earl had in all "four sons, *viz.*, Maurice, Nicholas, Gerald, and John, which *latter son* does not appear to have *suc.* to the dignity as has been by some writers [*e.g.*, "*Lodge*," who makes him 3d Earl from 1358 to 1369] stated." See "*Lynch*," p. 243. The "*Book of Howth*" (p. 118) calls Gerald the 3d Earl (ignoring his idiot br. Nicholas) and so *practically* (and possibly actually) he was.

^(c) Hayman's "Unpublished Geraldine documents."

VI. 1399. 6. THOMAS FITZ-JOHN (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF DESMOND [I.], only s. and h., a minor in 1402, as also in 1406, when he was granted livery of his lands. He *m.*, greatly below his station, Katharine, da. of one William McCORMICKE, one of his tenants, near the Abbey of Feale, known as "the Monk of Feale." This alliance created such displeasure that in 1418 he resigned his Earldom to his uncle, James, next below mentioned (who had expelled him from his estates) on condition of his son^(a) obtaining "an Earl's son's portion of^(b) land." He *d.* at Rouen, in Normandy, 16 Aug. 1420, and was *bur.* in a convent of Friars Preachers at Paris.

VII. 1418? 7. JAMES FITZ-GERALD (FITZ-GERALD), EARL^(c) OF DESMOND [I.], uncle of the last Earl, whose Earldom he assumed under a resignation in 1418, but was not acknowledged therein till 1422, having so lately as 1420 been made (as "James, son of Gerald, late Earl of Desmond") Senechal of Imokilly, Inchiquin, and Youghall. On 20 Aug. 1423, he was made Constable of Limerick for life. On 11 Aug. 1445, he was excused attendance at Parl. He *m.* Mary, da. of Ulick DE BURGO (Mac-William Eighter) or (according to Carew) da. of William Fitz-Rickard BURGH. He *d.* at Mocollop 1462, and was *bur.* at Youghall friary.^(d)

VIII. 1462. 8. THOMAS FITZ JAMES (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF DESMOND [I.], s. and h. He was LORD DEPUTY OF IRELAND, 1462-67, to George, Duke of Clarence, and was founder of the College of Youghall, 27 Dec. 1464. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of John (BARRY), 2d VISCOUNT BUTTEVANT OF BARRYMORE [I.] He was found guilty of extorting "*coyn and livery*" by a Parl. held at Drogheda where he was *beheaded* 15 Feb. 1467^(e) and *bur.* in St. Peter's Church, but subsequently removed to Christ Church, Dublin.^(f)

IX. 1467. 9. JAMES FITZ-THOMAS (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF DESMOND [I.], s. and h., who received considerable grants from the King. He *m.* Margaret, da. of Teige O'BRIEN, of Thomond. He *d.* s.p.m. 7 Dec. 1487, aged 28, being murdered "by the stroke of a bullet" at Rathkeale at the instigation of his yr. br. Sir John of Desmond; *bur.* at Youghall.

X. 1487. 10. MAURICE FITZ-THOMAS (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF DESMOND [I.] called "*Baccagh*" or "*of the Chariot*" (from being generally so carried as being lame) and called also "*Claudus*" and "*Bellicosus*," br. and h. male. He was one of the 15 Irish Peers sum. by Henry VII in 1489 to

^(a) According to the pedigree in Hayman's "Unpublished Geraldine documents" this Earl had two sons, *viz.* (1) "Maurice, to whom the manors of Adare, Moyallow, Kilcolman, and Broghill were assigned by James, Earl of Desmond, the usurper of his title; slain by Connor O'Muhrian," and (2) "John (Claragh), slain by his uncle in 1462." Of these sons the eldest, Maurice, had issue (1) "John, eldest son, who having killed a person at Adare fled to Scotland and was ancestor of the family of Adair in that Kingdom," and (2) "Maurice, Lord of the manors of Moyallow, Kilcolman, and Broghill, whose descendant Raymond Fitz-Gerald, of Broghill, was executed for treason in the reign of Elizabeth."

^(b) "Lodge," vol. i, p. 66.

^(c) According to "Carew" there was a Maurice (Fitz-Gerald), 6th Earl of Desmond (yr. br. of the 5th and elder br. of the 7th Earls) who *d.* s.p. 1410. This, however, disagrees with the more reliable evidence which has been followed in the text.

^(d) His second son Gerald Mor obtained the great Lordship of the Decies. See *ante*, p. 34, *note*, under "Decies."

^(e) John (Tiptoft), Earl of Worcester, the Chief Governor, thro' whom this act was carried out, was himself executed 18 Oct. 1470, for this and other acts of injustice. The story runs that Elizabeth Widville, the Queen Consort, who was a bitter enemy to Desmond had procured (privately) a privy seal warrant for his arrest and execution.

^(f) Sir Gerald Fitz-Thomas (Fitz-Gerald) called Gerald Oge, his 5th son, slain in 1477 was ancestor of James, who but for the attainder would, apparently, in 1687 have been entitled to the Earldom. See *infra*, p. 89, *note* "b."

England.^(a) He joined the rising for Perkin Warbeck and laid siege to Waterford from 23 July to 3 Aug. 1497, but made his peace the same year. He *m.* firstly Ellen, da. of Maurice (ROCHE), 1st VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY [L.] He *m.* secondly Honor, da. of "The White Knight." He *d.* 1520 and was *bur.* at the Friars Preachers at Tralee.

XI. 1520. 11. JAMES FITZ-MAURICE (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF DESMOND [I.], only surv. s. and h. He appears to have conspired with the French King in 1523 and with the German Emperor in 1528 and was proclaimed a rebel and traitor. He *m.* Amy, da. of Turlogh MAC-I-BRIEN-ARA, Bishop of Killaloe. He *d.* s.p.m. at Dingle (or Rathkeale) 18 June 1529, and was *bur.* (with his father) at Tralee.

XII. 1529. 12. THOMAS FITZ-THOMAS (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF DESMOND [I., called (Maol) "the Bald" and called also "the Victorious," uncle and h. male, being 3d s. of the 8th Earl He was *b.* 1454. In 1530 he confirmed the district called "the Decies" to his kinsman."^(b) He *m.* firstly, Shela (or Julia), da. of Cormac Laidir MAC CARTH, of Muskerry. She was living 1505. He *m.* secondly, Catharine, da. of John FITZ-GERALD, of the Decies, by Ellen, da. of John FITZ-GBBON, "the White Knight," which John Fitz-Gerald was s. and h. of Gerald, the 2d s. of James, 7th Earl of Desmond above named. He *d.* at Rathkeale, 1534, aged about 80 and was *bur.* at Youghal. His widow, the well known "Old Countess of Desmond," survived him nearly 70 years and *d.* s.p.m. 1604 aged, as generally reported, 140 years.^(c)

(^a) See their names in the Preface to vol. i, p. iii, note "a." The cause of this summons is stated to be as under:—"The King being still jealous of the nobility of Ireland, whom he knew to be exceedingly addicted to the House of York, sent for most of them [in 1489] to come over to him into England and thither went the Earl of KILDARE, the Viscounts BUTTEVANT and FERMOY, and the Lords of ATHENRY, KINGSALE, GORMANSTOWN, DELVIN, HOATH, SLANE, KILLEEN, TRIMLESTON, and DUNSANY." See Sir Richard Cox's "Hibernia Anglicana," 1689, 1st part p. 182. From this it would seem that the Earls of ORMONDE and DESMOND and the Lord KERRY stayed away, as they, with the 12 above named, were likewise so summoned.

(^b) See, *ante*, p. 85, note "d."

(^c) From a review in the "Her. and Gen." (vol. viii, pp. 269-280) of an exhaustive work on "Human Longevity," by William J. Thoms, F.S.A. (pub. 1872), it appears that the greatest number of years assigned to any one in our own country is as under, viz., (1) 169 years to HENRY JENKINS who *d.* 1670, (2) 152 years to "OLD PARR" who *d.* 1635, and (3) 140 years to the COUNTESS OF DESMOND who *d.* 1604. Of the Countess there is "a portrait now at Muckross claiming (in its inscription) to have been painted in 1614 (really nine years after her death)." She was, however, "first made famous from a passage in Sir Walter Raleigh's *History of the World* (1614)" who states that he himself knew her and that she "was married in Edward IV's time" and "lived in 1589 [when, apparently, he saw her] and many years since;" and "again in the *Itinerary* of Fynes Moryson (1617) it is stated that 'in our time, the Irish Countess of Desmond lived to the age of about 140 years being able to go on foot four or five miles to the market town and using weekly so to do in her last years; and not many years before she died she had all her teeth renewed.' Upon these two passages all subsequent accounts of the old Countess from Lord Bacon and Archbishop Usher down to the days of Pinnock's catechisms and Penny Cyclopedias have been founded, with various imaginary embellishments of which the most ornamental are derived from the *Historic Doubts* of Horace Walpole and the *poetry* of Thomas Moore." The date of her marriage is unknown, but as her husband's former wife was "living in 1505" and most probably for some years longer" it "did not take place till long after the death of King Edward IV nor perhaps her birth either; her dancing with Richard, Duke of Gloucester, being nothing but an imaginative embellishment given by Horace Walpole. So far Sir Walter Raleigh was wrong but as her husband died in 1537 [1534] she might well be called the old Countess in 1589, having been a widow for 52 [55] years. Her death took place in 1604 but *not*, upon any good evidence; by falling from a cherry tree as

* *i.e.*, 20 Hen. VII *not* (1528) 20 Hen. VIII, as sometimes (incorrectly) stated.

[MAURICE FITZ-THOMAS (FITZ-GERALD), only s. and h. ap. by 1st wife. He *m.* Joan, da. of John FITZ-GIBBON, "*the White Knight*." He *d.* (six months after his Father became Earl) of plague at Jerpoint in Kilkenny, 1529, v.p., and was *bur.* there.]

XIII. 1534^(a) 13. JAMES FITZ-MAURICE (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF DESMOND [I.], called "*The Court Page*," grandson and h.^(a), being only s. and h. of Maurice FITZ-THOMAS and Joan his wife, above named. Having been hostage for his grandfather, he was brought up in the English Court, and became Page to Henry VIII. He was sent back to Ireland with a great retinue, but was slain at Leacansgail, co. Kerry, shortly after his arrival by his cousin Maurice, br. to the next Earl. He *m.* Mary, da. of Cormac Oge MACCARTHY, who was br. to his grandmother above named. He *d.*, as above stated, 19 March 1540, s.p.m.^(b), and was *bur.* at Youghall. His widow *m.* Daniel O'SULLIVAN-MORE, and *d.* 1548.

XIV. 1540. 14. JAMES FITZ-JOHN (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF DESMOND [I.], cousin and h. male, being 2nd but 1st surv. s. and h. male of Sir John of Desmond, by Maud, da. of Donogh O'BRIEN, of Carrigo-gunnell, co. Limerick, which Sir John was 4th s. of the 8th Earl, and had himself assumed the Earldom in 1534 to the exclusion of his great-nephew next abovenamed.^(a) He was present in the Parl. that recognised Henry VIII as "*King of Ireland*;" was Lord Treasurer [I.] 1542-51 and 1553-58, and Privy Councillor [I.] He *m.* four times, *viz.*, firstly, his great-niece Joan, da. of Maurice (ROCHE), VISCOUNT FERMOY [I.] by Eleanor, da. of Sir Maurice FITZ-JOHN (FITZ-GERALD), yr. br. to him, the said 14th Earl. He, however, divorced her and considered her issue bastardised.^(c) He *m.* secondly More, da. of Sir Maolrony O'CARROLL, of Ely O'Carroll, by Margery, da. of Turlogh O'BRIEN of Thomond. She *d.* 1548. He *m.* thirdly, Catherine, widow of Richard (POWER), BARON LE POWER [I.] da. of Pierce (BUTLER), EARL OF OSSORY and ORMONDE [I.] by Margaret, da. of Gerald (FITZ-GERALD) 8th EARL OF KILDARE [I]. She, by whom he had no issue, *d.* at Askeaton, co. Limerick, 17 March 1552/3. He *m.* fourthly, Ellen, sister of Donald, 1st EARL OF CLANCARE [I.] da. of Donald Mac-Cormac Ladrach MAC-CARTEY MOR. He *d.* 14 Oct., and was *bur.* 1 Nov., 1558, at Askeaton. His widow *d.* in 1560.

was sung† by Tom Moore." The date of her marriage may be *any time* between 1505 and 1534. She was however young enough to bear children or, at all events, one child Katharine, wife of Philip Barry Oge. If, indeed, she *did* marry as early as 1505 and was then 41 !! she *would* have been 140 in 1604, but if the marriage took place, in say 1531, at her much more probable age of 21 she would at her death have been but 94 years of age, and if in 1521 at the same age (21), she would have died at the age of 104, possibly a date transformed into 140. No additional information on this point is furnished by Mr. R. Sainthill in his book upon her. Sir John Harington alludes to her age as "above 120" when writing in 1605 of Ireland. The story of her having come up to London in 1587 to supplicate for a pension relates (not to *her*, but) to Eleanor, widow of the rebel Earl.

(^a) The succession of the 13th Earl was disputed by Sir John Fitz-Thomas (Fitz-Gerald) of Desmond, his great uncle, 4th s. of the 8th, and yr. br. of the 9th, 10th, and 12th Earl. This John who styled himself "EARL OF DESMOND," and is sometimes so considered *d.* at a great age, Christmas 1536 in the Abbey of Tralee.

(^b) His only da. Judith *d.* unm. 1565.

(^c) See pedigree in Hayman's "Geraldine documents."

† *i.e.*, in his "Fudge Letters" where he states that we are told

"That she lived to much more than a *hundred and ten*
And was killed by a fall from a cherry tree then ;
What a frisky old girl !"

In the Earl of Leicester's "Table Book" it is stated that "shee must needs climb a nut-tree to gather nuts, soe falling down, &c." See Sir B. Burke's "Vicissitudes of Families," 2d series, p. 416.

XV. 1558, 15. GERALD FITZ JAMES (FITZ-GERALD) EARL OF DESMOND called "*The Rebel Earl*," who, if the issue of his Father's first wife were considered bastards, would be heir of his Father, being 1st s. by the *second* wife. He was recognised as Earl of Desmond, in the Parl. that sat at Dublin 12 Jan. 1559. Tho' one of the greatest subjects in Europe his restless spirit was not contented and for nearly 10 years (the confederacy into which he entered being dated 18 July 1574) he carried on a formidable rebellion and was attainted 15 Nov. 1582, whereby *all his honours* (as also his estates of some 600,000 acres) became *forfeited*. He *m.* firstly some date after 1549, Joan, Dow. COUNTESS OF OSSORY AND ORMONDE [I.] widow of Sir Francis BRYAN, da. and sole h. of James, 11th EARL OF DESMOND [I.] and Amy, his wife, abovenamed. By her who *d.* in 1564 and was *bur.* at Askeaton, he had no surv. issue. He *m.* secondly, Eleanor, da. of Edmond (BUTLER) BARON DUNBOYNE [I.] She joined him in England (where he was detained 1567-73) in 1570. He was slain while under attainder, 11 Nov. 1583, at Glanaginty, by one Daniel Kelly his head being fixed over London Bridge ("*ingens rebellibus exemplar*") and his body *bur.* in Killannamagh Chapel, near Kerry. His widow *m.* Denogh O'Connor, of co. Sligo, and *d.* 1636, being *bur.* near the Abbey of St. Dominick, co. Sligo. Will dat. 5 Sept. 1636, proved in Dublin.

XVI. 1600 1. JAMES FITZ-GERALD, 1st and possibly only ^(a) s. and h. to by the 2d wife is said to have been *b.* in England and to have been a godson of the Queen. He was certainly a hostage there and a prisoner in the Tower in 1584. In order, however, to neutralise the pretensions of those who in Ireland assumed the Earldom and who were hostile to the English government he was by patent, dat. at Oatlands, 1 Oct., 1600, *cr.* and restored as EARL OF DESMOND [I.] "to hold the same as fully as Gerard, his father, with the title of BARON OF INCHQUIN [I.] to be borne by his eldest son and heir apparent," ^(b) with rem. to the heirs male of his body. He who is called "*The Queen's Earl*" was sent into Ireland to draw to himself the ancient followers of his race, but having professed the protestant religion, was able to effect nothing and returned to London where he *d.* unnm. Nov. 1601, when *all the honours* conferred by the patent of 1600 became *extinct*.

Notwithstanding the *attainder* of 1582 and the doubtful legitimacy of the children of the first wife of the 14th Earl; the title was assumed after his death in 1558, as under :—

XV. 1558. 15. SIR THOMAS FITZ-JAMES (FITZ-GERALD), called (*Ruak*) "*the Red*," s. and h. of the 14th Earl, by his first wife, but bastardized and disinherited by his father from whom, however, he inherited the lands of Killnataloon and Castlemore. He apparently never assumed the Earldom tho. sum. as an Earl to the Parl. of 3 Ph. and Mary. He was knighted 2 Sep. 1569, at Limerick, by the Lord Deputy Sidney [I.] as "Thomas Fitz-Gerald, *alias* O'Desmond." He *m.* Elice who is called, by some, the da. of Richard (POWER), BARON LE POWER [I.], by others, da. of Theobald (BUTLER), BARON CAHER [I.] and by others da. of David (ROCHE), VISCOUNT FERMOY [I.] He *d.* 18 Jan. 1595, at his Castle of Connagh and was *bur.* at Youghal.

(a) There is a tradition that a yr. s. Thomas (who *d.* s p.) existed.

(b) See "*Lynch*," p. 258, who calls attention to the fact that the *attainder* by *act of parl.* remained unrepealed and quotes the case of the Earldom of Kildare [I.] attainted by act of parl. 28 Hen. VIII and restored by letters patent (only) 13 May 1554 "from which it might be inferred that the prerogative of the Crown was greater in Ireland than it appears to have been in England." It should be remarked that the BARONY OF INCHQUIN [I.] was in 1600 (as it now also is) a, Peerage [I.] *cr.* 1543, in actual existence, held by the family of O'Brien.

XVI. 1595. 16. JAMES FITZ-THOMAS (FITZ-GERALD), s. and h. assumed the title of EARL OF DESMOND [I.] when he joined O'Neil's rebellion in 1598, taking command in Munster and was called "*The Sujan (i.e., the Straw or Sham) Earl.*" He is said to have m. three times, viz. firstly, a da. of Theobald (BUTLER), BARON CAHER [I.], secondly, a da. of John (POWER), BARON LE POWER, and thirdly, Ellen, widow of Maurice Fitz-Gibbon, the s. and h. ap. of the White Knight. She was, however, either dead or divorced before 1600, when his re-marriage was contemplated. He was *attainted* 10 March 1600-1, and finally was taken prisoner 29 May 1601, and sent to England where he d. s.p.legit. in the Tower of London in 1608 or 1612.

XVII. 1608, 17. JOHN FITZ-THOMAS (FITZ-GERALD), br. and h.,
or who assumed the title of EARL OF DESMOND [I.] He had assisted his brother in his rebellion, but fled to Spain in 1603. He m. 1612. [—], da. of Richard COMERFORD of Danganmore, co. Kilkenny. He was living in Spain in 1615.

XVIII. 1615? 18. GERALD FITZ JOHN (FITZ-GERALD), only s. and
to h. He appears also to have assumed the title of EARL OF DESMOND [I.], and served in the armies of the King of Spain and 1632. the Emperor. He d. unm. in 1632, in Germany, when the *issue male* of James (9th Earl), Maurice (10th Earl), Thomas (12th Earl), and John, the 4 eldest sons of Thomas, the 8th Earl, became *extinct*^(a), and any continuous usage of the title appears to have been abandoned^(b)

XVII. 1619 I. RICHARD (PRESTON), LORD DINGWALL [S.],
to having an only da. (his presumptive heir), who was destined by that all-powerful Court favourite, the Marquess of Buckingham to be married to that nobleman's nephew, the Hon. George Feilding [mentioned below] was, by the Marquess's influence, *cr.* by pat. dat. at Westm.^(c) 11 July 1619, BARON DUNMORE, co. Kilkenny, and EARL OF DESMOND [I.] He d. s.p.m. 28 Oct 1628, when the peerages so conferred became *extinct*, the Scotch Barony of Dingwall descending to his da. and heir of line. Admon, 16 Dec. 1628. His wife, who d. in Wales 18 days before him was *bur.* (possibly re-interred) at Westm. Abbey (as "Countess of Desmond") 17 March 1628/9.

See fuller account under "DINGWALL" Barony [S.], cr. 1607.

XVIII. 1622, I. "GEORGE FEILDING, Esquire [second] son of
in reversion. William, EARL OF DENBIGH, and nephew of George, MARQUESS OF BUCKINGHAM"^(d) [his mother, Susan, being da. of Sir 1628, George VILLIERS and sister to the said Marquess, (afterwards *in possession.* Duke) of Buckingham] was by the Court influence of his said

^(a) In 1601, according to the relation of "the Sujan Earl" (placed in the hands of Sir George Caréw), there were then, besides himself, but three such existing, viz (1) his own brother, John [his successor,], (2) "The Queen's Earl" [*i.e.*, the Earl who d. s.p. 1601], and (3) Maurice, only surv. s. of John Oge, the yst. s. of Sir John of Desmond, the 4th s. of the 8th Earl. This Maurice d. s.p.

^(b) The male representative of the Earldom appears after 1632 to be in the descendants of Gerald Oge (slain 1477), 5th and yst. s. of the 8th Earl. The male issue of Gerald's *eldest* son, James FitzGerald of Macollop, existed in 1663; and, in 1687, James Fitzgerald (the great-great-grandson of Thomas Fitz-Gerald of Kilmacow, who was *youngest* s. of the said Gerald Oge) appears to have been called *Earl of Desmond*. This James d. s.p.m. in 1742 or 1743 at Grange, co. Waterford, being apparently the last male issue of the 8th Earl, and not improbably (the *male* line of Fitz-Gerald of Decies having ended in 1664) even of the 1st Earl. See p. 85, note "f."

^(c) No entry thereof is found in the patent rolls. It is, however, alluded to in the patent of the creation of the Viscounty of Callan [I.] 7 Nov 1622. See "Creations 1483-1646" in ap. 47th Rep. D. K. Pub. Records. It is to be noted that the *wife* of the grantee, Elizabeth, da. and h. of Thomas (Butler), Earl of Ossory and Ormonde [I.], was grand-daughter of James, also Earl of Ossory and Ormonde [I.], and Joan, his wife, da. and h. of James, 11th *Earl of Desmond*, [I.] who d. s.p.m. 1529.

^(d) "Creations, 1483-1646" in ap. 47th. Rep. D. K. Pub. Records.

uncle, *cr.* 7 Nov. 1622, when about 8 years of age, BARON FEILDING OF LECAGH, co. Tipperary and VISCOUNT CALLAN, co. Kilkenny [I.] as also *in reversion* after the death of the present holder thereof without heir male of the body (the da. and h. presumptive of such holder being designed for his wife) EARL OF DESMOND [I.] He was (as Viscount Callan) made K.B., 1 Feb. 1625/6, at the coronation of Charles I. On 29 Oct. 1628 he became EARL OF DESMOND [I.] *in possession* on the death s.p.m. of the last Earl, under the spec. rem. in the creation of that dignity in 1622. He m. 17 April 1630, at St. Peter's, Cornhill, London, Bridget (*b.* about 1615) youngest of the 3 daughters and coheirs^(a) of Sir Michael STANHOPE of Sudbury, Suffolk, by Anne, da. of Sir William READE of Osterley, Midx. He *d.* 31 Jan'y. 1665/6 in his 49th year and was *bur.* at Euston, Suffolk; M.I.

XIX. 1666. 2. WILLIAM (FEILDING), EARL OF DESMOND, &c., [I.], s. and h. *b.* 29 Dec. 1640; *styled* VISCOUNT CALLAN till 1666. On the death of his uncle, 28 Nov. 1675, he *suc.* him as EARL OF DENBIGH, &c. See "DENBIGH" Earldom of, *cr.* 1622, under the 3d Earl.

DESMOND AND CLAN GIBBON.

See "FITZ GERALD OF DESMOND AND CLAN GIBBON, co. Cork," Barony (*Fitz-Gerald*), *cr.* 1855; *cx.* 1843.

DE SOMERY (*of Dudley*), see SOMERY.

DESPENCER, or LE DESPENCER.

Barony by

Writ.

I. 1264.

1. HUGH LE DESPENCER^(b) is presumed to have been s. and h. of Sir Geoffrey and to have *suc.* his father about 1251. He was in June, 1258, one of the 12 reps. of the Barons to the council of 24; in 1260 was Justice itinerant in three counties, and in Oct. 1260, was appointed JUSTICIARY OF ENGLAND by the Barons, being displaced, however, shortly afterwards but re-appointed 15 July 1263. He fought on the side of the Barons at the battle of Lewes 13 May 1264, being on 13 Sep. named one of the arbitrators between them and the King. On 14 Dec. (1264), 49 Hen. III.^(c)

(a) She was "brought up in a cottage" being disowned by her Father, who, indeed, is supposed to have poisoned her mother, shortly after her birth. In the mon. inscrip. put up by her Father, to himself, some 4 years after her birth and 2 years before his own death (which took place 18 Dec. 1621) his issue is stated to have been two daughters [only] viz. (1) Jane, Lady Fitzwalter and (2) Elizabeth, Lady Berkeley. See Smith's "Lives of the Berkeleys" vol. II. p. 429.

(b) For the early descent of this family see Mr. Townsend's able disquisition in "Coll. Top. et Gen." vol. V. p. 5 and vol. VII. p. 278.

(c) As to the writ of (1264) 49 Hen. III. "the first writ extant," see vol. II., p. 333, note "d," *sub.* "COLVILL."—Le Despencer is placed 3d of the 18 Barons, which (with 5 Earls) were thereby sum. being (tho' styled "Justic. Angl.") placed next below Camoys and St. John (neither of whom appear to have held official dignity) while de Roos (generally considered as the premier Barony *by writ* now existing) is placed as the eleventh. Whether, however, this placing can be held to shew their relative rank is doubtful, and the House of Lords in 1878 (in the Mowbray case) held that no *peerage* dignity can be *cr.* by a writ issued in rebellion as the writ of 1264 undoubtedly was. This holding, tho' a very reasonable one, is apparently in direct contradiction to what was held in 1604, and, again, in 1806, at which dates the Baronies of Le Despencer and De Roos (each claiming under this writ of 1264) were respectively allowed.

In the writ of 24 June (1295) 23 Ed. I. (in which 11 Earls and 53 Barons were summoned) out of the six Baronies (Abergavenny, de Roos, Le Despencer, Mowbray, Segrave and Hastings) now existing which purport to be of the date of 1295, or of an earlier date (1) any right to the anomalous Barony of *Abergavenny* was at that date vested in the holder of the Barony of Hastings, and was placed

he was sum. as a Baron (LORD LE DESPENCER) to Montfort's Parl. on whose side he was slain 4 Aug. 1265 at the battle of Evesham. His widow, Aliva, da. and h. of Philip BASSET, of Wycombe, Bucks, also Justiciary of England, by Helewis, his wife, *m.* before 1271 when she was aged 26 (as his 1st wife) Roger (BIGOD), EARL OF NORFOLK, who survived her and *d.* 11 Dec. 1306.

II. 1265, 2. HUGH LE DESPENCER (generally called "*Senior*"),
to s. and h., *b.* 1262, being aged 21 on 1 March 1283, shortly after
1326. which date (before 8 Nov. 1286), he *m.* Isabel, widow of Patrick
CHAWORTH, da. of William (BEAUCHAMP), EARL OF WARWICK, by
Maud, da. and coheir of Richard FITZ-JOHN. He served in the
Welsh and Scotch wars, being one of the warriors at the siege of Caerlaverock
in 1300. He was, with 60 others, sum. to attend the King, 8 June (1294),
22 Ed. I.^(a) and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD LE DESPENCER
from 23 June (1295)^(b) 23 Ed. I. to 14 March (1321/2) 15 Ed. II.,^(c) P.C.
both to Edward I. and Edward II. At the coronation of Edward II. (25 Feb.
1308) he bore part of the royal insignia. His well-known fidelity to that King, who
indeed loaded him with favours, was the cause of his being banished in July 1321.
He however returned next year and having assisted at the King's victory at Borough-
bridge, was on 10 May 1322 *cr.* EARL OF WINCHESTER^(d) for life, with rem. to
his son Hugh and his heirs, other royal grants and offices following. When the
Queen consort, Isabella (whose influence he had always opposed) landed in England in
Sep. 1326, he was taken by her forces and hanged, 27 Oct. 1326, outside the city of
Bristol aged 64 (his head being sent to Winchester) when having been declared a
traitor by Parl. *all his honours became forfeited.*

III. 1314, 3. HUGH LE DESPENCER (*Junior*), 1st son and h. of
to the above, made **K.B.** at the creati on of the Prince of Wales in 1301,
having *m.* in May 1306 at the Friars Minors, London, Eleanora (then
1326. aged but 13), 1st da. of Gilbert (DE CLARE), EARL OF GLOUCESTER
AND HERTFORD, (by the Lady Joan PLANTAGENET, 3rd da. of King
Edward I and sister to the reigning King), which Lady, in 1314, having become coheir
to the vast estates of her br., Gilbert, the last Earl, was sum. v.p. to Parl. as a Baron
(LORD LE DESPENCER) by writs directed "*Hugoni Le Despencer, Juniori*" from
29 July (1314) 8 Ed. II to 10 Oct (1325) 19 Ed. II. He had previously (in 1312)
been one of the Godparents to Prince Edward (afterwards Edward III) and (in 1313)
been made Chamberlain to the King, in room of Gaveston, to whose place, in the
King's favour, he eventually succeeded. He obtained (in right of his wife) nearly the
whole County of Glamorgan, and is accordingly sometimes spoken of as "*Lord of
Glamorgan,*" and even as "*Earl of Gloucester*"^(e). Together with his father he was

accordingly; (2) De Roos, which is ranked "in Garter's Roll" of 1890, *above*
Mowbray is placed *sixth* while (3) Mowbray is placed *second*, (the Barony
of Wake being placed *first*). The Barony of (4) Segrave is placed *twenty-eighth*;
that of *Le Despencer* placed *twenty-sixth*; and that of *Hastings* (with Abergavenny?)
twenty-third; so that if *such* placing be taken as a test of their ranking, they should
be placed as (1) Mowbray; (2) De Roos; (3) Hastings; (4) Le Despencer; and (5)
Segrave, which last Barony is indeed generally held to have been *cr.* by this writ of
1295. As to the pre-eminence of Le Despencer, under the patent restoring it in
1604, see *infra*.

(^a) As to the writ of 1294 not constituting a regular summons to Parl. see vol. i.,
p. 259, *sub.* "Basset de Sapcote."

(^b) This date (1295) would in all probability be, in these days, considered as that
of the origin of the Barony, but the patent of 25 May (1604) 2 Jac. i. gives it the
pre-eminence of (1264) 49 *Hen. III.*

(^c) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(^d) "The words of creation are *ipsunqve Hugonem gladio cinximus in Comitum
Wynton*. There is no extension of the dignity, but the annuity given with it extended
to Hugh Le Despencer, junior, son of the grantee" [*Courthope*.]

(^e) "It is evident that he never bore that title, for not only is he not called so by

banished in 1321, but returned in 1322, and received fresh grants from the King. With him he fled from London 2 Oct. 1326, and was taken prisoner 16 Nov. at Llantrissaint tried at Hereford, and there hanged 29 Nov. 1326 (his head being sent to London, Bridge), when, having been declared a traitor by Act of Parliament, *all his honours became forfeited*. His widow was imprisoned in the Tower of London till 5 Feb. (1327/8), 2 Ed. III, after which date she *m.* William (ZOUCHE), LORD ZOUCHE DE MORTIMER (so sum. 1326 to 1327). She *d.* 30 June 1337.

IV. 1338, 4. HUGH LE DESPENCER, s. and h. *b.* 1308, being aged 29 to at his mother's death, 1337. He served in the Scotch and French wars, and is said to have been made a Knight Banneret. He 1349. was sum. to Parl. as a Baron ^(a). (LORD LE DESPENCER) by writs, 15 June (1338) 12 Ed. III. ^(b) to 1 Jan'y (1348/9) 12 Ed. III. He is sometimes spoken of as "LORD OF GLAMORGAN." He *m.* Elizabeth, widow of Giles, LORD BADLESMEBE (who *d.* 1333), da. of William (MONTACUTE), (1st EARL OF SALISBURY, by Catherine, da. of William GRANDISON) LORD GRANDISON. He *d.* s.p. 8 Feb. 1348/9, when any *Barony cr. by the writ of 1338* became extinct. His widow *m.* thirdly Guy (BRYAN), LORD BRYAN (so sum. 1350 to 1390) who *d.* 17 Aug. 1390. She *d.* 31 May 1359. ^(c).

V. 1357. 5. EDWARD LE DESPENCER, nephew and h. being s. and h. of Sir Edward Le Despencer, of Perlethorpe, Notts, by Anne, da. of Henry (FERRERS), LORD FERRERS DE GROBY, which Edward was next br. to the last Lord and *d.* 1342 (will pr. at Lincoln) leaving his said son then aged 6. He was at the battle of Poitiers 1356. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD LE DESPENCER) by writs 15 Dec. (1357), 31 Ed. III. ^(d), to 6 Oct. (1372), 46 Ed. III. In 1359, being then 23, he inherited the Castle and Manor of Hanley and other jointure lands of his uncle's widow above named. **K.G.** circa 1361. He *m.* before 5 April 1369, Elizabeth, who at that date was aged 27, and entitled, by her father's death, to be *suo jure* BARONESS BURGHERSH (see that dignity). He *d.* 11 Nov. 1375 at Cardiff Castle, and was *bur.* at Tewkesbury. Will, in which he styles himself "Lord of Glamorgan and Morgannock," dat. 6 Nov. 1375, pr. at Lincoln. His widow *d.* Aug. 1409, and was *bur.* with him. Will, in which she styles herself "*Elizabeth de Burghersh, Dame Le Despencer*," dat. 4 July and pr. 10 Aug. 1409.

VI. 1375, 6. THOMAS (LE DESPENCER), LORD LE DESPENCER, s. to and h., *b.* 22 Sep. 1373, and aged but 2 years at the death of his father. **K.G.** in or before April 1386^(e). He was sum. to Parl. from 1400. 30 Nov. (1396), 20 Ric. II to 18 July (1397), 21 Ric. II, in which last year he obtained^(f) the reversal of the attainder of his ancestors, Hugh the 2nd Lord, and Hugh the 3rd Lord; whereby the *Barony of the earliest writ* by

Dugdale, but in the Parl. before his execution, *viz.*, 19 Ed. II he was sum. as *Hugh Le Despencer, junior*. [See "Nicolas," sub "GLOUCESTER."]

In "*Coll. Top. et Gen.*" Vol. vi., p. 18, there occurs this passage: "Anno D'ni 1326, in vigilia S'ci Andreæ Apostoli, apud Hertfordiam [sic], Hugo iste Le Despencer secundus, Camerarius Edwardi Secundi, quem idem Rex promoverat in Comitum Glocestrie, jure uxoris, Aleanoræ de Clare, crudeliter sine judicio et responsione suspensus, distractus, et in quatuor partes divisus fuit."—Glover, Ph. 12, 80, p. 75 in Coll. Arm. [The MS. so quoted is *not*, however, a record, nor of any valid authority.]

^(a) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

^(b) In the Parl. of 1338 his name is the last of the Barons thereto summoned.

^(c) See, however; Vol. II., p. 44, note "c," sub. "Bryan," for a different version as to the date of death of this Lady. Her coffin and that of her husband was examined in 1875. See "*N. and Q.*" 6th, S. VIII, 422.

^(d) He is placed, in the Parl. of 1357, as second on the list of Barons, Mowbray being next above, and Percy next below him.

^(e) Date of Garter robes to Constance, "Lady Le Despencer."

^(f) *Rot. Parl.* 21 Ric. II, No 60, 64, and 65. In his petition to Parl. it appears that his great-grandfather, Hugh, held no less than 59 Lordships, possessing 28,000 sheep, &c., &c.

which it was created became *vested in him*. He upheld King Richard II against the party of Thomas "of Woodstock," Duke of Gloucester, and of the Earls of Arundel and Warwick, joining, 21 Aug. 1397, in the appeal of treason against them. Eleven days after the murder of the Duke of Gloucester he was himself *cr.*, 29 Sep. 1397, EARL OF GLOUCESTER, a title to which (in right of his representation of his great-grandmother Eleanor, above named, the senior coheir of the family of Clare, Earls of Gloucester) he had some claim. He was in command of the rear guard of the army that in 1399 went with the King into Ireland. On 30 Sep. 1399 he was joint Commissioner for the deposition of the King. He was, however, tried (with the other appellants) for his conduct in 1397, and, on 6 Oct 1399, was *degraded from his Earldom*^(a). He *m.* before April 1386^(b) the Lady Constance PLANTAGENET, da. of Edmund, DUKE OF YORK (5th s. of King Edward III), by his first wife Isabel, da. of Peter, KING OF CASTILE AND LEON. He joined in the conspiracy of the Earls of Rutland, Kent, Salisbury, and Huntingdon; was taken prisoner to Bristol, and there *beheaded* 17 Jan 1399/1400, when, having been attainted on the 5th inst., *all his honours became forfeited*. He was *bur.* at Tewkesbury. His widow, for whom *robes of the Garter* were issued in April 1386 (as "Lady Le Despencer"), and again (as Countess) in April 1399, accused her br. Edward, Duke of York, of treason in 1405. She is said herself to have been the paramour^(c) of Edmund (Holand), Earl of Kent, who *d.* 18 Sep. 1408. She *d.* 28 Nov. 1416.

The following persons would have been entitled to the Barony of Le Despencer had it not have been for the attainder of 1400.

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| <p>VII. 1400. 7. RICHARD LE DESPENCER, only s. and h. of the last Lord. He indeed was <i>styled</i> LORD LE DESPENCER, v.p., as the s. and h. ap. of an Earl. On the death Aug. 1409, of his grandmother, Elizabeth, Lady Le Despencer (<i>née</i> Burghersh) above named he became, apparently, <i>de jure</i>, LORD BURGHESH. He <i>d.</i> s.p. and under age 14 Oct. 1414.</p> | } | For fuller account see "BURGHESH," Barony of. |
| <p>VIII. 1414. 8. ISABEL, apparently <i>suo jure</i> BARONESS BURGHESH, only surv. sister and sole heir. She <i>m.</i> firstly Richard (BEAUCHAMP), EARL OF WORCESTER and LORD ABERGAVENNY, who <i>d.</i> s.p.m. 1422. She <i>m.</i> secondly Richard (BEAUCHAMP), EARL OF WARWICK, and <i>d.</i> Jany. 1439/40.</p> | } | For fuller account see "WARWICK," Earldom of. |
| <p>IX. 1440. 9. HENRY (BEAUCHAMP), EARL OF WARWICK, and, apparently, LORD BURGHESH, only s. and h. of his mother, by her 2d husband. He was <i>b.</i> 1424, <i>suc.</i> as Earl of Warwick 1439, and was, in 1444, <i>cr.</i> DUKE OF WARWICK. He <i>d.</i> s.p.m. 11 June 1445.</p> | } | For fuller account see "WARWICK," Earldom of. |
| <p>X. 1445, to 1449. 10. ANNE, <i>suo jure</i> COUNTESS OF WARWICK, and, apparently, BARONESS BURGHESH, only da. and h. She <i>d.</i> an infant 3 June 1449, when the right to the BARONY OF BURGHESH, as also (<i>subject to the attainder</i>) to the BARONY OF LE DESPENCER fell into <i>abejance</i>.^(d)</p> | } | For fuller account see "WARWICK," Earldom of. |

^(a) The sudden death in 1399 of Humphrey Plantagenet, styled Earl of Buckingham, only s. and h. ap. of Thomas, Duke of Gloucester (who appears never to have assumed his Father's dignities), was attributed to, but altogether denied by him.

^(b) See p. 92, note "e."

^(c) See Vol. I, p 199, note "b," *sub.* "Audley;" Eleanor, wife of James (Touchet), Lord Audley [1408-59], was said to be a bastard da. of the said Constance by the said Earl of Kent.

^(d) The two coheirs were (1) George (Nevill), Lord Abergavenny, s. and h. of Edward, Lord A., by Elizabeth, eldest da. of Isabel *suo jure* Baroness Burghersh above named and her only child by her *first* husband, Richard, Earl of Worcester; and

[The attainder of this Barony in the person of the 6th Lord [1400] was reversed in 1461 [1 Ed. IV.] but the right to it was (together with the Barony of Burghersh) at that time in abeyance^(a) and continued so (subject, of course, to the effect of the different attainders of the coheirs, until 1604^(b)) when it was allowed as under.]

VII. 1604. 7. DAME MARY FANE became, by patent 25 May (1604) 2 Jac. I., *suo jure* BARONESS LE DESPENCER, the abeyance of that Barony, to which she was a coheir, being at that date terminated in her favour and confirmed to her with such preeminence as Hugh Le Despencer, Justiciar of England, sum. to Parl. (1264) 40 Hen. III. enjoyed; such confirmation being made at the same time as that on which the Barony of Abergavenny, which she claimed as heir *general*, was confirmed to the heir *male*. See fuller particulars under "Abergavenny." This lady was da. and sole h. of Henry (NEVILL) LORD ABERGAVENNY, by Frances, da. of Thomas (MANNERS), EARL OF RUTLAND, and was *b.* 1554. She *m.* (as his second wife) 12 Dec. 1574 at Birling, co. Kent, Sir Thomas FANE, of Badsell, in that co., s. and h. of George F. of the same, by Joan, da. of William WALLER. He, who had been involved in Wyatt's rebellion, was Knighted 20 Aug. 1573 at Dover and *d.* 13 March 1589 and was *bur.* at Mereworth co. Kent. M.I. Will dated 12 March 1589. The Lady inherited Mereworth and other estates at the death of her Father, 10 March 1586/7, shortly after which she commenced her claim to the Barony of Abergavenny and was rewarded (in lieu thereof) with the Barony of Le Despencer to which (as well as to the Barony of Burghersh) she was coheir. being da. and h. of Henry, s. and h. of George, s. and h. of George, Lords Abergavenny, which last George was s. and h. of Edward (Nevill) Lord Abergavenny, by Elizabeth da. and coheir of Isabel *suo jure* Baroness Burghersh above named (only child of her *first* husband, the Earl of Worcester) which Isabel was da. of Thomas (Le Despencer) Earl of Gloucester and Lord Le Despenser, and would, but for her Father's attainder in 1400, have in 1414, *suc.* her brother as *suo jure* Baroness Le Despencer. ^(c) She *d.* 28 June 1626 aged 72 and was *bur.* at Mereworth. Will pr. 1629.

VIII. 1626. 8. FRANCIS (FANE), EARL OF WESTMORLAND and }
 BARON BURGHESH, s. and h., *suc.* on the death of his mother }
 as LORD LE DESPENCER, having previously, 29 Dec 1624, been *cr.* BARON }
 BURGHESH and EARL OF WESTMORLAND^(d). He *d.* 23 March }
 1628/9, aged 45. } See next page.

(2) Anne, *suo jure* Countess of Warwick, wife of Richard (Nevill), Earl of Salisbury and Warwick, 2d and *yst.* da. of the said Isabel, Baroness Burghersh, and her only da. by her *second* husband, Richard, Earl of Warwick. It is to be remarked that Anne, the last named coheir, was sister of the *whole* blood to Henry, Duke of Warwick (in whom the right to the Baronies of Le Despencer and Burghersh was vested), while Elizabeth, the mother of the other coheir (Lord Abergavenny) was sister of the *half* blood *ex parte materna* to the said Duke. See vol. ii, p. 79, note "a," *sub* "Burghersh," and see tabular pedigree in vol. i, p. 27, *sub* "Abergavenny." The representation of the Countess of Warwick devolved in 1490 on the issue of her da. Isabel, by George, Duke of Clarence, br. to King Edward IV.

^(a) See p. 94, note "d."

^(b) "If the proceedings relative to the claim of Lady Fane, in 1603, admit of any positive inference, it would appear that it was then held that the Barony of Despencer had been *solely vested* in Elizabeth, the daughter of Isabel, by her *first* husband—Richard, Earl of Worcester; but, had it not been for the operation of the attainder of Thomas, 6th Baron Despencer, it would, agreeably to existing doctrines, have devolved, on Isabel's death in 1440, upon her s. and h. Henry, Duke of Warwick. When the attainder was reversed, Ann, wife of Richard, Earl of Salisbury, was the other coheir [*i.e.*, Lord Abergavenny, from whom Lady Fane derived, was *one*, while the said Ann was the *other* coheir], and under all the circumstances it must probably be considered that the Barony of Despencer was forfeited in 1400; that it was revived and fell into abeyance in 1461; and that that abeyance was terminated in favour of the eldest coheir, Mary, Lady Fane, in 1603." [Courthope.]

^(c) See Tabular pedigree in vol. i, p. 17, *sub*. "Abergavenny."

^(d) He was, after his mother's death, coheir (in her right) to the Barony of Burghersh (*cr.* by writ of 1330), and was, *thro' his said mother*, the representative of

- IX. 1629. 9. MILDMAY (FANE), EARL OF WESTMORLAND, LORD LE DESPENCER, &c., s. and h. ; b. 1602 ; d. 12 Feb. 1665/6.
- X. 1666. 10. CHARLES (FANE), EARL OF WESTMORLAND, LORD LE DESPENCER, &c., s. and h. ; b. 1602 ; d. s.p. Sep. 1691.
- XI. 1691. 11. VERE (FANE), EARL OF WESTMORLAND, LORD LE DESPENCER, &c., br. and h., d. 29 Dec. 1693.
- XII. 1693. 12. VERE (FANE), EARL OF WESTMORLAND, LORD LE DESPENCER, &c., s. and h. ; b. April 1678 ; d. unm. 19 May, 1699.
- XIII. 1699. 13. THOMAS (FANE), EARL OF WESTMORLAND, LORD LE DESPENCER, &c., br. and h. ; d. s.p. 4 June 1736.
- XIV. 1736, 14. JOHN (FANE), EARL OF WESTMORLAND, LORD LE DESPENCER and BARON BURGHESH, also BARON FANE of Catherlough [I.], br. and h. ; bap. 24 March 1685. He d. s.p. 1762. 26 Aug. 1762, when the *Irish Barony* became extinct, the Earldom of Westmorland and Barony of Burghersh devolved on his cousin and h. male, while the *Barony of Le Despencer* fell into abeyance^(e).

For fuller particulars see "WESTMORLAND," Earldom of, cr. 1624.

- XV. 1763, 15. SIR FRANCIS DASHWOOD, 2d Bart. of West Wycombe, to s. and h. of Sir Francis D. 1st Bart. by his second wife, Mary, 1st surv. da. of Vere (FANE) 4th Earl of Westmorland, Lord Le 1781. Despencer &c., above named, was b. Dec. 1708, suc. his Father 4 Nov. 1724, was M.P. for Romney, 1741-61 ; for Weymouth 1761-63 ; Treasurer of the Chambers ; cr. D.C.L. of Oxford 13 April 1749 ; Chancellor of the Exchequer (under the Bute ministry) May 1762 to April 1763, (†) when he was sum. to the House of Lords, 19 April 1763, as LORD LE DESPENCER, the abeyance of that Barony being thus terminated in his favour. Lord Lieut. of Bucks, May 1763 till his death, Keeper of the Wardrobe, 1763, Joint Postmaster Gen. 1770-81, Privy Councillor, F.R.S., F.S.A., &c. He m. 19 Dec. 1745, at Geo. Han. Sq., Sarah, widow of Sir Richard ELLIS, 3d Bart. (who d. s.p. 14 Jan. 1742) da. and coheir of George GOULD of Iver, Bucks. She d. 19th Jan. 1769 at West Wycombe, M.I. He d. there after a long illness, 11 Dec. 1781 aged 73 s.p. legit. (‡) when the *Barony* fell again into

Edward (Nevill), Lord Abergavenny, one of the numerous younger sons of Ralph (Nevill), 1st Earl of Westmorland. These dignities were, of course, conferred in 1624 with the usual limitation to heirs male of his body.

(e) The two coheirs were (1) *Sir Francis Dashwood*, Bart. (who in 1763 became Lord Le Despencer), s. and h. of Sir Francis D., Bart., by Mary, eldest surv. da. of Vere, 4th Earl of Westmorland abovenamed, and (2) *Sir Thomas Stapleton*, Bart. (father of Thomas who, in 1788, became Lord Le Despencer), s. and h. of Sir William Stapleton, Bart., by Catherine, da. of William Paul, of Braywick, Berks, by Catharine, 2d surv. da. of the said 4th Earl of Westmorland.

(†) Wilkes says this post was given him "for his skill in casting up tavern bills." See "Wraxall" vol. ii, p. 13 (Edit. 1884) where it is said that he "far exceeded in licentiousness of conduct any model exhibited since Charles II. ;" and where there is an account of the "unholy fraternity" of 12, called "from his own name *The Franciscans* (but generally known as "*The Hell-Fire Club*") which he had founded at Medmenham Abbey, near Marlow, and at which he "sometimes officiated as High Priest." The names of several members thereof are given in Lipscomb's "Bucks" vol. iii, p. 615) among them being Churchill (the poet), the notorious John Wilkes, &c. Over the door was inscribed "*Fais ce que tu voudras.*" "The best account of these horrors" is in a book called *Chrysal* "written, (not by Smollett but) by Charles Johnston."

(‡) His illegit. da. m. (—) Lee,

abeyance till terminated by the death s.p. of his sister ^(a) in 1788 as under. M.I. at West Wycombe. His will pr. Jan. 1782.

XVI. 1788. 16. THOMAS (STAPLETON) LORD LE DESPENCER, on the death s.p. of his cousin ^(a) the only sister of the last Baron, 15 May 1788, became entitled to that dignity as heir-gen. of the 1st Lord, he being s. and h. of Sir Thomas STAPLETON, 5th Bart. (of the creation of 1679) by Mary, da. of Henry FANE, of Wormsley, Oxon, which Sir Thomas was s. and h. of Sir William Stapleton 4th Bart. by Catherine, d. and h. of William PAUL of Braywick, Berks, by Catherine, his wife, 2d surv. da. of (whose issue in 1788 became sole heir to) John (FANE) 4th EARL OF WESTMORELAND, 14th LORD LE DESPENCER abovenamed. He was b. 10 Nov. 1766; *suc.* his father as 5th Bart. 1st Jan. 1781. He m. 29 July 1791 at St. Marylebone, Elizabeth, 2d da. of Samuel ELIOT, of Antigua. He d. 3d Oct. 1831 aged 64 and was *suc.* in the Baronetcy by his *yst.* and only surv. son and h. *male*, but in the peerage as under. Will pr. March 1832. His widow d. 3d July 1848 at Bath Her will pr. same month.

XVII. 1832. 17. MARY-FRANCIS-ELIZABETH, *suo jure* BARONESS LE DESPENCER, granddaughter and h. being only surv. da. and h. of the Hon. Thomas STAPLETON, by Maria-Wynne, 2d da. of Henry BANKES, of Kingston Hall, Dorset, which Thomas was 1st s. and h. ap. of the last Baron, but d. v p. 1 June 1829, aged 36. She was b. 24 March 1822, m. 29th July 1845, at Mereworth, co. Kent, Evelyn BOSCAWEN, who, on 29 May, 1852 *suc.* as 6th VISCOUNT FALMOUTH. (See that dignity). He d. at Mereworth Castle 6 Nov. 1889 aged 70.

Family Estates....Those of the Baroness, in 1883, appear to have been 4,258 acres, co. Kent, worth some £6,000 a year. *Principal Residence*....Mereworth Castle, near Maidstone, Kent.

DESPENCER, or LE DESPENCER.

- Barony by Writ.** I. PHILIP LE DESPENCER,^(b) s. and h. of Philip Le Despencer, by Joan STRANGE, his wife, which last named Philip was s. and h. of another Philip Le Despencer, 4th s. of Hugh Le Despencer, I. 1387. *junior*, LORD LE DESPENCER (1314-26) as above mentioned, was in (1350) 24 Ed. III, found heir to his grandmother Dame Margaret DE ROOS, widow, relict formerly of Philip Le Despencer, above named (da. and h. of Ralph DE GOUSILL), he being then aged seven years.^(c) He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD LE DESPENCER) by writs from 17 Dec. (1387), 11 Ric. II to 3 Oct. (1400), 2 Hen. IV.^(d), He m. Margaret COBHAM. He d. (1400-01), 2 Hen. IV.
- II. 1401, 2. PHILIP (LE DESPENCER), LORD LE DESPENCER, s. to and h., aged 36 years at his father's death in 1401, never 1424. appears to have been sum. to Parl. as a Baron. He m. Elizabeth, *yst.* da. and one of the three coheirs of Robert (DE TIBETOT), LORD TIBETOT, by Margaret, da. of William (DEINCOURT), LORD DEINCOURT. This Elizabeth, who was aged two years at her father's death in 1372, inherited

^(a) This Lady, Rachel, widow of Sir Robert Austen, 3d Bart. of Bexley, Kent (who d. sp. 1743) assumed on her brother's death in 1781 the title of BARONESS LE DESPENCER, under the (erroneous) impression that the termination of the abeyance in favour of her brother, was tantamount to its having been in favour of her mother, the senior coheir to that dignity. She d. s.p. 16 May 1788 aged 82, when the abeyance terminated as in the text. Her will as "Baroness Le Despencer" pr. 1788.

^(b) A good account of this family is in "*Coll. Top. et Gen.*," vol. vii, pp. 262-263, also under *The Life of S. William of York* in *The Yorkshire Arch. Journal*, vol. iii, p. 216.

^(c) He bore the arms of Goushill (Barry of 6, *or* and *az.*, a canton, *erm*) lieu of those of Despencer. See roll of arms *temp.* Ric. II, 1392-97.

^(d) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

Nettlested and other estates, co. Suffolk, made proof of age (1384-85), 8 Ric. II. Philip *d. s.p.m.* (1423-24), 2 Hen. IV, when the right to any Barony *cr.* by the writs (1387-1400) would have devolved on his da. and h.,^(a) but no claim thereto has ever been made.

DE TABLEY.

Barony. 1. SIR JOHN-FLEMING LEICESTER, Bart. [I.], was, 10 I. 1826. July 1826, *cr.* BARON DE TABLEY OF TABLEY HOUSE,^(b) co. Chester. He was s. and h. of Sir Peter LEICESTER, formerly BYRNE,^(c) 9th Bart. [I., 1671], by Catharine, da. and coheir of Sir William FLEMING, Bart. [so *cr.* 1705], of Rydall, co. Westmorland; was *b.* 4 April 1762, at Tabley, *suc.* his father in the Baronetcy and estates 12 Feb. 1770; M.P. for Yarmouth (Isle of Wight) 1791-96; for Heytesbury, 1796-1802; and for Stockbridge, 1807. Col. of the King's Reg. of Cheshire Yeomanry; a liberal patron of the fine arts, &c. and was in 1826, the year before his death, *cr.* a Peer as aforesaid. He *m.* 10 Nov. 1810, in Hampton Court Palace, Georgina-Maria, yst. da. of Josiah COTTIN, Lieut.-Col. in the Army. He *d.* 18 June 1827, aged 65, and was *bur.* at Great Budworth, co. Chester. Will *pr.* July 1827. His widow, who was *b.* 28 Feb 1794, *m.* (*sed query*) 10 July 1828 (as his 1st wife) her late husband's nephew, the Rev. Frederic LEICESTER, M.A. (who *d.* 16 April 1873, aged 70), and *d.* 5 Nov. 1859 at Brighton.

II. 1827. 2. GEORGE FLEMING (LEICESTER, afterwards WARREN), BARON DE TABLEY OF TABLEY HOUSE, &c., s. and h. by 1st wife; *b.* 28 Oct. 1811 at Tabley House; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford. By Royal lic. 18 Feb. 1832 he, when of full age, took the name of Warren in lieu of that of Leicester, under the will (1826) of his cousin, the Dow. Viscountess Bulkeley [I.], on inheriting her Lancashire estates^(d). Lieut.-Col. com. of the Cheshire Yeomanry Cavalry 1847; one of the Lords-in-Waiting 1853-58, and 1859-66; Treasurer of the Household, 1868-72; P.C., 1869. He *m.* firstly, 21 June 1832, at Dunleath, Catharina-Barbara, 1st da. of Jerome, COUNT DE SALIS-SAGLIO, by his 3d wife Henrietta, da. of the Right Rev. William FOSTER, Bishop of Kilmore. She *d.* 20 Feb. 1869 in Brook-street, Midx. He *m.* secondly, 28 Jan. 1871, at Compton Verney, co. Warwick, Elizabeth, widow of James-Hugh SMITH-BARRY, 1st da. of Shalcross JACSON, of Newton Bank, co. Chester. He *d.* at Tabley House, 19 Oct. 1887, in his 76th year, and was *bur.* in the church of Great Budworth. Will *pr.* 21 Jan. 1888 above £71,000, but said to be exceeded by the liabilities. His widow living 1889.

^(a) *i.e.*, Margaret, aged 26, at his death in 1426, relict of John (DE ROOS) LORD ROOS (who *d. s.p.* 1421) then wife of Sir Roger Wentworth. She *d.* 1480 and was *suc.* by her grandson and h. Sir Henry Wentworth, of Nettlested, whose representative is the present Lord Wentworth, coheir to the Barony of Tibetot above named.

^(b) "A tautologous designation that was sufficiently unmeaning," made according to the 19th century fashion of inventing titles "*entirely new*, but formed on the antique pattern like a modern Gothic Castle." See "*Her. and Gen.*," vol. i, p. 151, and see *ante*, p. 37, note "b," *sub* "De Grey."

^(c) This Sir Peter Byrne was s. and h. of Sir John Byrne, 3d Bart. [I.] by Meriel da. and h. of Sir Francis Leicester, 3d Bart. [1660], of Tabley, co. Chester, and inherited the large Cheshire estates of that family of which he was the representative.

^(d) This lady, Elizabeth-Harriet, was the da. and sole h. of Sir George Warren, **K.B.**, s. and h. and only child that left issue of Edward Warren, the only son that left issue of another Edward Warren, all of Poynton, co. Chester. This last named Edward had, besides his said son, a da. Anna-Dorothea, who *m.* Sir Daniel Byrne, 2d Bart. [I.], and was mother of Sir John Byrne, 3d Bart., the father of the 4th Bart. and grandfather of the 5th Bart., the 1st Baron De Tabley. This nobleman was therefore on the death *s.p.* of the Viscountess, 23 Feb. 1876, the representative of the Warren family of Poynton, but the old lady chose to leave Poynton Hall and the vast Cheshire estate to a stranger in blood, *viz.*, to Frances-Maria, Baroness Vernon, da. and h. of Admiral Sir John-Borlase Warren, Bart., **G.C.B.**, who by a fudged pedigree (printed in Watson's "*Earls of Warren and Surrey*") is represented as her tenth cousin, once removed. See "*Her. and Gen.*" vol. viii, pp. 65-80 (at p. 76); as also vol. vii, pp. 193-219.

III. 1887. 3, JOHN - BYRNE - LEICESTER (WARREN), BARON DE TABLEY OF TABLEY HOUSE, also a Bart. [I. 1671], 1st and only surv. s. and h.; b. 26 April 1835 at Tabley House; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; B.A. 1859; M.A. 1860; Barrister (Linc. Inn) 1860, F.S.A.

Family Estates... These, in 1883, consisted of 6,195 acres in Cheshire, worth £14,647 a year. *Principal Residence...* Tabley House, near Knutsford, Cheshire.

DE VEEL, see "VEEL"

DEVEREUX.

Barony by Writ.
I. 1299. 1, WILLIAM DEVEREUX, s. and h. of William D. (who, having taken part with the Barons against the King, was slain at the battle of Evesham in 1265) by Maud, sister of Walter GIFFORD, Bishop of Bath and Wells, obtained restitution of his estates in 1267, and, having distinguished himself in the wars of Gascony, had summons to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DEVEREUX) by writ 6 Feb. (1298/9) 27 Ed. I. directed "*Willo de Ebroicis*," i.e., *De Ebrois, Deverose* or *Deveroux*.^(a) Nothing further is known of him.

II. 1330? 2 or 1. SIR JOHN DEVEREUX, apparently grandson and h., or being s. and h. of Sir Walter D., who was *probably* s. and h. ap. of the last Lord and d. v.p. He served at Aquitaine in 1368, was Gov. of Limousin, 1370, Gov. of Calais 1386, P.C., and Steward of the Household to Richard II., and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DEVEREUX) by writs 28 Sep. (1384) 8 Rich. II to 23 Nov. (1397) 16 Rich. II.; Warden of the Cinque Ports, 1387. **K.G.**, 1388^(a). He m. Margaret, said by "Dugdale" to be da. of Sir John BARRE, but the Margaret who was his widow was relict of Henry, LORD BEAUMONT (who d. 1369) and formerly of Sir Nicholas LOVAINE, being da. of John (DE VERE) 7th EARL of OXFORD, by Maud, da. of Bartholomew (BADLESMERE) LORD BADLESMERE. He d. 22 Feb. 1392/3 and was *bur.* in Grey Friars, London. Will dat. June 1385, pr. 24 Feb. 1392/3. His widow was *bur.* there also.

III. 1393? 3 or 2. JOHN (DEVEREUX), LORD DEVEREUX, only s. to and h. aged 16 in 1393. He m. 1393, Philippa, da. of Guy and granda. and h. of Sir Guy DE BRIEN. He d. s.p. and under age 13 Nov. 1396, when the *Barony of Devereux* appears to have *ceased*, but any right thereto devolved on his sister and heir, Joan, then aged 17, and wife of Walter, Lord Fitzwalter. ^(b)

DEVEREUX DE FERRERS.

See "FERRERS" (of Chartley) Barony, *cr.* 1299, under the 7th (1461-85) Lord.

DE VESCI.

See "VESCI," Barony by writ (*de Vesci*) 1264, 1295, and 1313.

See "VESCI," Barony by writ (*Bromflete*), 1449.

^(a) In Beltz's "Knights of the Garter" pp. 323-327, is the best account of this Knight and his family.

^(b) On her death (1408-09) 10 Hen. IV., the representation of the Barony of Devereux devolved on her s. and h, Lord Fitzwalter, and has continued ever since united with that Barony.

DE VESCI OF ABBEY LEIX.

Viscounty [I.] 1. THOMAS (VESEY), BARON KNAPTON, Queen's County [I.], only surv. s. and h. of John-Denny, 1st BARON KNAPTON [I., 1750], by Elizabeth, da. of William BROWNLOW, of Lurgan, co. Armagh; ed. at the Univ. of Dublin; Lieut. in

I. 1776. Lord Drogheda's horse; suc. his father 25 July 1761, taking his seat 22 Oct. following. On 19 July 1776, he was *cr.* VISCOUNT DE VESCI^(a) OF ABBEY LEIX, Queen's County [I.], taking his seat 11 March 1778. He *m.* 24 April 1769, Selina-Elizabeth, 1st da. and coheir of the Rt. Hon. Sir Arthur BROOKE, Bart. [I., 1764], by Margaret, da. of Thomas FORTESCUE, of Randalstown, co. Louth. He *d.* 13 Oct. 1804.

II. 1804. 2. JOHN (VESEY), VISCOUNT DE VESCI OF ABBEY LEIX, &c. [I.], 1st s. and h., *b.* 15 Feb. 1771, in Kildare Street, Dublin; M.P. for Maryborough 1796-97; Lord Lieut. of Queen's County. REP. PEER [I.] 1838-55. He *m.* 25 Aug. 1800, Frances-Letitia, 5th da. of his great uncle (the br. to his grandmother, Baroness Knapton), the Rt. Hon. William BROWNLOW, of Lurgan, co. Armagh, by his 2d wife, Catharine, da. of Roger HALL, of Mount Hall, co. Down. She *d.* 6 June 1840. He *d.* 19 Oct. 1855, aged 84, at Portaferry, co. Down.

III. 1855. 3. THOMAS (VESEY), VISCOUNT DE VESCI OF ABBEY LEIX, &c. [I.], 1st s. and h., *b.* 21 Sep. 1803, in Merrion square, Dublin; ed. at Ch. Ch., Oxford; B.A. 2d class math. 1825; M.P. for Queen's County 1835-37 and 1841-52. REP. PEER [I.] 1856-75. He *m.* 19 Sep. 1839, at Wilton, Wilts, Emma, yst. da. of George Augustus (HERBERT), 11th EARL OF PEMBROKE, by his 2d wife Catharine, da. of Simon, COUNT WORONZOW, in Russia. He *d.* 23 Dec. 1875, aged 72, at 6, Carlton House terrace, Midx., and was *bur.* at Abbey Leix. Will pr. in the Kilkenny district 19 Feb. 1876, under £25,000. His widow, who was *b.* 23 Aug. 1819, *d.* 10 Oct. 1884, at Muntham Court, Worthing, Sussex.

IV. 1875. 4. JOHN-ROBERT-WILLIAM (VESEY) VISCOUNT DE VESCI OF ABBEY LEIX [I. 1776], BARON KNAPTON [I. 1750], and a Bart. [I. 1698], 1st s. and h., *b.* 21 May 1844 in St. James' Place, Midx. Lieut. Coldstream Guards 1863; Capt. 1866; Adjutant 1871; Lieut.-Col. 1876; retired 1883; Lord-Lieutenant of Queen's County. On 8 Nov. 1884 he was *cr.* BARON DE VESCI OF ABBEY LEIX, in the Queen's County [U.K.] He *m.* 21 May 1844, Evelyn, 1st da. of Francis (WEMYSS-CHARTERIS-DOUGLAS), EARL OF WEMYSS [S.] by Anne Frederica, da. of Thomas-William (ANSON), 1st EARL OF LICHFIELD. She was *b.* 29 Aug. 1849.

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 15,069 acres in Queen's County, 818 in co. Cork, 420 in co. Dublin (this last being worth £31,713 !! a year), and 375 in Kent. Total 16,682, worth (including, of course, the £31,713) £45,214 a year. *Principal Residence*...Abbeyleix House, Queen's County.

DEVON (County) or DEVONSHIRE.

[BALDWIN FITZ-GILBERT, *alias* DE BRIONNE, *alias* DE SAP, *alias* DE MEULES, or DE MOLIS (as being Lord of Sap and Meules, in Normandy), *alias* DE EXCESTRE^(b) (as Gov. of the City and Castle of Exeter), was 2d s. of Gilbert, COUNT OF BRION in Normandy and yr. br. to Richard Fitz-Gilbert, Lord of Clare. (See

^(a) See p. 37, note "b," *sub* "De Grey," for examples of "modern antiques" (of the 18th and 19th century) in the way of Peerages titles with the prefix "De."

^(b) "This plurality of titles, or rather the arbitrary and irregular mode of designating their possessor, is a serious stumbling-block in the path of the genealogist. It is necessary to remember that most of these old Norman Barons were, as Mrs. Malaprop describes Cerberus, *Three gentlemen at once*; some, indeed, like our Baldwin, five or more." See Planché's "Earls of Devon" in the *Collectanea Archaeologica*, Vol. I. (4to.), pp. 263-284, an admirable article, of which free use has been made in this account.

under "Clare," Vol. II, p. 267.) His wife is said to have been a near relative of William the Conqueror, who rewarded him with 164 manors (159 being in Devon), the Lordship of Okehampton, and the Shrievalty of Devon, whence he is called *Viccomes* [Sheriff, not Viscount] *Devonicæ*. He *d.* 1090, and was *suc.* by his s. and h. RICHARD FITZ-BALDWIN, feudal Lord of Okehampton and Sheriff (*Viccomes*) of Devon, who *d.* s. p. 1137 and was *bur.* at Brightley Abbey, but was removed to Ford Abbey, Devon^(a).]

Earldom. 1. RICHARD DE REDVERS^(b), whose parentage is obscure^(c),

I. 1100? was mentioned in a Charter of 1080; was holder of Mosterton, co. Dorset, in the Domesday Survey; one of the five Barons who adhered to Henry I in his contest against his br. Robert, and was shortly after that King's accession to the Throne (say 1100) *cr.* EARL OF DEVON (styled also EARL OF EXETER^(d), or EARL DE REDVERS), receiving the third penny of the pleas of the County of Devon^(e) and a grant of the Lordships of Tiverton and Plympton therein. He was also granted the *Lordship of the Isle of Wight*^(f) about the same time. He *m.* Adeliza, da. of William PEVEREL, of Nottingham, by Adeliza DE LANCASTER his wife. He *d.* 1107 and was *bur.* at the Abbey of Monteburgh in Normandy. His widow was living 1155, at a very great age, but *d.* before 1165.

II. 1107, 2. BALDWIN (DE REDVERS), EARL OF DEVON^(g) or of EXETER, or EARL REDVERS, Lord of the Isle of Wight, s. and h. Taking the part of the Empress Maud, he gallantly defended the Castle of Exeter, and subsequently that of Carisbrooke against King Stephen, by whom he was dis

^(a) See Planché's "The Conqueror and his Companions," *sub* "Baldwin de Meules" and "Richard de Redvers."

^(b) "The first of the family called *De Redvers, Rivers, or Ripariis*, from Reviers, near Creuilli and afterwards [called] *de Vernon*, from the Castle of that name in the Cotentin." See Planché's "Lords of the Isle of Wight," in the "*Brit. Arch. Ass.*" (1885), vol. xi, pp. 213-227.

^(c) Not improbably s. of William de Redvers, who held lands at Monteburgh in Normandy, where he himself was buried. It is conjectured that this William *m.* a da. of William (Fitz-Osborne), Earl of Hereford and Lord of the Isle of Wight, which would account for the Lordship of that island being granted to Richard, their son.

^(d) Exeter, the capital of the county, being his chief residence. As in other earlier Earldoms, the designation of the title was varying, the fact that the person indicated was an *Earl* (*viz.*, "Earl Richard) being the only one of importance.

^(e) "*In Comitum Devonie, tertium denarium annui exitus ejusdem comitatus illi concedendo, eum consequenter creavit.*" See statement made (on the authority of Camden, for the original is now lost) in the book of the Abbey of Ford, a work of which Mr. Planché speaks somewhat slightly.

^(f) *The Lordship of the Isle of Wight* was granted by the Conqueror to his kinsman William FitzOsborne, Earl of Hereford, whose s. and h. Roger, the 2d Earl, forfeited it. It was then granted to the Redvers family, who held it till 1293, as in the text. Since that date it was granted only for life (or a less term), *viz.* (1), in 1307 (grant resumed in 1308) to Piers (Gaveston), Earl of Cornwall, beheaded 1312; (2) to Edward Earl of Chester, afterwards Edward III; (3) in 1385, to William (de Montacute) Earl of Salisbury, who *d.* 1397; (4) in 1397, to Edward, Earl of Rutland, afterwards Duke of York, slain 1415, whose widow, Philippa (5) obtained it for her life and *d.* 1430; (6) in 1415 (*in reversion*?), to Humphrey, "the good" Duke of Gloucester, who *d.* 1446, during whose Lordship took place the extraordinary ceremony of the coronation of Henry (Beauchamp), Duke of Warwick, as "*King of the Isle of Wight*," who, however, does not appear to have ever acquired the *Lordship* thereof, and who *d.* in 1455, aged 22, in the lifetime of Duke Humphrey; (7) in 1452, to Edmund (Beaufort), Duke of Somerset, slain 1455; (8) in 1457 (as Lieut. and *Warden*), to Henry (Beaufort), Duke of Somerset, beheaded 1464; and (9) in 1474, to Anthony (Wydeville), Earl Rivers, beheaded 1483. His br., Sir Edward Wydeville, was made *Captain* (possibly *Lord*) of that island by Henry VII, but since that reign, "at any rate, there has been no Royal grant of the island." See Planché's "Lords of the Isle of Wight," above alluded to, where is a curious wood-cut of the Duke of Warwick, the young King (1444) of that island.

^(g) Mr. Stapleton's arguments that this Baldwin was the 1st Earl of Devon and was so *cr.* by King Stephen, are refuted in Planché's "Earls of Devon," pp. 269-270.

possessed of his English honours and compelled to fly to Flanders in 1136, but appears to have returned some years later. The name of his wife was (like that of his mother) Adeliza.^(a) He *d.* 4 June 1155 and was *bur.* in Quarr Abbey in the Isle of Wight (as was his wife) which (in 1122) he had founded.

III. 1155. 3. RICHARD (DE REDVERS), EARL OF DEVON, OR OF

EXETER, OR EARL REDVERS, Lord of the Isle of Wight, s. and h. b. about 1120. He was Sheriff of co. Devon (1156-58) 2 to 4 Hen. II. He *m.* Dionysia, (by some called Havisia) said to have been da. and coheir of Reginald (DE DUNSTANVILLE), EARL OF CORNWALL, by Beatrice, da. of William FITZ-RICHARD. He *d.* in the city of Maunt, 1162.

IV. 1162. 4. BALDWIN (DE REDVERS), EARL OF DEVON, OR OF

EXETER, OR EARL REDVERS, Lord of the Isle of Wight, s. and h. (by Dionysia), under age in 1162. He *m.* in 1177, Avicia, da. of Raoul DE-DOL, Lord of Chateau Raoul, in Normandy. He *d.* s.p. about 1180.

V. 1180? 5. RICHARD [DE REDVERS), EARL OF DEVON, OR OF

EXETER, OR EARL REDVERS, Lord of the Isle of Wight, br. and h. He *m.* Emma, sister of Robert DE PONTARCHE.^(b) He *d.* s.p. 1184 and was *bur.* at Montsbourg Abbey in Normandy. His wife survived him.

VI. 1184. 6. WILLIAM (DE REDVERS *alias* DE VERNON)^(c) EARL

OF DEVON, OR OF EXETER, sometimes (incorrectly) called EARL OF THE ISLE OF WIGHT, he being Lord of the Isle of Wight, uncle and h., being 2d s. of Baldwin, 2d Earl of Devon abovenamed. He was one of the four nobles who supported the canopy at the second coronation of Richard I. at Winchester, 17 April 1194 and appears to have been a faithful adherent to King John. He *m.* Mabel, da. of Robert, COUNT OF MEULAN or MELLENT. He *d.* 14 Sept, 1216 and was *bur.* at Tiverton.

[BALDWIN DE REDVERS, s. and h. ap. He *m.* Margaret, da. and h. of Warine FITZ-GERALD, and *d.* v.p. 1 Sep. 1216, and was *bur.* at Christ Church. His widow *m.* the notorious Fulke DE BREAUTE, who was banished 1224 and who *d.* at St. Cyriac 1226. She *d.* at a very advanced age in (1292), 20 Ed. I. She was *bur.* in Grey Friars, London. M.I.^(d)]

VII. 1216. 7. BALDWIN (DE REDVERS), EARL OF DEVON, OR OF

EXETER, Lord of the Isle of Wight, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Baldwin de Redvers and Margaret, his wife, above named. His guardianship was first given to his step-father, Fulke de Breaute (to whom by writ 19 June 1219, the Sheriff was directed to pay the *third penny of the county of Devon*), and afterwards to Richard, Earl of Cornwall. He was knighted and invested with the Lordship of the Isle of Wight, 25 Dec. 1240, at Winchester. He *m.* in 1227 in early youth Amicia, da. of Gilbert (DE CLARE), EARL OF GLOUCESTER and HERTFORD (for which that Earl paid 2,000 marks to the King) by Isabel, da. of William (MARSHALL), EARL OF PEMBROKE. He *d.* in the prime of life, 15 Feb. (1244/5), 29 Hen. III, and was *bur.* at the priory of Bramere, Hants. His widow, who retained the Lordship of the Isle of Wight in dower, *m.* in 1248 Robert GYNES and survived till (1283), 12 Ed. I, when she was *suc.* in that Lordship by her granddaughter, then her heir, as below.

(a) There is no proof that "Lucia Comitissa" said to be Lucy, da. of Dru de Balun was his wife. The mother of his successor was undoubtedly Adeliza.

(b) See Planché's "Earls of Devon" p. 273 (correcting his paper on the "Lords of the Isle of Wight") as to the disproof of his wife being Margaret Biset, and as to the "*sigillum Margarete de Ripariis*" engraved in Worsley's "Isle of Wight" which probably was the seal of the wife of Baldwin de Redvers, s. and h. ap. of the 6th and father of the 7th Earl, which lady *d.* a widow in 1292.

(c) See p. 100, note "b," *circa finem*.

(d) In this she is (somewhat irregularly) called "Dna Margareta de Revers, quondam Comitissa Devonie et Dna de Lyle [i.e., Lady of the Isle of Wight] que fuit filia Guarini Fitzgerard." See "*Coll. Top et Gen.*" vol. v, p. 276.

VIII. 1246. 8. BALDWIN (DE REDVERS), EARL OF DEVON, or of EXETER, s. and h., b. 2 Jan. 1235. He was knighted, by Henry III, 13 Oct. 1260, and accompanied him to France 1262. He m. about 1252 Margaret,^(a) COUNTESS OF RIBOURG, da. of Thomas, COUNT OF SAVOY (who d. 1233) by his 2d wife Margaret, da. of William LORD OF FOUCIGNY. He d. s.p.s. July (or 15 Feb.) 1262, at Paris, aged 27, being, it was suspected, poisoned with the Earl of Clare and others. He was bur. at the priory of Bramere. *Inq. post mortem* 26 March 1263. His widow m. 12 June 1269, Robert DE AGUILLON, Privy Councillor.

IX. 1262, 9. ISABEL, DOW-COUNTESS OF ALBEMARLE, styling herself and generally (and probably rightfully) considered, *suo jure* to COUNTESS OF DEVON, only surv. sister and heir; b. 1237 being aged 24 at her brother's death in 1262. She had m. about 1250, as his 2d wife, William (DE FORTZ or DE FORTIBUS), EARL OF ALBEMARLE, who d. at Amiens, about 1256. *Esch.* (1259-60) 14 Hen. III. Her own marriage was granted by Henry III., 20 Nov. 1268, to his 2d s. Edmund, Earl of Lancaster, who, however, on 6 April following m. (as his 1st wife) Avelina, her da. and heir presumptive^(b) Having survived this da. (who d. s.p. 1274) she, in 1283, inherited by the death of Amicia, her mother abovenamed, the Lordship of the Isle of Wight, which she sold to the Crown^(c) (for 6,000 marks *i.e.*, £4000, equal to above £60,000 of the present day) and d. s.p.s. the next day 9 Nov. 1293 at Stockwell, near Lambeth, and was bur. at the priory of Bramere.

X. 1293, 10 or 1. HUGH COURTENAY of Okehampton, co, Devon, or 1335. cousin and h. being s. and h. of Sir Hugh C. of the same, by Eleanor, da. of Hugh (LE DESPENCER,) LORD LE DESPENCER, which Sir Hugh Courtenay was s. and h. of John C. (d. 1273) of Okehampton and s. and h. of Robert C. (d. 1242) of the same,^(d) by Mary, da. of (whose issue in 1293 became sole heir to) William (DE REDVERS, *alias* DE VERNON) 6th Earl of Devon abovenamed^(e). He suc. his Father, 28 Feb. 1291 in the Okehampton estate being then 16 years old, and suc. his abovenamed cousin 9 Nov. 1293, in such of the Redvers estates as had not been alienated, and (possibly) as *de jure* EARL OF DEVON. He did homage for these lands in 1297 and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD COURTENAY or DE COURTENAY) by writs 6 Feb. (1298/9) 27 Ed. I. to 24 July (1334), but with the addition of "Senior" to the latter writs. He was in the Scotch wars: was one of the warriors celebrated at Caerlaverock in 1300:

^(a) Margaret *not* Avicia. See "N. & Q.," 5th s., x., 456, referring to Stapleton's "*De antiquis legibus*" pub. by the Camden Soc. in 1846.

^(b) See vol. i, p. 56, note "c," *sub*. "Albemarle."

^(c) "The Countess Isabel, by a deed dated on Monday before the Feast of St. Martin, in the winter 1293, in which she styles herself *Comitissa Albemarl, et Devon, ac dna Insule*, sold to the King the Isle of Wight, with the Manors of Christchurch, Lambeth, and Salefaukes (Vauxhall in Lambeth) for 6000 marks of silver; she died the day after the execution of the grant." [*Courthope*.] It appears also "that a treaty upon this subject had been begun more than 10 years before: that she was induced to make such conveyance from the consideration that her next heir, Hugh de Courtenay, was so remote in blood, as that if he were of age, she might marry him without a dispensation, &c." See "*Coll. Top. et Gen.*" vol. vi, p. 263—"among other manors ceded to the King by this instrument, was *Fawkes' Hall*, the ancient residence of Falcasius, Fulk, or Fawkes de Breaté [abovenamed] now known as Vauxhall."—See Planché's "Lords of the Isle of Wight" where is engraved her seal to the deed, viz, the cross patonce *vairée*, of Fortibus, (dimidiated) impaling the lion rampant of Redvers, and where some interesting observations as to the earlier bearings of that family are given.

^(d) Reginald Courtenay (father of this Robert) who acquired the feudal Lordship of Okehampton, Devon, in right of his wife, and who d. 1194, is the first proved ancestor of the *English* house of Courtenay, respecting which "all that we know for certain is that a [*i.e.*, this] Reginald de Courtenay was a man of some eminence in England in the reign of Hen. II. It has been asserted, *without proof*, that he was one and the same person with a Reginald de Courtenay, who at the same period existed in France [but] *in all likelihood* is Cleveland's expression." See Planché's "Earls of Devon," p. 276.

^(e) See tabular pedigree, p. 112, note "a."

was knighted, by the Prince of Wales, 22d May 1306; Knight Banneret, 1308; P.C. 1318 to Ed. II.; Warden of the Coast of Devon and Cornwall to Ed. II. and Ed. III. Having been refused the third penny of the County of Devon by the Exchequer on the ground that he did not claim it "*nomine Comitibus*"^(a) the King by writ 24 Sep. 1334, directed investigation to be made and by letters patent 22 Feb. 1334/5 declared him EARL OF DEVON or DEVONSHIRE^(b) and that he should assume such title and style "as his ancestors, Earls of Devon, had wont to do."^(c) He *m.* when but 17 in 1292, Agnes, da. of John St. JOHN, of Basing, Hants, by Alice, da. of Reginald FITZPIERS. He *d.* 1340 and was *bur.* at Cowick, near Exeter. *Inq. post mortem* 3, Jan. 1340/1. His widow *d.* 1345 and was *bur.* at Cowick afsd.

XI. 1340. 11 or 2. HUGH (COURTENAY), EARL OF DEVON and

LORD COURTENAY, s. and h., *b.* 12 July, 1303; served in the Scotch and French wars; Knight Banneret 20 Jan. 1327; drove back the French from a descent on Cornwall, 1339; was sum. v.p. to Parl. as a Baron^(d) (LORD COURTENAY) 23 April (1337) 2 Ed III, with the addition of the word "*Junior*;" but *suc.* to the Earldom 3 years afterwards. He made, by lic. of King Ed. III, an extensive entail in tail mail of his lands. He was Joint Warden of Devon and Cornwall, 1352; Chief Warden of Devon, 1373. He *m.* 11 Aug. 1325, Margaret, 2d da. of Humphrey (DE BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD and OF ESSEX, by the Lady Elizabeth PLANTAGENET, da. of King Edward I. He *d.* 2 May 1377, aged 73, and was *bur.* in Exeter Cathedral. His widow (by whom he had 8^(e) sons and 9 daughters) *d.* 16 Dec. 1391 and was also *bur.* there. M.I. Will dat. 28 Jan. 1390/1 pr. 1391.

[SIR HUGH COURTENAY, styled LORD COURTENAY, s. and h. ap., *b.* 22 March 1326/7; was K.G.^(f) 23 April 1344, being one of the Founders of that Order^(g). He was in France in 1346, at the siege of Calais 1347, late in which year he distinguished himself at a tournament at Eltham. He *m.* in 1341, Elizabeth, da. (it is said), of Sir Guy DE BRYAN, of Tor Bryan, Devon. He *d.* v.p. before 31 Aug. 1349, and was *bur.* at Ford Abbey. His widow *d.* 23 Sep. 1375.

[HUGH COURTENAY, styled LORD COURTENAY, s. and h. of the above Hugh and Elizabeth, and grandson and h. ap. of Hugh, Earl of Devon above named. Entering early a military life, he was knighted by the Black Prince before Vittoria in 1367, and was at the battle of Najara the same year. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron^(h) (LORD COURTENAY) by writ 8 Jan. (1370/1), 44 Ed. III. He *m.*, about 1365, Maud, da. of Thomas (HOLAND), EARL OF KENT, by Joan (afterwards PRINCESS OF WALES), da. of Edmund (PLANTAGENET), EARL OF KENT. He *d.* s.p. 20 Feb. 1373/4, in the lifetime of his grandfather the Earl of Devon above named. His widow *m.* Waleran, COUNT OF ST. PAUL.]

^(a) *Coll. Top. et Gen.*, vol. vii, p. 148.

^(b) His summons to Parl., 24 May (1336), 10 Ed. III., runs "quod ipse, &c., vel filium suum primogenitum ibidem mittat."

^(c) This would appear more like a restitution of the old dignity than the creation of a new Earldom. His "placing" in Parl. was, however, in 6 Ed. III., the last of all the Earls; but in 10 Ed. III., and afterwards, it is above several Earls, who, however, sometimes were before and sometimes after him; so that apparently nothing can be gathered from such placing.

^(d) This summons, of 1337, would according to modern decisions be a summons in his father's Barony of Courtenay as *cr.* by the writ of 1299.

^(e) Of these but three had issue, viz. (1) Hugh the first son (2) Edward the third son (both mentioned in the text) and Sir Philip Courtenay, of Powderham, Devon, ancestor of the present Earls of Devon. See tabular pedigree, p. 112, note "a." Another son (the 4th), William Courtenay, was Archbishop of Canterbury 1381-96, while Sir Peter Courtenay, K.G., the 7th son, who *d.* 1409 was a highly distinguished soldier.

^(f) See Beltz's "Knights of the Garter," where (pp. 51-54) is a good account of him.

^(g) See a list of these, vol. i, p. 276, note "a," sub "Beauchamp."

^(h) This summons of 1371 would, according to modern decisions, be a summons in his grandfather's Barony of Courtenay as *cr.* by the writ of 1299. See *ante*, note "d."

XII. 1377. *12 or 13.* EDWARD (COURTENAY), EARL OF DEVON, and LORD COURTENAY, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Edward Courtenay, of Godlington, by Emmeline, da. and h. of Sir John DAWNAY, which Edward was 3d s. of the last Earl but *d. v.p.* He was *b.* about 1357; served in the Scotch war; was knighted (by the Earl of Buckingham) 1380; was one of the suite that conducted Anne of Germany from Gravelines to London in 1381 for her marriage; Admiral of the West, 1383-85; EARL MARSHAL OF ENGLAND, 1385; P.C. 1395. He *m.* Maud, said to be da. of Thomas (CAMOYS), LORD CAMOYS. He, who was blind a long while before his death, *d.* 5 Dec. 1419, and was probably *bur.* at Ford Abbey.^(a) Will dat. 29 June 1419.

[SIR EDWARD COURTENAY, *styled* LORD COURTENAY, s. and h. ap., *b.* about 1388; **K.B.** at the Coronation of Henry IV, 13 Oct. 1399; served in the French wars and was present, 25 Oct. 1415, at the battle of Agincourt. He *m.* Eleanor, da. of Roger (MORTIMER), EARL OF MARCH. Admiral of the Fleet, May to Aug. 1418, when, or shortly after, he *d.* s.p. and v.p.]

XIII. 1419. *13 or 4.* HUGH (COURTENAY), EARL OF DEVON, and LORD COURTENAY, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 1389; **K.B.** at the Coronation of Henry IV, 13 Oct. 1399. Capt. of a Fleet and Lieut. to the King at Sea 1418-19. He *m.* Ann, sister of John, 1st EARL OF SHREWSBURY, da. of Richard (TALBOT), 4th LORD TALBOT, by Ankaret, da. of John LE STRANGE. He *d.* 16 June 1422, aged 33. Admon. at Lambeth 4 July 1423. His widow had lic. (1432-33), 11 Hen. VI, to marry John BOTREAU, and *d.* 16 Jan. 1440/1.

XIV. 1422. *14 or 5.* THOMAS (COURTENAY), EARL OF DEVON, and LORD COURTENAY, s. and h., *b.* 1414. Knighted, by Hen. VI, 19 May 1426; engaged for several years in the French wars; P.C. to that King; LORD HIGH STEWARD 25 May 1445, for the Coronation of Margaret, the Queen Consort; Lieut. against the rebels 1450. In 1446 he challenged the precedence of the Earl of Arundel, but the decision was against him.^(b) He *m.* Margaret, 2d and yst. da. of John (BEAUFORT), 1st EARL OF SOMERSET, *sometime* MARQUESS OF DORSET, by Margaret, da. of Thomas (HOLAND), EARL OF KENT. He *d.* at Abingdon Abbey, 3 Feb. 1457/8, on a journey to mediate between King Henry VI. and the Duke of York. Admon. 21 Feb. 1457/8, at Lambeth.

XV. 1458, *15 or 6.* THOMAS (COURTENAY), EARL OF DEVON, and to LORD COURTENAY, s. and h., *b.* 1432, being aged 26 at his father's 1461. death. He was a stout adherent to the House of Lancaster, and being taken prisoner at the battle of Towton 29 March was beheaded 3 April 1461, at York, when, having been attainted, *all his honours became forfeited.*^(c) He *d.* unm.

(a) His is said to have been the magnificent monument at Tiverton destroyed towards the close of the 16th century (mentioned by Risdon in his "Survey," 1605-30), on which was the (well-known) curious inscription of

"Hoe, hoe, who lies here?
'Tis I, the Erle of Devonsheer
With Kate my wife, to me full dere;
We lyved together 55 yeres," &c.

The wife "Kate" is, however, a mystery, and he certainly directs his burial to be at Ford Abbey; not at Tiverton.

(b) See vol. i, p. 149, note "d," *sub* "ARUNDEL."

(c) At his death the heir to his honours would, *but for the attainder*, have been his next br. Henry Courtenay to whom, under the style of "Henry Courtenay, Esquire," Edward IV gave, 27 July 1461, the manor of Topsham and some parts of the family estates in Devon.

XVI. 1469, HUMPHREY (STAFFORD), BARON STAFFORD OF SUTHWYKE, who was, on 17 May 1469, *cr.* EARL OF DEVON, was *b.* 1439, May, being s. and h. of William STAFFORD, of Hook, and of Suthwyke to being s. and h. of William STAFFORD, of Hook, and of Suthwyke in North Bradley, co. Wilts, by Katharine, da. and coher of Sir John Aug. CHIDOCK, Knt. He was aged 10 years and more at his father's death, 18 June 1450; Knighted on Towton field 29 March 1461 by King Ed. IV; High Steward of Cornwall and Constable of Bristol, 1461. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD STAFFORD DE SUTHWYK) by writs^(a) from 26 July (1461) 1 Ed. IV to 28 Feb (1462/3) 2 Ed. IV, directed "*Humfrido Stafford de Suthwyk, Chev.*" By patents 24 April 1464^(b) he was *cr.* BARON STAFFORD OF SUTHWYK^(c) (to him and the heirs male of his body), and 17 May 1469 EARL OF DEVON^(d) with like rem. He m. Isabel, da. of Sir John Barre, by Idonea, da. and h. of John HOTOFT. Being sent to suppress a rebellion in the North, he deserted the cause, whereon the King commanded the Sheriffs of Somerset and Devon to put him to immediate death, and he was accordingly *beheaded* 17 Aug. 1469 at Bridgewater, having been "*an Earl of three months and no more.*" He was *bur.* at Glastonbury Abbey, and as he *d. s.p.s.* all his honours became *extinct*. Will pr. 29 Feb. 1469/70. His widow m. (as his first wife) Sir Thomas BOURCHIER (s. of Henry, EARL OF ESSEX), who was *bur.* at Ware, Herts, in 1491. She *d.* 1 March 1488/9. M.I. in Ware Church.

XVII. 1470, 16 or 7. JOHN (COURTENAY), EARL OF DEVON and LORD to COURTENAY, yst. and only surv. br. of Thomas the xvth Earl; was on 1471. the restoration of King Henry VI, 9 Oct 1470, by the reversal of the attainders in the reign of Edward IV *restored to the honours* of his family. He had been Knighted 29 Dec 1460 by his br. Earl Thomas. By the legal termination of the reign of King Henry VI (after the battle of Barnet), 14 April 1471, all his honours became again *forfeited*, and he himself *d. unm.* a few weeks later, being slain, fighting valiantly on the Lancastrian side, 4 May 1471, at the battle of Tewkesbury, where he was in command of the rear of the army. He was *bur.* at Tewkesbury. On his death the *representation of the ancient Earls of Devon* (of the family of Redvers, from whom the Courtenays had inherited it) and of the *Barony of Courtenay* (*cr.* by the writ of 1299) fell into *abeyance*, between his sisters or their descendants^(e), *subject to the attainder* of (1461) 1 Ed. IV, which revived on that King's re-accession, 14 April 1471.

XVIII. 1485, 1 or 8. "EDWARD COURTENAY, Knt.," s. and h. of Sir to Hugh C. of Boconnock, co. Cornwall, by Margaret, da. and h. of 1509. Thomas CARMINOW, which Hugh was s. and h. of another Sir Hugh Courtenay, yr. br. to Edward, Earl of Devon (1377-1419) above-named,^(f) being thus heir *male*, tho' not heir *general*, of his family, and having (like his ancestors) espoused the Lancastrian side, and been banished and *attainted*, in 1484, by Richard III, was Knighted by the Earl of Richmond (afterwards Henry VII) 7th Aug. 1485, being, 15 days later, present at Bosworth fight, and was by pat. 26 Oct. 1485 *cr.* EARL OF DEVON, or DEVONSHIRE^(g), with the usual rem. to heirs male of his

^(a) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

^(b) It is difficult to see the reason of this patent, which conferred, according to the present theory, a Barony of later date and of less extensive limitation than the one he had already vested in him, by the writ of 1461; indeed it is more strange, inasmuch as had his heir *general* been his grand-daughter and his heir *male* his second son, the two Baronies would (as is now held) have gone into different channels, which in all probability was *not* the intention.

^(c) See a list of, and some remarks on, the Baronies by patent *cr.* before the 16th Century, page 31, note "e," *sub* "Daubeney."

^(d) This patent was annulled by statute 1 Hen. VII., *Rot. Parl.* vi, 336.

^(e) See vol. ii, p. 386, note "a," *sub* "COURTENAY," and see also tabular pedigree, *infra*, p. 112, note "a."

^(f) See tabular pedigree, p. 112, note "a."

^(g) "*Devonshire* in Parl. Roll., No. 123. 1 Hen VII, p. 1, No. 30." It appears from Collins' "*Precedents*," p. 411, that the creation was "without the solemnities," the words used being "*teste me ipso*," not "*hisce testibus*." See also "Creations, 1483-

body. Shortly afterwards he was, by Act of Parl. 1 Hen. VII (1485), "*restored*^(a) to the Honours^(b) lost by his attainder in the Parl. of 1 Ric. III." At the Coronation, 30 Oct. 1485, he was bearer of the Second Sword; **K.G.**, 1489; was in the French expedition 1491; defended Exeter against Perkin Warbeck 1497. He *m.* Elizabeth, 1st da. of Sir Philip COURTENAY, of Molland, Devon, by (—) da. of Robert HINGESTON. She *d.* before him and was *bur.* at Tiverton, Devon. He *d.* 28 May 1509, when the Earldom became *forfeited* by reason of the attainder of his son, the next heir. Will dat. 27 May, pr. 11 July 1509.

XIX. 1511. *I.* WILLIAM COURTENAY, only s. and h., *b.* about 1475;

K.B. (being then styled LORD COURTENAY) 25 Nov. 1487, at the coronation of Elizabeth, the Queen Consort; Captain in the Royal army, and assisted his Father in defeating Perkin Warbeck, 1407. Having *m.* in or before Oct. 1495 the Lady Katherine PLANTAGENET, 6th da. of **King Edward IV.**, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Richard WYDEVILLE, he became an object of jealousy to Henry VII., by whom he was imprisoned, 1502-09, for alleged (but not proved) conspiracy in the Earl of Suffolk's rebellion, and having been *attainted*, v.p., Feb. 1504, was thus disabled from inheriting his Father's Earldom. On that King's death he was received into favour by Henry VIII., on whose coronation, 24 June 1509, he bore the third sword. On 10 May 1511 he was *cr.* EARL OF DEVON, with the usual rem. to heirs male of his body; and tho' his investiture, &c., was never completed, he was, by royal warrant, *bur.* with the honours due to an Earl. He *d.* of pleurisy, at Greenwich, 9 June 1511, and was *bur.* at the Black Friars, London.^(c) Fun. certif. in Coll. of Arms. His widow and Executrix, who was *b.* at Eltham, Kent, 1479, took the vow of perpetual chastity, 13 July 1511, and *d.* 15 Nov. 1527, at Tiverton, Devon, and was *bur.* there. M.I. Fun. certif. at Coll. of Arms.

1646," in ap. to 47th rep. of D.K. Pub. Records, where is given reference to the Act of 1 Hen. VII restoring the Earldom of Devon, as mentioned in the text. This was the first creation made by King Henry VII, followed next day by those of the Earldom of Derby and of the Dukedom of Bedford.

(a) The following persons were by this same Parl. (1 Hen. VII) restored to the honours [here printed in *italics*] lost by attainder either in the Parl. of 1, 8, or 12 Ed. IV or in that of 1 Ric. III, viz. :—(1) Richard Beauchamp, *Baron of St. Amand*; (2) Richard Wydeville, Knt., *Earl Rivers*; (3) John Welles, "Squier," *Baron Welles*; (4) Jasper [Tudor], Duke of Bedford [so *cr.* 27 Oct. 1485], *Earl of Pembroke*; (5) Henry Clifford, *Baron Clifford*; (6) William Beaumont, Knt., *Viscount Beaumont*; (7) John Vere, Knt., *Earl of Oxford*; (8) Edward Stafford, Knt., *Duke of Buckingham*; (9) Thomas Ormond, *alias* Botyller, Knt., *Earl of Ormond in Ireland*; (10) Edmund Roos, *Baron Roos*; (11) Thomas Grey, Knt., *Marquess of Dorset*; and (12) the heirs of Robert, Lord Hungerford, in the *Barony of Hungerford*. With respect to the remaining (13) restoration, *i.e.*, that of Edward Courtenay, it differs from all the above, inasmuch as this Edward was *cr.* Earl of Devon *before* he was "restored to the honours [see next note] lost by his attainder in the Parl. of 1 Ric. III."

(b) It is difficult to see *what* honours are alluded to. It certainly was not the Barony of Courtenay (under the writ of 1299) or the *old* Earldom of Devon (formerly held by the family of Redvers), of neither of which Sir Edward Courtenay was the representative, or even a coheir. The words of restoration seem to imply that he was entitled to *some* honour, and *if* the Earldom of Devon is held to have been granted (1335) to Hugh Courtenay *in tail male*, this Edward would have been the 8th Earl of that creation (on the death of his cousin in 1471) save only for the *attainder* of that dignity (1461) by Edward IV, which attainder apparently stands good from 1471 to the present time. It is, however, possible that as many of the attainders made by Ed. IV were reversed by this Act of 1 Hen. VII, the attainder of this Earldom was (rightly or wrongly) considered to have been similarly reversed, under the general term of "the honours lost" by Sir Edward in the parl. of 1 Ric. III.

(c) A few months before, he was one of the 4 challengers (the King being one, Sir Thomas Knynett and Sir William Nevill the others) at a splendid tournament held at Westmr. An emblazoned roll depicting the same is at the College of Arms, London.

XX. 1511 2, or 9. HENRY (COURTENAY) EARL OF DEVON, 1st and only surv. s. and h., *b.* about 1498; obtained in Dec. 1512, in the 1512, Parl. of 4 Henry VIII., a reversal of his Father's attainder (in 1504), whereby he suc. to the *Earldom of Devon*, as held by his grandfather, to having, the year previous, suc. to the *Earldom of Devon* conferred (in 1511) on his father. P.C. and gent. of the privy chamber, 1520; *el. K.G.*, 24 April and inst. 9 June 1521, in which year he attended the King at the field of the Cloth of Gold; High Steward of the Duchy of Cornwall, &c., 1583; Constable of Windsor, &c., 1525. On 18 June 1525, he as "*Earl of Devon, Lord* [*dominus* i.e., feudal Lord] *of Okehampton and Plympton*," was *cr. MARQUESS OF EXETER*; (^a) Lieut. of the Order of the Garter, 17 May 1528. He supported the King, Henry VIII., in his wish to obtain a divorce, signing the letter to Pope Clement VII. to that effect, being a Commissioner in 1533 for Queen Catherine's deposition, and was rewarded with the Stewardship of numerous Abbies and Priors in the West of England. He assisted in the suppression of the rebellion called the Pilgrimage of Grace; was on the trial of Queen Anne Boleyn, was High Steward for the trials (15 May 1537) of the Lords D'Arcy and Hussey. The measures of Cromwell, the Vicar Gen., were so obnoxious to him that he drifted into a treasonable conspiracy with the Pole family, endeavouring to raise the men of Devon and Cornwall, and being taken prisoner, was tried by his Peers, 3 Dec. 1538, in Westm. Hall, found guilty of high treason and *beheaded* 9 Jany. 1538/9 on Tower Hill (with Lord Montacute and Sir Edward Nevill) when, having been *attainted*, the *Earldom was forfeited*.^(b) He *m.* after June 1515, Elizabeth, da. and h. of John (GREY), 2d VISCOUNT L'Isle, by Muriel, da. of Thomas (HOWARD), DUKE OF NORFOLK. She *d.* not long afterwards, s.p. He *m.* secondly, 25 Oct. 1519, Gertrude, da. of William (BLOUNT), 4th BARON MONTJOY, by his first wife, Elizabeth, da. and coheir of William SAY. This Lady was *attainted* as his widow, July 1539, and kept in prison for some years, but her attainder was reversed by Queen Mary, to whom she became a Lady-in-Waiting. She *d.* 25 Sep. 1558, and was *bur.* at Wimborne Minster, Dorset.

XXI. 1553. 1. EDWARD COURTENAY, 2d. but only surv. s. and h. by the 2d. wife; *b.* 1526, being aged 12 at his Father's death in 1538/9, was especially excepted from the amnesty of Ed. VI., in 1547, and was a prisoner for nearly 15 years, not being released till 3 Aug. 1553, a few days after the accession of Queen Mary. He was by pat. 3 Sept. 1553, *cr. EARL OF DEVON or DEVONSHIRE*, "to him and his heirs male for ever," the usual words "of his body" being omitted^(c) therein, as also in the clause giving such heirs a seat in Parl. To this was

(^a) This was the 8th Marquessate that had ever existed in England. See *infra*, note, *sub* "Dorset" Marquessate, 1397-99. Of these eight, but one, at the time of this creation, *viz.*, Dorset (*Grey*), *cr.* 1475, was in existence.

(^b) All his lands in Cornwall were annexed by the King to the Duchy of Cornwall.

(^c) "It was reserved for a decision in the House of Lords in the 19th century to award an Earldom to an heir male general, who derived his claim, as such, from an ancestor who lived 200 years anterior to the Patent of Creation under which he claimed and [that, too] after three centuries of quiet acquiescence in its extinction." See "*Courthope*" in his "observations on dignities" p. lvi, where also it is stated that "the limitation thus introduced is not presumed to have deviated from former limitations other than substituting a male for a female heir, the words *de corpore suo* having been "fully understood, tho' not expressed, in the former mode of limitation." Thus, in 1377, John (Mowbray) Lord Mowbray, was *cr.* Earl of Nottingham "*sibi et heredibus suis*" but the words "*de corpore suo*" were evidently implied, for after his death, s.p., his br. and heir Thomas, Lord Mowbray, did not inherit the Earldom, as such heir, but was himself in 1383, *cr.* Earl of Nottingham, the words "*de corpore suo*" (which having been first introduced in 1322, became, since 1337, the general rule) being, in this second creation, added thereto.

The words "*sibi et heredibus suis masculis in perpetuum*" (without the addition of "*de corpore suo*") have been used in five other cases, (three conferred by Richard II., and two by Henry VI., neither of whose troubled reigns furnish a good precedent in Peerage matters,) *viz.*, (1) The Earldom of Oxford (*Vere*), *cr.* 1393, which, in 1702,

added a warrant of precedence "that he and they [his heirs] were to enjoy in *Parl.*, as well as in all other places whatsoever, such place and precedence as any of the

on the failure of heirs male of the body of the grantee was considered to be extinct. (2) The Earldom of Wiltshire (*Scrope*), *cr.* 1397, the grantee, who *d. s.p.*, being beheaded and attainted in 1399; in this case neither the br. and heir, nor the nephew (each of whom was, successively, Lord Scrope of Bolton, and of great influence) nor any of their descendants (who continued till 1630 in the male line) petitioned for a reversal of the attainder, as considering themselves heirs to this Earldom, which was conferred on other families (Butler, Stafford, Boleyn and Paulet) in 1449, 1470, 1529 and 1550 respectively. It was not till after the decision of 1831, in the Devon case, that Mr. Scrope, of Danby, co. York, laid claim to this Earldom as heir male collateral. (3) The Barony of Hoo and Hastings (*Hoo*), *cr.* 1447, the grantee of which *d. s.p.m.* in 1455, when his br. Sir Thomas Hoo became his heir male, and survived him more than 30 years, but never claimed the dignity as such heir. (4) The Barony of Egremont (*Percy*), *cr.* 1449, the grantee of which *d. s.p. legit.* in 1460, leaving Henry, Earl of Northumberland his br. and h. male, but neither he nor any of his descendants ever claimed the title as such heir. (5) The Barony of Richemont-Grey (*Grey*), *cr.* 1450, the grantee of which was attainted in 1461, and *d.* apparently *s.p.*, and leaving his nephew Edmund, then Lord Grey de Ruthin, his heir male. Of these five cases not one appears to favour the construction given, in 1831, to the patent of 1553 in the case of the Earldom of Devon.

In the "Report of the Proceedings on the claim to the Earldom of Devon" [pub. in 1832] by Sir Harris Nicolas (whose able but, of course, interested advocacy the claimant had secured) two other cases are quoted, both being *Irish* Peerages (the Viscounty of Boyle of Kynalmaeky, and the Barony of Broghill) conferred on two brothers (Lewis Boyle and Roger Boyle), younger sons of the Earl of Cork [I.] in 1627. The remainder, however, in each of these cases is set out quite clearly in the patent, *viz.*, that failing the heir male of the body it should go to the Earl of Cork (the father) and the heir male of his body, failing which to the heirs male of the said Earl, while in the preamble to the creation of Kynalmaeky the intention is announced that the honour should remain to the heirs male of the said Earl "*tam de corpore, quam a latere.*" These creations, consequently, by shewing the necessity of inserting special words to effect a rem. to collateral heirs male argue (as far as they go) against rather instead of for the interpretation of the Devon remainder. The intention of the Crown in 1627 was quite clear: can the same be said in 1553? It is to be considered (1) that the Earldom of Devon (unless considered as a creation *de novo* of 1355) came into the Courtenay family (like the Crown of Scotland to the family of Stuart) "with a lass," and, but for the attainder by Edward IV would have gone therefrom "with a lass" (more than 400 years ago) in 1471 (2) that Henry VI, in 1485, and Henry VIII (to whom the grantee was uncle) in 1511 (with both of whom the Courtenay family as stout "Lancastrians" were in the highest favour) *cr.* the heir male of that family (descendants but not representatives of the ancient Earls) Earl of Devon, with rem. to the heir male of the body (3) that in the patent of 1553 is a clause that the grantee and his heirs male should have the precedence of any Earl of Devon that was the grantee's "antecessor." Can one suppose that this precedency was meant to be given to any Courtenay who was not descended from the old Earls of the house of Redvers? Yet such might have been the effect if the heir male of the grantee had had to be sought for, but four generations higher than was the case in 1831.

It would seem, therefore, probable either that the words "*de corpore suo*" were accidentally omitted or that the words "*hereditibus suis masculis*," without the addition of "*quibuscumque*" and with nothing in the preamble to guide their significance, were synonymous to "*heirs male of the body.*" The expression "*heirs male*" is certainly used very vaguely. "Nothing can be more common among English Peerage-writers [says the learned John Riddell, in his "*Scotch Peerage Law as connected with the case of the Earldom of Devon*," 1833] than the acceptance of *heirs male* as simply restricted to *heirs male of the body*, for which he quotes not only "Cruise" and "Collins' Precedents" and (even) the House of Lords in 1677, but also the opinion of the Lords' committee [4th Peerage report, 18], that "the grant of a dignity to a man and his heirs is a grant to him and the heirs of his body only and will convey nothing to collaterals." He goes on to discuss the "import of the term *heirs*

ancestors of the said Earl, heretofore Earls of Devon, had ever had or enjoyed." (a) **K.B.** 29 Sep. 1553; Bearer of the Sword of State, at the coronation, 1 Oct. 1553; being restored in blood [but not in honours] by act of Parl., 1 Mary, c. 3. He appears to have been implicated in Wyatt's plot, and to have had ideas of marrying the Princess Elizabeth, and thus, possibly obtaining the Kingdom. He was again imprisoned for a year, from 15 March 1553/4 to 6 April 1555 in the Tower and at Fotheringay, after which he went abroad. He *d. unm.*, not without a strong suspicion of having been poisoned, 18 Sep. 1556 at Padua, and was *bur.* at St. Anthony's, there. His estates were divided among his heirs, the descendants of his great grand-aunts, the four sisters of his great-great-grandfather Edward, Earl of Devon, so *cr.* 1485.

[After his death the title for nearly three centuries was considered extinct, and was conferred in 1603 and again in 1618 [such title still existing] on entirely different families; but, according to the remarkable decision of the House of Lords in 1831 it must be considered to have been dormant for these 275 years, the persons who under that decision would have been entitled thereto being as under. None of these, however, laid claim to the same, while one of them accepted a Baronetcy in 1644, and another, in 1762, a Viscounty, unconscious of the wonderful gyrations which hereafter was declared to belong to the (not altogether unique) patent of 1553.]

XXII. 1556. 2. SIR WILLIAM COURTENAY, of Powderham, co. Devon, *de jure* EARL OF DEVON^(b) cousin and h. male, being only s. and h. of George C., by Catharine, da. of Sir George ST. LEGER, which George C., was s. and h. ap. of Sir Wm. C. (*d.* 1535), s. and h. of another Sir William C. (*d.* 1512), s. and h. of a third Sir William C. (*d.* 1485), s. and h. of Sir Philip C. (*d.* 1463), s. and h. of Sir John C. (*d.* before 1415), 2d s. of Sir Philip C. (*d.* 1406), all of Powderham afsd., which last named Philip was yr. br. of Edward C., of Godlington, (*d.* before 1337), father of Sir Hugh C. of Hacombe, father of Sir Hugh C. of Boconnock (*d.* 1471), father of Edward, Earl of Devon (1485-1509), father of William, Earl of Devon (1511), father of Henry, Earl of Devon (1511-39), attained 1539, who was father of Edward Courtenay, created Earl of Devon in 1553 as above mentioned.^(c) He *suc.* his grand-

male in Scottish honours," having premised that "in the Devon case, in the dearth of English precedent, *Scottish practise* was directly founded upon." Here, however, occurs the Barony of Cramond [S.], *cr.* 1628, with a rem. to Sir Thomas Richardson "suisque *hæreditibus masculis quibus deficientibus*, [necessarily implying those of *his body*] *hæreditibus masculis de corpore dieti Patris*," while the English Barony of Lucas, *cr.* 1644, is equally strong, the rem. being to "Sir Charles Lucas and his *heyres male* and for *want of such issue* [shewing heirs male of the body to have been meant] to Sir Thomas Lucas and his *heyres male* for ever." The Barony of Cobham (Brooke), *cr.* 1645, was "to *heirs male*," but on the death s.p. of the grantee in 1660 was considered extinct. The words "for ever," be it observed, in no way strengthen the rem., being frequently inserted after "of the body," tho' it is possible that the words "*quibuscunque*" or "*arma et nomen familie gerentibus*" may convey, perhaps, some more extended meaning. Mr. Riddell also remarks that the case of Devon in 1831 "is the only English decision that has recognised in the case of honours the meaning of heirs male as importing a collateral male rem., and that it was further admitted upon the occasion that no English peerage had ever so descended in virtue of such words." It is doubtful, indeed, whether the Crown without an Act of Parl. has in England the power to grant such an extensive estate *in entail* as a Peerage to *heirs male whatsoever*; a grant of lands to such heirs is undoubtedly void (Lovell case, 18 Hen. VIII), and this was, till 1831, generally considered to apply to Offices and Peerage, but in that year, as Nicolas triumphantly remarks, "the decision [in the Devon case] established that honours are governed by distinct rules from real property and that the grant of a peerage to a man and his heirs male is a valid grant and will convey the dignity to his heirs male collateral." See also a letter from the well known T. C. Banks to Lord Chancellor Brougham (1831) as to other results that might ensue if this decision (as to adopting the *letter* and not the *intention* of the instrument of the creation) is to be followed.

(a) See as to "Precedency of Peers in Parl. by Royal warrant," vol. i, p. 229, note "a," sub "BANBURY."

(b) According to the extraordinary decision of the House of Lords, confirmed 15 March 1831, respecting that dignity.

(c) See tabular pedigree p. 112, note "a."

father, Sir William Courtenay, 24 Nov. 1535, in the Powderhamestate, being then aged 6 years and upwards; was Knighted in 1553, and in 1556 became the male representative of his house and the *de jure*^(a) Earl of Devon as above stated. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of John (PAULETT), 2d MARQUESS OF WINCHESTER, by his first wife Elizabeth, da. of Robert (WILLOUGHBY), 2d LORD WILLOUGHBY DE BROKE. He was at the siege of St. Quintin, in France, 18 Aug. 1557, where he is supposed to have been slain. His widow *m.* Sir Henry OUGHTRED. She *d.* 4 Nov. 1576 and was *bur.* at Basing, Hants.

XXIII. 1557. 3. WILLIAM COURTENAY, of Powderham afsd., *de jure* EARL OF DEVON^(a), only s. and h., aged 4 years at his father's death; Knighted 1576; Sheriff of Devon 1581; one of the undertakers for the planting of Ireland, 1585, whereby he acquired great estates in that kingdom. He *m.* firstly (lic. from Bp. of London 18 Jany. 1572/3) Elizabeth, da. of Henry (MANNERS), 2d EARL OF RUTLAND by his first wife Margaret, da. of Ralph (NEVILL), 4th EARL OF WESTMORLAND. He *m.* secondly Elizabeth, da. of George SYDENHAM. He *d.* 24 June 1630 aged 77 and was *bur.* at Powderham^(b).

XXIV. 1630. 4. FRANCIS COURTENAY, of Powderham afsd., *de jure* EARL OF DEVON^(a), 2d but 1st surv. s. and h.^(c) He *m.* firstly Mary, widow of Nicholas HURST, da. of Sir William POLE, of Colcomb, Devon, She *d.* s.p. He *m.* secondly Elizabeth, 1st da. of Sir Edward SEYMOUR, 2d Bart., by Dorothy, da. of Sir Henry KILLIGREW. He *d.* March 1638. *Inq., post-mortem*, 14 Car. I. His widow *m.* (as his first wife) Sir Amos MEREDYTH, Bart. [S., so *cr.* 1639], who *d.* 3 Sep. 1669.

XXV. 1638. 5. WILLIAM COURTENAY, of Powderham afsd., *de jure* EARL OF DEVON^(a), s. and h., *cap.* 7 Sep. 1628. He was Knighted at Oxford, 9 April 1664, and by writ of Privy Seal, Feb. 1644 was *cr.* a *Baronet*, but the patent (like many others of that date) was never enrolled. He favoured the restoration, was Sheriff of Devon 1664, and sometime M.P. for that county. He *m.* (when their united ages were under 30) Margaret, da. of Sir William WALLER (the Parliamentary General), by his first wife (of whom she was only child) Jane, da. and h. of Sir Richard REYNELL, of co. Devon. She was *bur.* 9 Jany. 1693 at Powderham. He *d.* 4 Aug 1702 aged 84.

XXVI. 1702. 6. SIR WILLIAM COURTENAY, Bart., *de jure* EARL OF DEVON^(a), grandson and h., being 1st s. and h. Francis C., by Mary, da. of William BOVEY, of Flaxley, co. Glouc. and of London, merchant, which Francis was 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap. of the last named, *de jure*, Earl, but *d. v. p.*, and was *bur.* at Chelsea 12 May 1699 in his 49th year. He was *b.* 4 March 1675; M.P. for Devon 1700-10 and 1712-35; Lord Lieut. of Devon 1715. He *m.* 20 July 1704 (settl. dat. 16 June previous) Anne, 2d da. of James (BERTIE), 1st EARL OF ABINGDON, by his first wife, Eleanor, da. of Sir Henry LEE, Bart. She *d.* 1734. Admon. 26 March 1734 to her husband "Sir Wm. C., Bart." He *d.* 10 Oct. 1735 and was *bur.* at Powderham. Will, as "Sir W. C., Bart.," pr. 15 Jany. 1735 by "Sir W. C. Bart.," the son.

XXVII. 1735. 7. SIR WILLIAM COURTENAY, Bart., *de jure* EARL OF DEVON^(a), 3d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 11 and *cap.* 15 Feb. 1709/10 at St. Martin's-in-fields; matric. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.) 4 June 1729 as "son of a Baronet;" *cr.* M.A. 28 Jany. 1730/1, and D.C.L. (as a "Baronet,") 16 May. 1739; M.P. for Honiton 1734-41, for Devonshire 1741-62. He *m.* 2 April 1741 at the Chapel in Duke-street, Westm, Frances, 4th and yst. da. of Heneage (FINCH), 2d EARL OF AYLESFORD, by Mary, da. of Sir Clement FISHER, Bart. She, who was *b.* 4 Feb. 1720/1, *d.* at Bath 19 Dec. 1761 and was *bur.* 31st at Powderham. Ten days before his death he was, 6 May 1762, *cr.* VISCOUNT COURTENAY OF POWDERHAM CASTLE, co. Devon. He *d.* in London 16 May 1762 and was *bur.* 31st at Powderham. Will pr. June 1762.

^(a) See p. 109, note "b."

^(b) His third son George appears to be the "George Oughtred Courtenay" who in 1621 was *cr.* a Bart. [L.] as "of Newcastle, co. Limerick."

^(c) Sir William Courtenay, the 1st s. and h. ap., served in Ireland, and was Knighted at Dublin 13 July 1599 by the Earl of Essex. He *d.* unnm. and *v. p.* in 1603.

XXVIII. 1762. 8. WILLIAM (COURTENAY), VISCOUNT COURTENAY OF POWDERHAM and *de jure* EARL OF DEVON^(a), only s. and h., *b.* 30 and *hap.* 31 Oct. 1742 at St. James', Westm.; matric. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.) 21 March 1761. He *m.* at Edinburgh, 7 May 1762, and subsequently at Powderham, 19 Dec. 1763, Frances, da. of Thomas CLACK, of Wallingford, Berks. She *d.* in Grosvenor Sq., Midx., 25 March and was *bur.* 5 April 1782 at Powderham. He *d.* 14 Oct. 1788. Will *pr.* Dec. 1788.

XXIX. 1788, 9. WILLIAM (COURTENAY), VISCOUNT COURTENAY OF CONFIRMED POWDERHAM, and (on his father's death in 1788) *de jure* EARL OF DEVON^(b), only s. and h., *b.* 30 July and *hap.* 30 Aug. 1768 at Powderham. On 14 May 1831 he was declared EARL OF DEVON^(b) by the House of Lords, under the rem. in the creation of that Earldom, 3 Sep 1553, to the grantee "*and his heirs male*;" he being indeed *collaterally* heir male to the grantee, inasmuch as his grandfather's grandfather's grandfather (tho' all of them unconscious of their right to such dignity), Sir William Courtenay (who *d.* 1557) was cousin and heir male of the grantee of 1553, whose ancestor in the *seventh* degree was this Sir William's grandfather's grandfather's grandfather. The Earl *d.* unm. at Paris 26 May 1835, when the *Viscounty of Courtenay of Powderham* became *extinct*. Will proved June 1835^(c).

XXX. 1835. 10. WILLIAM (COURTENAY), EARL OF DEVON, cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Henry-Reginald COURTENAY, Bishop of Exeter (1797-1803) by Elizabeth, da. of Thomas (HOWARD) 2d. EARL OF EFFINGHAM, which Henry-Reginald, was 2d but 1st surv. s. of another Henry-Reginald C., who was next br. to William, 1st Viscount Courtenay, *de jure*^(a) 7th Earl of Devon. He was *b.* 19 June 1777, in Lower Grosvenor street, Midx.; *ed.* at Westm. School, and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; B.A.; 1798; M.A., 1801; Barrister (Linc.-Inn), 1799; Patentee of the Subpoena office, Court of Chancery; Commissioner of Bankrupts, 1809-17; Master in Chancery, 1817.; M.P. for Exeter, 1812-26; Clerk Assistant of the Parl., 1826 to 1835, when he suc. to the Peerage. He was *cr.* D.C.L., Oxford, 7 June 1837; High Steward of the Univ. of Oxford, 1838; Eccles. Commissioner, 1842-40; Chairman of the "occupation of land [L.] commission," 1843. He *m.* firstly, 29 Nov. 1804, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., "Lady Harriet LESLIE," da. of Jane-Elizabeth, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF ROTHES [S.], by her 2d. husband, Sir Lucas PEPYS, Bart. She, who was *b.* 1 June 1777, *d.* 16 Dec. 1839. He *m.* secondly, 30 Jan. 1849, at St. Stephens, Dublin, Elizabeth-Ruth, da. of the Rev. John-Middleton SCOTT, of Ballygannon, co. Wicklow, by Arabella-Barbara, da. of Anthony (BRABAZON), 8th EARL OF MEATH [I.] He *d.* 19 March 1859 aged 81, at Shrivenham, Berks^(c). His widow living 1889.

XXXI. 1859. 11. WILLIAM-REGINALD (COURTENAY), EARL OF DEVON, 1st s. and h. by first wife, *b.* in Charlotte street, Bedford square, 14 April, and *hap.* 3 July 1807, at St. Geo. Bloomsbury; matric. at Oxford (Ch.-Ch.), 30

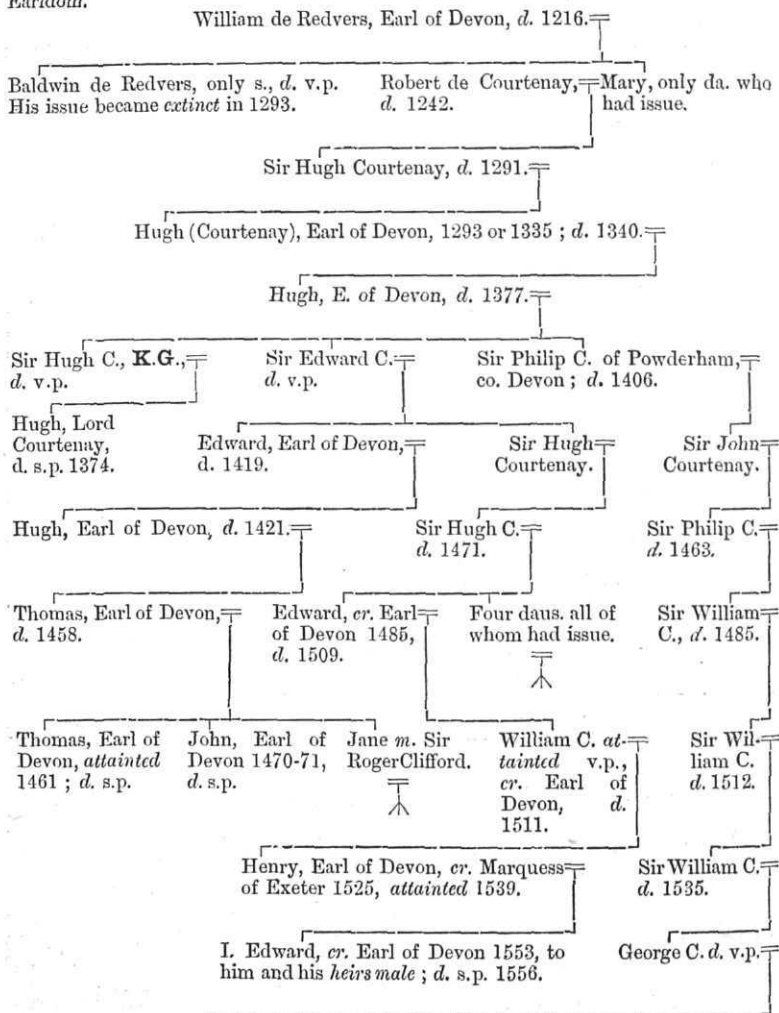
^(a) See p. 109, note "b."

^(b) The person in whose favour this astonishing decision was made was, according to the well-known T. C. Banks (in his letter on the Devon case to Lord Chancellor Brougham), one "who ought to think himself happy that his titles and estates have not been forfeited, or himself paid the debt to the law like the Lord Hungerford of Heytesbury" [beheaded 1541], one against whom a bill being found, "never ventured to put the question of guilt to a trial," but remained skulking abroad, afraid to venture on taking his seat in Parl.; his motto, "*Ubi lapsus? quid feci?*" putting "a question which its owner avoids to leave to a tribunal of his country to answer." The person who in reality was the *moving* power was William Courtenay, then Clerk Assistant of the Parliament, who, after the claimant's death in 1835, *suc.* him as Earl of Devon. Lord Brougham appears to have taken an active part in obtaining the decision. Lord Campbell (in his *Life of Brougham*) says, "I have often rallied Brougham upon his creating William Courtenay, Earl of Devon. He says [*sic*] he consulted Lord Ch. Justice Tenterden. But Tenterden knew nothing of Peerage Law, and must have come to a contrary conclusion if he had heard the question properly argued."

^(c) See tabular pedigree, p. 112, note "a."

March 1824; B.A., 1828; Fellow of All Souls' Coll., 1828-31; B.C.L., 1831; and *cr.* D.C.L., 27 June 1838, styled LORD COURTENAY, 1835-59; (^a) Cursitor in the Court of Chancery. M.P. for South Devon, 1841-49; Sec. to the Poor Law Board, 1852-58; Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, July 1866 to May 1867; P.C., 1866; President of the Poor Law Board, May 1867 to Dec. 1868; sometime Lieut.-Col. of

(^a) Pedigree shewing the *descent* (one, however, *without any representation*) of the Courtenays, of Powderham, from the ancient Earls (Redvers) of Devon, and their heirships, as heir male collateral, to Edward Courtenay, the grantee in 1553 of that Earldom.



II. Sir William Courtenay, *de jure*, Earl of Devon, in 1556; great grandfather of Sir William C. *cr.* a Bart. in 1644 (also *de jure* E. of Devon), who was grandfather's grandfather to William, Viscount Courtenay, to whom the Earldom was allowed in 1831, and to William Courtenay, who succeeded him in 1835, as (10th) Earl of Devon.

the 1st Devon Yeomanry Cavalry. He m. 27 Dec. 1830, Elizabeth, 7th and yst. da. of Hugh (FORTESCUE), 1st EARL FORTESCUE, by Hester, da. of the Right Hon. George GRENVILLE. She, who was b. 10 July 1801, d. 27 Jan. 1867, at Powderham Castle. He d. there 18 Nov., 1888, aged 81. Will p. at £2,598.

XXXIII. 1888. 12. EDWARD - BALDWIN (COURTENAY), EARL OF DEVON, 3d but only surv. s. and h. b. 7 May 1836; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 18 Oct. 1854; M.P. for Exeter, 1864-68; for East Devon, 1868-70. Bankrupt, April 1870 on debts of about £100,000; again May 1878 on about £20,000 (each being annulled at 1s. in the £1) and again Jan. 1888.

Family estates... These, in 1883, consisted of 20,049 acres in Devon, worth £30,995 a year, and of 33,026 in co. Limerick worth £14,525 a year. Total 53,075 acres, worth £45,520 a year. *Principal residence*. Powderham Castle, near Exeter, Devon.

DEVONSHIRE or DEVON^(a) (County of).

Earldom. "CHARLES [BLOUNT], BARON MONTJOY, K.G., Lieutenant of the King in Ireland"^(b) was, 21 July 1603,^(c) *cr.* EARL OF DEVONSHIRE or DEVON.^(d) He d. s.p. legit. 3 April 1606, when *all his honours became extinct*. See fuller particulars under "MONTJOY," Barony (*Blount*) *cr.* 1465, *ex.* 1606; *sub* the 8th and last Baron.

II. 1618. 1. "WILLIAM [CAVENDISH], BARON CAVENDISH OF HARDWICK, co. Derby"^(b) was, 7 Aug. 1618, *cr.* EARL OF DEVONSHIRE or DEVON.^(c) He was 2d surv. s. of Sir William CAVENDISH, of Hardwicke, co. Derby, by his third wife Elizabeth (the celebrated "Building Bess of Hardwicke," afterwards COUNTESS OF SHREWSBURY), da. and eventually coheir of John HARDWICKE, of Hardwicke, *afsd.*; b. 27 Dec. 1552 (the 12th child of his father "and the 4th by the said woman," his sponsors being the Marchioness of Northampton, the Marquess of Winchester, and the Earl of Pembroke.^(f) Knighted, 1580; M.P. for Newport, co. Cornwall, 1588; Sheriff for co. Derby, 1595; suc. his mother, who d. 13 Feb. 1607, aged 87, in a very considerable estate, and was, 4 May 1605,^(g) *cr.* BARON

(a) The Earldom of this County as enjoyed since 1603 (at which period, and for more than two centuries afterwards, the Earldom thereof enjoyed by the Courtenay family was considered extinct) is treated of as "Devonshire" (to distinguish it from the Courtenay Earldom) and is numbered (for the sake of clearness) as if the title was a distinct one. Two Earldoms of the same county (*Devon*) having (according to the decision in 1831) existed since the 17th century concurrently, this appears to be the best way *practically* (tho' perhaps, not very logically) of treating the junior one.

(b) See "Creations, 1483-1646 in ap. 47th Rep. of D. K. Pub. Records.

(c) Three Earldoms were *cr.* this day, *viz.*, SOUTHAMPTON (*Wrothesley*), SUFFOLK (*Howard, Lord Howard de Walden*), and DEVON (*Blount, Lord Montjoy*), as also eight Baronies, *viz.*, Harington (*Harington*), Ellesmere (*Egerton*), Petre (*Petre*), Danvers (*Danvers*), Gerard of Bromley (*Gerard*), Russell of Thornhaugh (*Russell*), Grey of Groby (*Grey*), and Spencer of Wormleighton (*Spencer*).

(d) The creation both in 1603 and 1618 was "Comes Devon" which, of course, can be rendered either as *Devonshire* or *Devon*; that of the Dukedom in 1694 was similarly "*Dux Devon*."

(e) In this month of Aug. 1618 four Earldoms were conferred, *viz.*, NORTHAMPTON on (*Compton*) Lord Compton; LEICESTER on (*Sydney*) Viscount L'Isi; WARWICK on (*Rich*) Baron Rich; and DEVONSHIRE on (*Cavendish*) Baron Cavendish. Of these four grantees Chamberlayne writes (8 Aug. 1618) that "malicious poets and libellers" dub Leicester as *Vinosus*; Northampton as *Crazed*; Warwick as *Cornucopia*; and Devonshire as a *Lombard* or *Usurer*."

(f) Collins "Noble families," *sub* Cavendish.

(g) He appears to have obtained his Barony thro' his niece, Lady Arabella Stuart, whose mother Elizabeth was his father's sister. "Count Arundell and Mr. William Cavendish" (if my lady Arabella have no more uncles) shall be Barons" writes Rowland White to Lord Shrewsbury. See Lodge's *Illustr.*, vol. iii, p. 286 and 290. See list of seven Peers *cr.* that day, *sub* "Exeter," Earldom, *cr.* 1605.

CAVENDISH OF HARDWICK, co. Derby. He was one of the first adventurers to Virginia and a co-grantee of the Bermudas Island, of which one eighth part was called after him. On 12 Oct. 1616, he *suc.* his elder br. Henry Cavendish, of Chatsworth, co. Derby, in that and other estates; Bailiff of Tutbury Castle, 1615, being raised to the *Earldom of Devonshire* in 1618 as *afsd.*^(a) Lord Lieut. co. Derby (jointly with his son) 1619-26. He *m.* firstly (mar. lic. 21 March 1580/1, from Bp. of London) Anne, da. of Henry Keighley, of Keighley, co. York, and St. Botolph's, Aldersgate, London, by Mary, da. of Sir Thomas CARUS, one of the Justices of the Queen's Bench, 1566. He *m.* secondly Elizabeth, widow of Sir Richard WORTLEY, da. of Edward BOUGHTON, of Causton, co. Warwick. He *d.* at Hardwick, 3 March 1625/6, in his 75th year, and was *bur.* at Edensor, co. Derby. Will pr. 1626. His widow *d.* probably in 1642. Her will pr. Nov. 1642.

III. 1626. 2. WILLIAM (CAVENDISH), EARL OF DEVONSHIRE, &c., 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. by 1st wife, *b.* 1590; was ed. by the celebrated Thomas Hobbes; M.A., Camb., but incorporated at Oxford 8 July 1608; Knighted 7 March 1608/9 at Whitehall; *styled* LORD CAVENDISH 1618-26; M.P. for co. Derby 1621-26; joint Lord Lieut. thereof 1619, and sole Lord Lieut. 1626-28. His extravagant hospitality caused him to sell several of his estates. He *m.* 10 April 1608, at the ROLLS Chapel, London (at her age of twelve years and three months) Christian,^(b) sister to Thomas, 1st EARL OF ELGIN [S.], and da. of Edward (BRUCE), 1st LORD KINLOSS [S.], Master of the Rolls, by Magdalen, da. of Alexander CLERK. He *d.* (from "indulgence in good living") at his house near Bishopsgate street, London, 20 June, and was *bur.* 11 July 1628, aged 38 (with his celebrated mother, the Countess of Shrewsbury), at All Saints', Derby. M.I. Will pr. 1628. His widow, who was *b.* 28 Dec. 1595, was a zealous royalist, and a patroness of men of letters.^(c) She *d.* 16 June 1674, in her 79th year, and was *bur.* at All Saints' *afsd.* Will pr. 1675.

IV. 1628. 3. WILLIAM (CAVENDISH), EARL OF DEVONSHIRE, &c., 1st s. and h., *b.* 10 Oct. 1617; K.B. at the Coronation of Charles I, 2 Feb. 1625/6; *styled* LORD CAVENDISH, 1626-28; Lord Lieut. co. Derby, 1638-42, and again 1660-84. He opposed the attainder of Lord Stafford, was with the King at York in 1642, but being expelled the House left England. He returned in 1645, compounding for a fine of £5,000. He received Charles I for a night 13 Oct. 1645, at his house at Latimers, Bucks; was one of the orig. fellows of the Royal Society, 20 May 1663, and a Commissioner of Trade, 1668/9. He *m.* (lic. 4 March 1638/9, from Bp. of London) Elizabeth, 2d da. of William (CECIL), 2d EARL OF SALISBURY, by Catharine, da. of Thomas (HOWARD), 1st EARL OF SUFFOLK. He *d.* at Roehampton House, Surrey, 23 Nov. 1684, and was *bur.* at Edensor, co. Derby. Will pr. 10 April 1685, and 3 July 1708. His widow, who was aged 19 in 1638/9 *d.* 19 and was *bur.* 21 Nov. 1689 in "Monmouth's vault," Westm. Abbey. Her will pr. 13 Nov. 1690.

V. 1684. 4 and 1. WILLIAM (CAVENDISH), EARL OF DEVONSHIRE &c, 1st s. and h., *b.* 25 Jany. 1640/1, *styled* LORD CAVENDISH till 1684; was one of the four Pages who bore the King's train at his Coronation, 23 April 1661; M.P. for co. Derby, 1661-81, being since 1677 an opposer of the Court measures, tho' one of the Privy Council, 1679-80; F.R.S., 20 May 1663; *cr.* M.A. of Oxford, 28 Sep. 1663. He was cupbearer to the Queen at the Coronation of James II, 23 April 1685, but opposing that King's measures was one of the nobility "in arms" for

(a) He was in attendance on James I. on a circuit in the West, and is said to have been first declared an Earl on 2 Aug 1618 at the palace of the Bishop of Salisbury, and to have paid no less than £10,000 for the title.

(b) "A pretty red-headed wench; her portion is £7,000; the youth at first refused her, but Lord Cavendish [his father] told him Kinloss was well favoured by the Queen and if he refused it he would make him the worse by £100,000. The King made up her portion to £10,000." See Lodge's *Illustr.* iii, p. 351.

(c) She purchased Roehampton House, in Putney, Surrey, from Sir Thomas Dawes about 1650, where she frequently entertained Charles II and his Court. A portrait of her is in Lysons' "*Environs of London*," vol. i, p. 452 (edit. 1796).

the Prince of Orange in 1688.^(a) By the new Sovereigns he was, in 1689, made Col. of a Reg. of Horse; Steward of the Household (which office he retained till his death); P.C.; Lord Lieut. co. Derby, &c.; el. K.G. 3 April and inst. 14 May 1689, and was on 11 April in that same year Lord High Steward of England for the Coronation of the King and Queen as he was also, 23 April 1702, for the Coronation of Queen Anne; Chief Justice in Eyre, north of Trent, 1690; Lord Lieut. of Notts, 1692-94. On 12 May 1694, he was *cr.* MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON, co. Derby, and DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE. or DEVON,^(b) He was one of the "LORDS JUSTICES" to whom (since the death of Queen Mary) the government of the realm was intrusted yearly 1695 to 1701 (during the King's absence therefrom for some months in each year) his nomination, as such, being never once omitted.^(c) He was *cr.* LL.D. of Cambridge 16 April 1705, at the same time as was his eldest son. He *m.*, 26 Oct. 1662, at Kilkenny Castle, co. Tipperary, Mary, 2d da. of James (BUTLER), 1st DUKE OF ORMONDE, by Elizabeth, *suo jure*, BARONESS DINGWALL [S.] He *d.* in Devonshire House, Piccadilly, Midx., 18 Aug., and was *bur.* 1 Sep. 1707, at All Saints', Derby, in his 67th year. M.I.^(d)

(a) See a list of these in vol. i, p. 28, note "b," *sub* "Abingdon."

(b) "*Dux Devon*," see *ante*, p. 113, note "d." See the preamble to the patent in "Collins" I, p. 350, stating "that the King and Queen could do no less for one who had deserved the best of them, &c." This was the eighth of the *nine* Dukedoms *cr.* within *six* years by William III. It appears that the title which it was conjoined the Earl would take was "*Newcastle*" which had been previously held (1628-1691) by the Cavendish family, but which was conferred among this batch of Dukedoms on John (Holles), Earl of Clare, who had *m.* the coheir of the last Duke. See vol. ii, p. 274, note "a," *sub* "Clare."

(c) The "LORDS JUSTICES" to govern the realm during King William's yearly absence therefrom, appointed since the death of Queen Mary (who formerly exercised that authority) were as under—(1) from 12 May to 10 Oct. 1695, and (2) from 1 May to 6 Oct. 1696; the ARCHBISHOP (*Tenison*) OF CANTERBURY; the LORD KEEPER SOMERS, afterwards (1697-1700) Lord Chancellor and BARON SOMERS; the EARL OF PEMBROKE, Privy Seal; the DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE, Steward of the Household; the DUKE OF SHREWSBURY, Sec. of State; the EARL OF DORSET, Chamberlain of the Household; and LORD GODOLPHIN, first Commissioner of the Treasury; (3) from 25 April to 16 Nov. 1697, the same persons, *omitting Godolphin* and substituting the EARL OF SUNDERLAND, the EARL OF ROMNEY (*Sidney*) and Admiral RUSSELL, (*cr.* in May 1697 EARL OF ORFORD,) thereby raising the number from seven to nine; (4) from 20 July to 3 Dec. 1698, they were the Archbishop, Somers, Pembroke, Devonshire Dorset, Romney, and Orford, as above, *omitting Shrewsbury and Sunderland* and substituting the EARL OF MARLBOROUGH and Charles MONTAGUE, first Lord of the Treasury, afterwards, 1700, Baron, and subsequently, 1714, EARL OF HALIFAX; (5) from 2 June to 18 Oct. 1699, they were the Archbishop, Somers, Pembroke, Devonshire, Marlborough, Mr. Montague (afterwards Earl of Halifax), as above, *omitting Dorset, Romney, and Orford*, and substituting Viscount Lonsdale, Privy Seal; the Earl of Bridgewater, first Lord of the Admiralty; and the Earl of Jersey, Chamberlain of the Household; (6) from 27 June to 18 Oct. 1700, they were the Archbishop, Pembroke, Lonsdale, Devonshire, Bridgewater, Jersey, and Marlborough, as above, *omitting Somers* (no longer Lord Chancellor) and *Halifax*, and substituting the EARL OF TANKERVILLE (*Grey*), first Lord of the Treasury. and Sir Nathan WRIGHT, the Lord Keeper; (7) from 28 June to 5 Nov. 1701, they were but seven in number, *viz.*, the Archbishop, the Lord Keeper (Wright), the Earl of Pembroke, the Duke of Devonshire, and the Earl of Jersey, as above, *omitting Lonsdale, Bridgewater, Marlborough, and Halifax*, and substituting the DUKE OF SOMERSET, and (for the 3d time, he having served in 1695 and 1696) LORD GODOLPHIN. It will thus be seen that but three of these *viz.*, Archbishop Tenison, the Duke of Devonshire, and the Earl of Pembroke, were honoured by being appointed every time.

(d) "*Bonorum Principum fidelis subditus, inimicus et invisus Tyrannis, &c.*" This inscription which he ordered to be put on his monument shews his opinion of himself, and of his merits in the cause of the Revolution of 1688. His character as given by Bishop Burnet about 1700, when the Duke was past sixty years old, is as under. "Has been the finest and handsomest gentleman of his time; loves the ladies and plays; keeps a noble house and equipage; is tall, well made, and of a princely behaviour; of nice honour in everything but the paying of his tradesmen, to which Dean Swift adds "*a very poor understanding*," the same remark he makes of his son

Will dat. 15 pr. 23 Oct. 1707. His widow, who was *b.* 1646, *d.* 31 July, and was *bur.* 6 Aug. 1710 (with her parents) at Westm. Abbey. (a)

Dukedom. }
 II. }
Earldom. } 1707.
 VI. }

2 and 5. WILLIAM (CAVENDISH), DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE, MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON, &c., 1st s. and h., *b.* about 1673, *styled* LORD CAVENDISH, 1684-94; *styled* MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON, 1694-1707; served with the army in Flanders, 1692; M.P. for co. Derby, 1695-1702 for Castle Rising 1702; for Yorkshire 1702-07; Capt. of the Yeomen of the Guard, 1702-07; *cr.* LL.D., of Cambridge (at the same time as his Father) 16 April 1705; P.C. 1707 to Queen Anne, and 1714 to George I.; LORD STEWARD OF THE HOUSEHOLD, 1707-10 to Queen Anne, and again 1714-16 to George I.; Ch.-Justice in Eyre, north of Trent, 1707-10; elected **K.G.**, 22d March 1709/10; inst. 22 Dec. 1710. One of the "Lords Justices" (Regents) of the Realm, 1 Aug. to 28 Sep. 1714 (b); LORD PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL to Geo. I. and II., *viz.*, 1716-1717, and 1725-1727. Was one of the Lords Justices of the Realm during the King's absence in 1720-1725 and 1727. He *m.* 21 June 1688 at the chapel of Southampton House, St. Giles in the fields, Midx. (he about 16, she about 14, *mar. lic.* from Vic.-Gen.) Rachel, sister to Wrothesley, 2d DUKE OF BEDFORD, 1st da. of William RUSSELL, *styled* LORD RUSSELL, by Rachel, da. of Thomas (WROTHESLEY), EARL OF SOUTHAMPTON. She was *b.* Jan. 1674, *d.* 28 Dec. 1725. Will pr. Jan. 1725/6. He *d.* in Devonshire House, Piccadilly 4 June 1729 and was *bur.* at All Saints', Derby. Will pr. 12 June 1729. (c)

Dukedom. }
 III. }
Earldom, } 1729.
 VII. }

3 and 6, WILLIAM (CAVENDISH), DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE, MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON, &c., 1st s. and h., *b.* 1698, *styled* MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON, 1707-29; *matric.* at Oxford (New Coll.) 30 May 1715, and then aged 16; *cr.* M.A., 6 July 1717; M.P. for Lostwithiel, 1721-24; for Grampound 1724-27, and for Huntingdonshire, 1727-29; Capt. of the Gent-Pensioners, 1726-31; Lord Lieut. of co. Derby, 1729-55; P.C. 1731; Lord Privy Seal, 1731-33; LORD STEWARD OF THE HOUSEHOLD, 1733-37, and again 1744-49. He was one of the Lords Justices of the Realm during the King's absence therefrom in 1741, 1745, and 1748; CHIEF GOV. (LORD LIEUT.) OF IRELAND, 1737-45. Owing to the frequent disagreements in

and successor. Horace Walpole says of him that he was "a Patriot among the men, a Corydon among the ladies." He was also great as a duellist, was something of an author, and was the erector of the vast mansion at Chatsworth, begun in 1687.

(a) An engraving of her from a picture at Hardwick is in Mrs. Jameson's "Court Beauties of Charles II."

(b) The seven great officers (*virtute officii*) who under the act 4 and 5 Anne were (under the style of "Lords Justices") Regents of Great Britain, on the demise of the Queen, 1 Aug. to 18 Sep. 1714, were the ARCHBISHOP (*Tenison*) OF CANTERBURY; LORD HARCOURT, Lord Chancellor; DUKE OF BUCKINGHAM, President of the Council; DUKE OF SHREWSBURY, Lord Treasurer; EARL OF DARTMOUTH, Privy Seal; EARL OF STRAFFORD, first Lord of the Admiralty and Sir Thomas Parker, Ch. Justice of the King's Bench, afterwards EARL OF MACCLESFIELD. To these the King added 19 (or rather in fact 18) others—*viz.*, the ARCHBISHOP (*Dawes*) OF YORK, 5 English Dukes, *viz.*, SHREWSBURY (who *virtute officii*, had but 2 days previous to the Queen's demise acquired a right thereto) SOMERSET, BOLTON, DEVONSHIRE and KENT, 3 Scotch Dukes, *viz.*, ARGYLL, MONTROSE and ROXBURGH; 7 Earls, *viz.*, PEMBROKE, ANGLESEY, CARLISLE, NOTTINGHAM, ABINGDON, SCARBROUGH and OXFORD; 1 Viscount, *viz.*, TOWNSHEND, and 2 Barons, *viz.*, HALIFAX (*Montagu*) and COWPER.

(c) His character, given by Bishop Burnet, is "A Gentleman of very good sense, a bold orator and zealous assertor of the liberty of the People; one of the best beloved Gentlemen by the country party in England; a constant opposer of Mr. Howe in the House of Commons; one who makes a great figure in his person; of a brown complexion; taller than a middle stature," to which Dean Swift adds, "a very poor understanding," being the same remark he made of his Father.

the Pelham ministry he retired from the Court in 1749. He *m.* 27 March 1718, Catherine, da. and h. of John HOSKINS, of Oxted, co. Surrey, by Catherine, da. of William HALE, of Kings Walden, Herts. He *d.* 5 Dec. 1755, and was *bur.* at All Saints, Derby. Will pr. 30 May. 1756. ^(a) His widow *d.* 8 May 1777. Her will p. 17 May 1777.

Dukedom.	} 1755.	4 and 7. WILLIAM (CAVENDISH), DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE, MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON, &c., 1st s. and h., <i>b.</i> 1720; <i>styled</i> MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON, 1729-55; M.P. for Derbyshire, 1741-51. Having <i>m.</i> 28 March 1748, at Lady Burlington's house in Pall Mall, St. James Westm., Charlotte Elizabeth, <i>suo jure</i> BARONESS CLIFFORD, only surv. da. and h. of Richard (BOYLE),
IV.		
Earldom.		
VIII.		

EARL OF BURLINGTON, &c., (See fuller particulars under "CLIFFORD" Barony, *cr.* 1628) he acquired the immense estates of that family in Yorkshire, &c., and in co. Cork, &c., in Ireland, and greatly increased his political importance. She, who was *b.* 27 Oct. and *hap.* 24 Nov. 1731, at Chiswick, co. Midx., *d.* at Uppingham, co. Rutland, 8. and was *bur.* 24 Dec. 1754, at All Saints', Derby. He was sum. to Parl. 13 June 1751, in his father's Barony as LORD CAVENDISH OF HARDWICK; P.C., 1751; Master of the Horse, 1751-55; Lord High Treasurer of Ireland and Gov. of co. Cork 1754 till his death; CHIEF GOV. (Lord Lieut.) OF IRELAND, March 1755 to Nov. 1756; one of the Lords Justices of Regency for the realm April 1755; *suc.* his father, 1756, as Lord Lieut. co. Derby; and on 16 Nov. 1756, to 2 July 1757 was First Lord of the Treasury and PRIME MINISTER owing to Pitt's then refusal to serve under the Duke of Newcastle; *el.* and *inv.* K.G. 18 Nov. 1756; *inst.* 29 March 1757, Lord Chamberlain of the Household, 1757-62; F.R.S., &c. He *d.* at Spa, in Germany, 2 Oct. 1764, aged but 44, and was *bur.* at All Saints', Derby. Will pr. 1764.

Dukedom.	} 1764.	5 and 8. WILLIAM (CAVENDISH), DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE, MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON, &c., 1st s. and h., <i>b.</i> 14 Dec. 1748, <i>styled</i> MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON till 1764; <i>suc.</i> his mother, 8 Dec. 1754, as LORD CLIFFORD. At the Coronation of George III, 22 Sep. 1761, he was one of the six eldest sons of Peers who supported the train; Lord High Treasurer of Ireland and
V.		
Earldom.		
IX.		

Gov. of co. Cork, 1776; Col. in the army, during service, 1779; *el.* and *inv.* K.G., 19 April 1782; *inst.* 29 May 1801; Lord Lieut. of co. Derby, 1782; *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 3 July, 1793. He *m.* firstly 5 June 1774, Georgiana, 1st da. of John (SPENCER), 1st EARL SPENCER, by Margaret-Georgiana, 1st da. of the Rt. Hon. Stephen POYNTEZ. She, who was *b.* 9 June 1757, was well known as a leader of the fashion, a beauty, and a strong politician.^(b) She *d.* 30 March 1806, at Devonshire House, Piccadilly, and was *bur.* at All Saints', Derby. He *m.* secondly 19 Oct. 1809, at his own house at Chiswick, Midx., Elizabeth, widow of John Thomas

^(a) According to Lord Waldegrave's "Memoirs" he was "Plain in his manners, negligent in his dress."

^(b) Wraxall's "Memoirs" are full of notices about her. In vol. iii, pp. 343-344 he says "this charming person" (who married at 17) "for her beauty, accomplishments and the decided part which she took against the ministers of her day may be aptly compared to the Duchesse de Longueville." In vol. v, pp. 368-372 he enumerates the various ladies to whom the Prince of Wales (George IV) was attached, commencing with (1) Mrs. Robinson ("Perdita") (2) Lady Augusta Campbell (3) Lady Melbourne to whom (4) succeeded "The Duchess of Devonshire, but of what nature was that attachment must remain a matter of conjecture. I know, however, that during her pregnancy in 1785, H.R.H. manifested so much anxiety and made such frequent morning visits on horseback to Wimbledon as to give umbrage to her brother Lord Spencer and even, it was supposed, to excite some emotion in the phlegmatic bosom of the Duke her husband." Her canvassing for Fox at the Westminster election of 1784, exchanging kisses for promises of votes, is well known. So are, deservedly, the beautiful pictures of her by Reynolds, Gainsborough (with hat and feather), Kauffman, &c.

FOSTER (who *d.* 1796), 2d da. of Frederick-Augustus (HERVEY), 4th EARL OF BRISTOL, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Jermyn DAVERS, Bart. The Duke *d.* 29 July 1811, at Devonshire House afsd., aged 62. Will pr. 1811.^(a) His widow, who was an authoress and a patron of the fine arts, *d.* s.p. at Rome 30 March 1824, aged 64.^(b) Will pr. Feb. 1825.

Dukedom. }
VI. }
Earldom. } 1811. 6 and 9. WILLIAM-GEORGE-SPENCER (CAVENDISH),
X. } DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE (1694), MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON (1694),
EARL OF DEVONSHIRE (1618), BARON CAVENDISH OF HARDWICK
(1605), and LORD CLIFFORD (1628), only s. and h. by 1st wife,
b. at Paris 21 May 1790; *styled* MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON till
1811; *ed.* at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; B.A. 1810; *er.* LL.D.
1 July 1811; Lord Lieut. co. Derby 1811-58. Bearer of the
orb at the Coronation of George IV, 1821. AMBASSADOR Extraordinary to St. Petersburg 25 April 1826, on a spec. mission (*said* to have cost him £50,000 beyond the sum allowed) for the Coronation of the Emperor Nicholas, who subsequently (18 March 1828) made him a Knight of St. Andrew, of St. Alexander Newski, and of St. Anne of Russia. P.C. 1827; **K.G.** 10 May 1827. LORD CHAMBERLAIN OF THE HOUSEHOLD, May 1827 to Feb 1828 and Nov. 1830 to Dec. 1834. Bearer of the "*Curtana*" at the Coronation of Queen Victoria 1838. He *d.* unm. 18 Jan. 1858 aged 67 at Hardwick Hall afsd, and was *bur.* at Edensor, co. Derby^(c). On his death the *Barony of Clifford* (1628) fell into *obeyance* (see that dignity), but the other titles and the family estates devolved on the Earl of Burlington, as under.

Dukedom. }
VII. }
Earldom. } 1858. 7 and 10. WILLIAM (CAVENDISH), DUKE OF DEVON-
XI. } SHIRE (1694), MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON (1694), EARL OF
DEVONSHIRE (1618), EARL OF BURLINGTON (1831), BARON
CAVENDISH OF HARDWICK (1605), and BARON CAVENDISH OF
KEIGHLEY (1831), cousin and h. male, being 1st s. and h. of
Col. William CAVENDISH, by Louisa, da. of Cornelius
(O'CALLAGHAN), 1st BARON LISMORE OF SHANBALLY [1.], which William was s. and h.
ap. of George-Augustus-Henry (CAVENDISH), 1st EARL OF BURLINGTON and BARON
CAVENDISH OF KEIGHLEY, 3d s. of William, 4th Duke of Devonshire, but *d.* v.p. 14
Jan. 1812, aged 29, some 19 years before his father was raised to the Peerage. He
was *b.* 27 April 1808, in Charles street, Berkeley sq., Midx.; *ed.* at Eton and at Trin.
Coll., Cambridge; 2d Wrangler, Smith's prizeman, B.A. and M.A., 1829; LL.D., 6
July 1835; M.P. for the Univ. of Cambridge, 1829-31; for Malton, 1831-32; for
North Derbyshire, 1832-34; *suc.* his grandfather, 4 May 1834, as EARL OF BURLINGTON
and BARON CAVENDISH OF KEIGHLEY, co. York. Chancellor of the Univ. of London,
1836-56; Lord Lieut. of co. Lanc. 1857 to 1858, in which year he *suc.* his cousin as
DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE, &c., and was made Lord Lieut. of co. Derby. **K.G.**, ^(d) 25

^(a) As to his taste for "*Retirement*" see vol. i, p. 352, note "a," *sub* "Bessborough." Wraxall says of him ("*Memoirs*," p. 344), that his "constitutional apathy formed his distinguished characteristic," his "lethargic habit" being only awakened "by whist or faro," &c.

^(b) "After having long constituted the object of his [the Duke's] avowed attachment and long maintained the firmest hold of his affections, as Lady Elizabeth Foster, she *finished* by becoming his second wife"—See "Wraxall," as above. It has indeed been said that *she* (and not the Duke's then wife) was, in 1790, the mother (exchange being made of two infants of different sexes) of his successor. Like her predecessor she also was painted by Reynolds and Gainsborough.

^(c) He is perhaps best known as having employed, as manager of his estates, Mr., afterwards Sir Joseph, Paxton, who erected a conservatory at Chatsworth, covering an acre of ground, and whose system of laying out flower-beds in formal strips and brilliant patterns (such as those on oil-cloth) was adopted for nearly half-century, to the detriment of the old-fashioned English garden. The Duke, however, had some literary tastes, tho' his knowledge in the value of coins and medals was, apparently, not very great, if judged by the sale (1844) of his extensive collection therein (*said* to have cost him above £50,000), for some £7,000.

^(d) It is to be remarked that *each* one of *all* the (Seven) Dukes of Devonshire has received the Garter. The dates respectively are, 1689, 1709/10, 1733, 1756, 1782, 1827 and 1858.

March 1858; High Steward of Cambridge, 1860; Chancellor of the Univ. of Cambridge, 1862; P.C., 1878. He m. 6 Aug. 1829, Blanche-Georgiana, 4th da. of George (HOWARD), 6th EARL OF CARLISLE, by Georgiana-Dorothy, sister and coheir of William (CAVENDISH), 6th DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE abovenamed. She who was *b.* 11 Jan'y. 1812, *d.* (as Countess of Burlington) 27 April 1840.

[SPENCER-COMPTON CAVENDISH, *styled* MARQUESS OF HARTINGTON from 1858 having previously been *styled* LORD CAVENDISH, 1st s. and h., *b.* 23 July 1833; ed. at Trin.-Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1854; was attached to Earl Granville's spec. mission to Russia in 1856. M.P. for North Lancashire, 1857-58; for Radnor district, 1869-80; for north-east Lancashire, 1880-85; and for the Rossendale division, since 1885; one of the Lords of the Admiralty, March to April 1863; Under Sec. for War, 1863-66; P.C., 1866; Sec. for War, Feb. to July, 1866; Postmaster Gen., 1868-70; Ch. Sec. for Ireland, 1871-74; Sec. for India, 1880-82, and again Sec. for War, 1882-85. LL.D. of Cambridge, 1862; Lord Rector of the Univ. of Edinburgh, 1877; *cr.* D.C.L., of Oxford, 26 June, 1878.]

Family Estates. These, in 1883, consisted of 89,462 acres in Derbyshire; 19,329 in the West Riding of Yorkshire; 12,681 in Lancashire, 983 in Cumberland; 1,392 in Lincolnshire, and 179 in Notts, Staffordshire and Cheshire; also (in the South), 11,062 acres in Sussex; 3,014 in Somersetshire and 524 in Middlesex. In Ireland, 32,550 acres in co. Cork; 27,488 in co. Waterford; and 3 in co. Tipperary. Total 198,572 acres, valued at £180,750 a year. *Principal Residences:* Chatsworth House and Hardwicke Hall, both in co. Derby; Holkar Hall, co. Westmorland; Bolton Abbey, co. York; Compton Place, near Eastbourne, Sussex; and Lismore Castle, co. Waterford.

The Duke of Devonshire stands 7th in point of acreage, but 2nd in point of rental, among the 28 noblemen who in 1883 possessed above 100,000 acres in the United Kingdom. See a list of those in vol. ii, p. 51; note "a," *sub.* "Buccleuch." It is curious however, that not one acre of all this vast property is in *Devonshire*, from which county the Peerage title is taken. So, also, as to Earl of Derby in Derbyshire, &c. See p. 77.

DE WARENNE, or WARREN.

See "SURREY," Earldom of (*Warene*), 1086-1347.

DEYNCOURT, see "DEINCOURT."

DEYVILLE, see "DEIVILL."

DIGBY OF SHERBORNE.

- Barony.**
- I. 1618. 1. "JOHN DIGBY, Knt.," was, on 25 Nov. 1618, *cr.* BARON DIGBY OF SHERBORNE, co. Dorset, and, on 15 Sep. 1622, was *cr.* EARL OF BRISTOL. He *d.* 21 Jan'y. 1652/3.
- II. 1641. 2. GEORGE (DIGBY), BARON DIGBY OF SHERBORNE, s. and h. ap., was sum. in his Father's Barony as above, v.p. 9 June 1641. He *suc.* his father, 21 Jan'y. 1652/3, as EARL OF BRISTOL. He *d.* 20 March 1676/7.
- III, 1677, 3. JOHN (DIGBY), EARL OF BRISTOL and BARON to DIGBY OF SHERBORNE, only surv. s. and h. He *d.* s.p. 18 1698. Sep. 1698, when *all his honours* became *extinct*.

See fuller account under "BRISTOL," Earldom of, *cr.* 1622; *cr.* 1698.

The estate of Sherborne was inherited by his cousin and h. male, William, 5th Baron Digby of Geashill [L.], whose grandson Henry, the 7th Baron, was, in 1765, *cr.* Baron Digby of Sherborne [G.B.] See the next article.

DIGBY OF GEASHILL, DIGBY OF SHERBORNE and DIGBY.

Barony. [I.] 1. ROBERT DIGBY, of Coleshill, co. Warwick, and of Geashill in King's County, Ireland, s. and h. of Sir Robert Digby^(a), of Coleshill afsd., by Lettice, *suo jure* BARONESS OFFALEY [I.], grand-

daughter and heir gen. of Gerald (FITZGERALD), EARL OF KILDARE [I.], *suc.* his Father 24 May 1618, and, being h. ap. to Geashill and other considerable estates in Ireland belonging to his said mother, was, 29 July 1620, *cr.* BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL in King's County [I.], with a spec. rem., failing heirs male of his body, to his brothers George, Gerald, John, Symon, Essex, and Philip Digby, in like manner respectively; his mother, "Lettice Fitzgerald, *alias* Digby, widow," being, in the same patent, confirmed in the title of BARONESS OFFALEY [I.] (which "she had long enjoyed") *for her life*, the same to "revert again to the house of Kildare and not to the children of the said Lady Lettice"^(b). He was made Gov. of the King's County in 1627; took his seat in the House of Lords [I.] 14 July 1634; was in command of a troop of horse for the King early in 1642, in which year on 6 June he died and was *bur.* in St. Patrick's, Dublin. He *m.* firstly, Sarah, widow of the Hon. Sir Thomas MOORE (who *d.* 1 Dec. 1623), 2d da. of Roger (BOYLE), 1st EARL OF CORK [I.], by his 2d wife Catharine, da. of Sir Geoffrey FENTON. She, who was *b.* in Dublin, 29 March 1609, *d.* 14 July and was *bur.* 12 Aug. 1633 in St. Patrick's afsd. He *m.* secondly Elizabeth, widow of Sir Francis ASTLEY, da. of Sir James ALTHAM, of Oxhey, Herts, by his second wife. She *m.* secondly (as his 2d wife), Sir Robert BERNARD, 1st Bart. (who *d.* 1666 in his 66th year), and *d.* 3 and was *bur.* 7 Jany. 1662/3 at St. Paul's, Covent Garden, Midx. Her admon. 17 Nov. 1664 to a creditor.

II. 1642. 2. KILDARE (DIGBY), BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I.], only s. and h., by 1st wife: a minor in 1642, but took his seat 25 June 1661; Governor of the King's County. He had previously, on 1 Dec. 1668, *suc.* his grandmother Lettice, *suo jure* BARONESS OFFALEY [I.], in her Irish estates but not in her Peerage dignity. He *m.* in or before 1652, Mary, da. of Robert GARDINER of London. He *d.* at Dublin 11 July 1661 and was *bur.* (with his parents) in St. Patrick's afsd. M.I. Will dat. 18 June 1661, pr. 5 June 1665. His widow, who resided at Coleshill afsd., *d.* 23 Dec. 1692 and was *bur.* there. M.I. Her will dat. 5 Dec. 1691, pr. 3 Feb. 1692/3.

III. 1661. 3. ROBERT (DIGBY), BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 30 April 1654; matric. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.), 6 Nov. 1670; *cr.* M.A., 11 July 1676. He *d.* unm. 29 Dec. 1677 and was *bur.* at Coleshill afsd. M.I.

IV. 1677. 4. SIMON (DIGBY), BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I.], next br. and h., *b.* 18 July 1657; matric. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.), 1 June 1674^(c). He *m.* Frances, 1st da. of Edward (NOEL), 1st EARL OF GAINSBOROUGH, by his first wife Elizabeth, da. of Thomas (WHIOTHESLEY), EARL OF SOUTHAMPTON. She *d.* in childbirth, 29 Sep. 1684, in her 23rd year, and was *bur.* at Coleshill. He *d.* 19 Jany. 1785 s.p.m.^(d) and was *bur.* there, having been a benefactor to that parish. M.I.

(a) This Sir Robert was eldest br. of George Digby, *cr.*, in 1618, Baron Digby of Sherborne, and in 1622, Earl of Bristol as above stated, whose title and male issue became extinct in 1698.

(b) See the privy seal document and the preamble in "Lodge" vi., pp. 288 and 289. The peerage appears to have been granted to put an end to any claim that the heir *general* of the Earls of Kildare might have to any Peerage Barony [I.] invested in them, altho' other reasons are stated as "propter amplitudinem terrarum et possessionum, quas habet, tam in hoc regno nostro Hiberniæ quam in regno nostro Angliæ."

(c) Among the graduates of Oxford occurs "Digby, Hon. (*sic.*) Simon, M.A., of Trin. Coll., Dublin, incorp. July 11 1676; D.D. by Decree of Conv. Dec. 12 1677." This is a few weeks before Simon Digby in the text *suc.* to the peerage, but perhaps does not refer to him. No Simon Digby appears to have been "M.A." of Dublin Univ., tho' there is "Digby, Symon, B.A., Vern., 1664," when our Simon was but 7 years old.

(d) Frances, his only da. and h., *m.* James (Scudamore), 3d Viscount Scudamore [I.], and *d.* 3 May 1729 aged 44, leaving issue which became extinct in 1820, on the death of Frances, Dow. Duchess of Norfolk.

V. 1685. 5. WILLIAM (DIGBY), BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I.], next br. and h. male, *b.* at Coleshill afsd.; matric. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.), 16 May 1679, and then aged 17: B.A., 1681; *cr.* D.C.L., 13 July 1708. He was M.P. for *co.* Warwick, when attained by the *Parl.* of James II in 1689; one of the Common Council for Georgia in 1733. He *m.* (*lic.* from Vic. Gen. 22 May 1686) Jane, 2d da. of Edward (NOEL), 1st EARL OF GAINSBOROUGH, by his first wife Elizabeth, both abovenamed. She *d.* Sep. 1733 at Sherborne, Dorset, which estate he inherited in 1698 by the death of his cousin John (Digby), 3d and last Earl of Bristol and Baron Digby of Sherborne. He *d.* Dec. 1752 aged 90, and was *bur.* at Sherborne afsd. Will pr. 1753.

VI. 1752. 6. EDWARD (DIGBY), BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. Edward Digby, M.P. for Warwickshire (1726-46), by Charlotte, sister to Stephen, 1st EARL OF LICHESTER, da. of Sir Stephen Fox, which Edward was 3d, but 1st surv. s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, but *d.* v.p., 2d Oct. 1746. He was M.P. for Malmesbury, 1751-54; and for Wells, 1754-57; *wss* sometime Groom of the Bedchamber to the Prince of Wales. He *d.* unnm. 30 Nov. 1757, *bur.* at Coleshill, *co.* Warwick. Will pr. 1758.

VII. 1757. } 7 and 1. HENRY (DIGBY), BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I.] next br. and h., *b.* 21 July 1731; M.P. for Ludgershall, 1755-61; for Wells, 1761-65. One of the Lords of the Admiralty, 1763-65; being on 19 Aug. 1765 *cr.* (a Peer of United Kingdom) BARON DIGBY OF SHERBORNE, *co.* Dorset (a) with a spec. rem. falling his issue male, to the issue male of his Father. Lord Lieut. of *co.* Dorset, 1790. He was on 1 Nov. 1790, *cr.* VISCOUNT COLESHILL, *co.* Warwick, and EARL DIGBY, *co.* Lincoln. He *m.* firstly, 5 Sep. 1763, Elizabeth, da. of the Hon. Charles FEILDING (2d s. of Basil, 4th EARL OF DENBIGH), by Anne, da. of Sir Thomas PALMER, Bart. She *d.* s.p.s., 19 Jan. 1765, and was *bur.* at Sherborne, *co.* Dorset. He *m.* secondly, 10 Nov. 1770, at St. Geo., Han. sq., Mary, da. and h. of John KNOWLER, Recorder of Canterbury. He *d.* 25 Sep. 1793, and was *bur.* at Sherborne. Will pr. Nov. 1793. His widow *d.* 26 Feb. 1794, and was *bur.* there. Her will pr. May 1794.

Earldom } 2 and 8. EDWARD (DIGBY), EARL DIGBY, VISCOUNT COLESHILL and BARON DIGBY OF SHERBORNE, also BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I.], 1st surv. s. and h. by second wife, *b.* 6 Jan. 1773, in Dover street, Midx., *ban.* at St. Geo. Han. sq.; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 17 April 1790; *styled* VISCOUNT COLESHILL, 1790-93; Lord Lieut. of *co.* Dorset, 1808; sometime Col. of the Dorset Militia. He *d.* unnm. 12 May 1856, aged 83, at 35 Brook street, Midx., and was *bur.* at Sherborne. M.I. On his death the *Earldom of Digby* and *Viscounty of Colehill* became *extinct*. Will pr. June 1856. Personalty said to be nearly £900,000.

Barony } 3 and 9. EDWARD ST. VINCENT (DIGBY), BARON DIGBY OF SHERBORNE, also BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I.], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Admiral Sir Henry Digby, G.C.B. (who *d.* 19 Aug. 1842, aged 72), by Jane-Elizabeth, da. of Thomas William (COKE), 1st EARL OF LEICESTER OF HOLKHAM, which Sir Henry was s. and h. of the Hon. William Digby, Dean of Durham (1777-88) yr. br. of Henry, 7th BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I.], who was *cr.* BARON DIGBY OF SHERBORNE, with a spec. rem. as above mentioned, being afterwards *cr.* Earl Digby *without* such spec. rem. He was *b.* 21 June 1809, at Forston House,

(a) The Barony of Digby of Sherborne, *co.* Dorset [E.] had been before conferred in 1618, and become *extinct* in 1698. The Barony of 1765 [tho' a Barony of Great Britain] is numbered (as in "Courthope," and as in accordance with the system pursued in this work) as a continuation of the *English* Barony of 1618.

Dorset; ed. at Harrow; sometime (1827) Lieut. 9th Lancers; Lieut. Col. Dorset Yeomanry 1856. He *m.* 27 June 1837, Theresa-Anna-Maria, 1st da. of Henry-Stephen (FOX-STRANGWAYS), 3d EARL OF ILCHESTER, by Caroline-Lenora, da. of Lord George MURRAY, Bishop of St. David's. She, who was *b.* 11 Jany. 1814, *d.* 2 May 1874, at Minterne House, Dorset. He *d.* there 16 Oct. 1889, in his 81st year and was *bur.* at Minterne.

Barony	} 1889.	4 and 10. EDWARD-HENRY-TRAFALGAR (DIGBY), BARON DIGBY OF SHERBORNE [1765], also BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I., 1620], s. and h., <i>b.</i> 21 Oct. 1846; Capt. Coldstream Guards, 1868; Lieut. Col., 1877; Col., 1887; M.P. for Dorset, 1876-85.
VII.		
Barony [I.]		
X.		

Family Estates....These, in 1883, consisted of 1,886 acres in co. Dorset and 124 co. Warwick, besides 29,722 in King's County, 938 in Queen's County, and 6,835 (valued but at £162 a year) co. Mayo. Total 39,505 acres, valued at £15,968 a year. *Principal Residence.* Minterne House, near Cerne, Dorset.

Note....The Sherborne estate (about 26,000 acres in Dorset and Somerset, valued at over £45,000 a year) devolved in 1856, on the death of Earl Digby, on his nephew (his sister's son) George-Digby Wingfield-Baker, afterwards Wingfield-Digby, whose yr. br. John inherited, in like manner, the Coleshill estate in Warwickshire, about 9,000 acres, valued at over £15,000 a year.

DILLON OF KILKENNY-WEST.

Barony [I.] SIR JAMES DILLON, of Moymet, co. Meath, s. and h. cf
I. 1619. Sir Lucas D. of the same, sometime Ch, Baron of the Exchequer [I.]
was on 24 Jany, 1618/9, *cr.* LORD DILLON, BARON OF KIL-
KENNY-WEST, co. Westmeath [I.] He was on 5 Aug. 1622, *cr.*
EARL OF ROSCOMMON, [I.] both which titles since 15 May 1850, have become
dormant or extinct. See "ROSCOMMON," Earldom of, [I.] *cr.* 1622.

DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN.

Viscounty [I.] I. SIR THEOBALD DILLON, of Costello-Gallen, co.
I. 1622. Mayo, 3d s. of Thomas D., of Ballynakill, by Mary, da. of Chris-
topher DILLON, of Kilmore, was Commander of a troop, and received
Knighthood in 1559, and was in 1582, made Collector for the
provinces of Connaught and Thomond, which was continued to him by James I., by
whom, 16 March 1621/2, he was *cr.* VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-
GALLEN (s) co. Mayo. [I.] He *m.* Eleanor, widow of William TUIE, of Tuitestown,
co. Westmeath. He *d.* 15 March 1624 at a great age, having above 100 descendants.
Inq. post mortem. His widow *d.* 8 April 1638, at Killinure, co. Westmeath, and was
bur. at St. Francis' Friary, Athlone.

II. 1624. 2. LUCAS (DILLON), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-
GALLEN, [I.] grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir Christopher
Dillon of Ballylagham, co. Mayo, President of Connaught, by Jane, 1st da. of James
(DILLON,) 1st EARL OF ROSCOMMON, [I.] which Christopher, was s. and h. ap. of the
last Viscount, but *d.* v. p. 28 Feb. 1623/4. He was aged 14½ years in Sep. 1624. He
m. (when 15) in 1625. Mary, da. of Randal (MACDONNELL), 1st EARL OF ANTRIM, [I.]
by Alice, da. or sister of Hugh (O'NEILL), EARL OF TYRONE. [I.] He *d.* 13 April
1629 at Killenfagny, co. Westmeath, and was *bur.* 14 Sep., in the Friary of Athlone.
Inq. post mortem. His widow *m.* Oliver (PLUNKET,) 6th BARON LOUTH, [I.] who *d.*
about 1679.

(s) The preamble to this patent is in "Lodge," vol. iv, p. 117.

- III. 1629. 3. THEOBALD (DILLON), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [I.], only s. and h., aged 3 months at his Father's death. He *d.* an infant, 13 May 1630.
- IV. 1630. 4. THOMAS (DILLON), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [I.], uncle and h., being next br. to the 2d Viscount, then aged 15. He had livery of his lands 15 March 1635/6, being then of full age, and having declared himself a Protestant, took his seat in the House of Lords [I.] 16 March 1639/40. P.C. [I.] 1640; Joint Gov. of co. Mayo, 1641; one of those sent by the Parl. [I.] in 1642 to present their grievances to the King; Joint President of Connaught 1645, resigning in 1662; Lieut.-Gen. in the Army; was reconciled to the Church of Rome 1646; maintained Athlone till 1651 in the royal cause. His estates, above 64,000 acres, were sequestrated under the Commonwealth, but restored by Charles II^(a). He *m.*, before 1636, Frances, da. of Nicholas WHITE of Leixlip. She, who brought him £3,000 fortune, *d.* in Wine Tavern Street and was *bur.* at St. James', Dublin, 9 Jan'y 1664. He *d.* in 1672 or 1673.
- V. 1672? 5. THOMAS (DILLON), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [I.], 4th but only surv. s. and h. He *m.* Elizabeth, 1st da. of Sir John Burke, of Derymaclaghty, co. Galway, by Mary, da. of William (BOURKE) 7th EARL OF CLANRICARDE [I.] He *d.* s.p.s. 1674. His widow *m.* Sheffield GRACE of Courtstown, co. Kilkenny, who *d.* 1684. She was living, as a widow, 1701.
- VI. 1674. 6. LUCAS (DILLON), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [I.], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Theobald Dillon, by Sarah, formerly Sarah BOURKE, spinster, his wife, which Theobald was yr. br. to Lucas and Thomas, 2d and 4th Viscounts abovenamed. He obtained a considerable grant from Charles II. He *m.* firstly Ursula, da. of William (DUNGAN), 1st EARL OF LIMERICK [I.], by Euphemia. He *m.* secondly, late in 1681, Anne, 1st da. of Richard (NUGENT), 1st EARL OF WESTMEATH [I.], by Mary, da. of Sir Thomas NUGENT, Bart. [I.] With her he had a fortune of £1,500. He *d.* s.p. of dropsy at Killenfagny afsd. in Sep. or Oct. 1682. Will dat. 2 Sep. 1682, pr. at Dublin. His widow *m.* Sir William TALBOT, 3d Bart. [I.], of Carton. Her will dat. 1711.
- VII. 1682. 7. THEOBALD (DILLON), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [I.], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Robert Dillon of Loughglynn, co. Roscommon, by Rose, 1st da. of John DILLON, of Streamstown, which Robert was s. and h. of Sir Lucas D. of Loughglynn, afsd., the 2d s. of the 1st Viscount. He was Lieut. Col. in Clanricarde's Reg. of Guards in the Irish army of James II; was *attainted* in 1690, which attainder, however, was reversed to his son. He *m.* Mary, da. of Sir Henry TALBOT, of Mount Talbot, co. Roscommon. He was killed at the battle of Aughrim 12 July 1691.^(b) His widow was accidentally killed in Limerick during the siege by the explosion of a bomb a few weeks later.
- VIII. 1691. 8. HENRY (DILLON), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [I.], s. and h.; was M.P. for co. Westmeath in King James' Parl. held at Dublin, 7 May 1689; Lord Lieut. of co. Roscommon, Gov. of Galway, and Col. of a Reg. of Foot in that King's army. In Trin. term, 1694, the outlawry of his father was reversed, and he appears to have sat in the House of Lords [I.] He *m.* (articles 7 July 1687), Frances, 2d da. of Sir George HAMILTON, Count Hamilton in France, by Frances (afterwards Duchess of Tyrconnel [I.]), da. of Richard JENNINGS, of Sandridge, Herts. He *d.* 13 and was *bur.* 23 Jan'y. 1713/4, at Ballyhaunus Priory, co. Roscommon. Will dat. the day before death, pr. at Dublin. His widow *m.* Patrick BELLEW, of Barmeath, who *d.* v.p. 12 June 1720.

^(a) His name appears in a remonstrance presented to the King in 1663 of the Roman Catholic nobility, &c. See this list, vol. ii, p. 149, note "d," *sub* "Carlingford."

^(b) See a list of Irish Peers there slain, wounded, or imprisoned, vol. i, p. 311, note "b," *sub* "Bellew."

IX. 1714. 9. RICHARD (DILLON), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [I.], only s. and h., *b.* 1688. He refused in Jan'y. 1715, to take the oath of allegiance and consequently withdrew from the House of Lords [I.] He *m.*, in 1720, Bridget, 2d da. of John (BOURKE), 4th EARL OF CLANRICARDE [I.], by Mary, da. of James TALBOT. He *d.* s.p.m. Feb. 1737. She *d.* 16 July 1779, aged 88.

X. 1737. 10. CHARLES (DILLON), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN, [I.] cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Lieut.-Gen. the Hon. Arthur (DILLON),^(*) by Christiana, da. of Ralph SHELTON, which Arthur was yr. s. of Theobald, the 7th Viscount. He was Col. of a French Regt., and in command against the Germans in 1734. He *m.* 16 Jan'y. 1734/5, Frances, only da. and h. of his predecessor Richard (DILLON), 9th VISCOUNT DILLON [I.] by Bridget his wife above-named. She *d.* in London, 17 Jan'y. 1738/9. Admon 24 Sep. 1759. He *d.* there, s.p.s. 24, and was *bur.* 27 Oct. 1741 at St. Pancras, Midx. Admon. 5 Sep. 1744.

XI. 1741. 11. HENRY (DILLON,) VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN, [I. br. and h.] He served as Major in his brother's regiment, of which afterwards (1741-44) he became Colonel. He *m.* 26 Oct. 1744, Charlotte, 1st da. and eventually h. of George-Henry (LEE), 2d EARL OF LICHFIELD, by Frances, da. of Sir John HALES, Bart. He was *bur.* 25 Sep. 1787 at St. Pancras, Midx. Will pr. Sep. 1787. His widow, who on the death of her uncle Robert, 4th and last Earl of Lichfield, 4 Nov. 1776, became the heiress of the estates of the family of Lee, at Ditchley, Oxon., &c., *d.* 11 June 1794. Will pr. June 1794.

XII. 1787. 12. CHARLES (DILLON-LEE), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN, [I.] 1st s. and h., *b.* 6 Nov. 1745 in London; conformed to the Established Church, 4 Dec. 1767; M.P. for Westbury, 1770-74; P.C. [I.] 1772; High Sheriff of co. Mayo, 1787. He appears to have assumed the name of Lee after that of *Dillon*, soon after the estates of the Lee family, devolved, in 1776, on his mother—his claim as the "Rt. Hon. Charles Dillon-Lee" to this Viscounty, being agreed to in 1788, and he being sum. accordingly, 2 May 1788; Gov. of co. Mayo, 1788. **K.P.** 19 Nov. 1798; F.R.S. &c. He *m.* firstly, 19 Aug. 1786, at Brussels, Henrietta-Maria, da. of Constantine-John (PHIPPS), 1st BARON MULGRAVE [I.] by Lepell, da. of John (HERVEY), BARON HERVEY OF ICKWORTH. She *d.* 1 Aug. 1782. He *m.* secondly, Mary, a French Lady. He *d.* 9 Nov. 1813. Will pr. Jan'y. 1816. His widow *d.* 28 Aug. 1833. Will pr. Nov. 1833.

XIII. 1813. 13. HENRY-AUGUSTUS (DILLON-LEE), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [I.], only s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 28 Oct. 1777 at Brussels; M.P. for Harwich 1799-1802, and for co. Mayo 1802-13. He *m.* Feb. 1807, Henrietta, sister of Dominick, 1st BARON ORANMORE AND BROWNE [I.], da. of Dominick-Geoffrey BROWNE, by Margaret, da. of the Hon. George BROWNE, 4th s. of the 1st EARL OF ALTAMONT [I.] He *d.* 24 July 1832. Will pr. April 1833. His widow *d.* at the Hotel Windsor, Paris, 18 March 1862, aged 73.

XIV. 1832. 14. CHARLES-HENRY (DILLON-LEE), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [I.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 20 April 1810 in Ely Place, Dublin. High Sheriff of Oxon, 1857. He *m.* 1 Feb. 1833, Lydia-Sophia, da. of Philip-Laycock STORY. He *d.* s.p.m. 18 Nov. 1865, at Ditchley, Oxon. His widow *d.* 4 Nov. 1876, at 38 Grosvenor Place, Midx.

XV. 1865. 15. THEOBALD - DOMINICK - GEOFFREY (DILLON - LEE), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [I.], next br. and h. male, *b.* 5 April 1811; sometime Lieut. 60th Rifles. He *m.* 28 Sep. 1856, Sarah-Augusta, da. of Alexander HANNA. He *d.* s.p. 30 Nov. 1879, at Ditchley afsd.

(*) *cr.* an Earl, probably EARL DILLON in 1721 and **K.T.** in 1722, by the titular King James III. See Jacobite creations, vol. i, p. 59, note "b," *sub.* "Albemarle."

XVI. 1879. 16. ARTHUR-EDMUND-DENIS (DILLON-LEE), VISCOUNT DILLON OF COSTELLO-GALLEN [L.], next br. and h. male, *b.* 10 April 1812; matric. at Oxford (Trin. Coll.), 19 June 1829; B.A., 1832; sometime a Clerk in the Home Office. He *m.* 22 April 1843, Ellen, da. of John Adderley.

Family estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 5,444 acres in Oxon (worth nearly £7,000 a year), besides, in Ireland, 83,749 acres in co. Mayo, 5,435 in co. Roscommon, and 136 in co. Westmeath. Total 94,764 acres, worth £28,762 a year. *Principal residence*...Dytchley Park, near Charlbury, Oxon.

General the HON. ARTHUR DILLON "was *cr.* an Earl [*Qy.* EARL DILLON] in 1721 and **K.T.** 1722, by the *titular* King James III. See "Jacobite Peerages," vol. i, p. 59, note "b," *sub* "Albemarle."

DINAN, DYNAUNT, DINHAM, or DYNHAM.

- Barony by Writ.**
- I. 1295. 1. OLIVER DINAN, DYNAUNT, OF DINHAM, of Hartland, co. Devon, s. and h. of Geoffrey D. of the same, *suc.* his father in 1258 being then aged 24. He *m.* in or before 1280, Isabel, widow of John COURTENAY, da. of Hugh (DE VERE), 4th EARL OF OXFORD, by Hawise, da. of Sayer (DE QUINCI), EARL OF WINCHESTER. He was in the expedition to Wales, 1282, and was sum. as a Baron (LORD DYNAUNT) by writs directed "*Olicro Dynaunt*," dat. 23 June (1295), 23 Ed. I, to 29 Dec. (1299), 28 Ed. I; tho' his death took place in 1298 or early in 1299.
- II. 1299. 2. JOSCE DINAN OF DINHAM, aged 26 at his father's death, but who never appears to have been sum. as a Baron.^(a) He *d.* (1300-01), 29 Ed. I.
- III. 1301. 3. JOHN DINHAM, s. and h., aged five years at his father's death. He likewise was never sum. as a Baron.^(a) He *n.* Margaret, da. of Guy de BRIAN, and *d.* (1332), 6 Ed. III.
- IV. 1332. 4. JOHN DINHAM, s. and h., aged 14 years at his father's death, who also was never sum. as a Baron.^(a)
- V. 1360? 5. JOHN DINHAM, s. and h. He also was never sum. as a Baron.^(a) He *m.* Muriel, da. and coheir of Sir Thomas COURTENAY, by Muriel, da. and coheir of John (DE MOELS), LORD MOELS. He *d.* 1382.
- VI. 1382. 6. JOHN DINHAM, s. and h. He also was never sum. as a Baron.^(a) He *m.* Philippa, da. of John (LOVEL), LORD LOVEL. He *d.* 1428.
- VII. 1428. 7. SIR JOHN DINHAM, s. and h., who also was never sum. as a Baron.^(a) He served in the French wars. He *m.* Joane, da. and h. of Richard DE ARCHES. He *d.* (1457-58), 36 Henry VI. Admon. 21 Jan'y. 1457 at Lambeth. His wife survived him.

^(a) "Writs omitted for six generations, *viz.*, from 28 Ed. I, to 6 Ed. IV, and thereupon the death of that person in whom the dignity was revived, it fell into abeyance amongst the issue of his sisters. This case resembles FITZWARIN in the suspension of writs." See Townsend's additions to Dugdale's Baronage in *Coll. Top. et Gen.*, vol. vi, p. 82.

VIII. 1458, 8 or 1. SIR JOHN DINHAM, s. and h. b. 1430, being aged 28 years at the death of his Father. He distinguished himself in behalf of the House of York, and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DINHAM) by writs directed "*Johanni Dinham de Care Dinham, Chfr*" from 28 Feb. (1465/6,) 6 Ed. IV., to 16 Jany. (1496/7,) 12 Hen. VII.; (a) P.C. and Treasurer of the Household to Ed. IV.; P.C. to Henry VII.; **K.G.**, apparently between 1485 and 1487. He m. Elizabeth, widow of Sir John RATCLIFFE, **K.G.**, (who d. 1441) da. and h. of Walter (FITZWALTER,) LORD FITZWALTER. He d. s.p. legit. (b) 28, and was bur. 30 Jan. 1508/9, in the Grey Friars, London. Will dat. 7 Jany. 1505, pr. 4 May 1509. At his death, says Nicolas, "the *Barony* is presumed to have become *extinct*, for as no writ of summons was issued for so many generations between, his ancestor, who was sum. in 23 Ed. I., and this Baron. the writ [of 1466] to him, in all probability, was deemed a creation *de novo*, descendible to the heirs of his body only; whatever claim exists, however, to the *Barony cr. by the writ of 23 Ed. I.* is now vested in the descendants and representatives of the sisters and coheirs (c) of John, the last Baron;" and, consequently [if the writ of 1295 constituted a heritable dignity] is *in abeyance*. Lord Dinham's wife was living at the date of his will.

DINEVOR.

Barony. I. WILLIAM (TALBOT), BARON TALBOT OF HENSOL, co. Glamorgan, suc. his Father in that dignity, as 2d Baron, 14 Feb. 1737, and was cr. 29 March 1761, EARL TALBOT, with the usual remainder. Having, however, no male issue, he was cr. 17 Oct. 1780, BARON DINEVOR of Dinevor, co. Carmarthen, for life, with a spec. rem. in favour of his only child Cecil Rice, widow and the heirs male of her body. He d. s.p.m. 27 April 1782, when the *Earldom* became *extinct*. See fuller particulars under "TALBOT OF HENSOL" *Barony, cr. 1733.*

II. 1782. 2. CECIL, *suo jure* BARONESS DINEVOR, only da. and h. of the above, by Mary, da. and h. of Adam DE CARDONNEL, Sec. at War inherited the *Barony* under the spec. rem. in its creation. She, who was b. July 1735 in St. Giles in the Fields, m. 16 Aug. 1756, at Pendoynet, co. Glamorgan, George RICE, of Newton, co. Carmarthen, M.P. (1754-79) and Lord Lieut. of that county, who d. 3 Aug 1779 and was bur. at Llandiloe, co. Carmarthen. She, under the will of her said mother, took by royal lic. 21 May 1787, the surname of DE CARDONNEL only. She d. 14 March 1793 and was bur. at Llandiloe afsd. Will pr. March 1793.

III. 1793. 3. GEORGE-TALBOT (RICE, afterwards DE CARDONNEL, and finally RICE), BARON DINEVOR, s. and h., b. 8 Oct and *hap.* 1 Nov. 1765 at St. Geo., Han. Sq. Matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 1 Feb. 1783; cr. M.A. 30 May 1786; by royal lic., 30 April 1793, he took the name of *De Cardonnel*, and by another royal lic., 4 Feb. 1817, resumed his patronymic of *Rice*. He was M.P. for co. Carmarthen 1790-93; Lord Lieut. of that county, and Col. of the Militia. He m. in Grosvenor Sq. (St. Geo., Han. Sq.) 20 Oct. 1794, Frances, 3d da. of Thomas (TOWNSHEND), 1st VISCOUNT SYDNEY OF ST. LEONARD'S, by Elizabeth, da. of Richard

(a) There is proof in the rolls of Parl., of his sitting.

(b) In a will dat. 10 July (1470) 10 Ed. IV. he mentions a son: indeed he is said to have had two sons and 4 daughters. "George, son of John, Lord Dynham," (d. 1487, bur. at Lambeth) and "Sir Thomas Dynham, Knt., son and heir of John, Lord Dynham" are mentioned. See Banks "*Bar. Angl. conc.*" vol. i, p. 196, but it is supposed such issue was illegitimate.

(c) These were (1) *Elizabeth*, widow of Fulke (Bourchier) Lord Fitzwarine (who d. 1479) whose coheirs are the same as those of that *Barony*. (2) *Joan*, wife of John, Lord Zouche (1468-1526) ancestress of the succeeding Lords. (3) Sir Edmund Carew of Mohuns Ottery. s. and h. of *Margaret*, wife of Sir John Carew; and (4) Sir John Arundell of Lanherne, s. and h. of *Catherine*, wife of Sir Thomas A., and ancestor of the Arundells of Lanherne and of the Lord Arundell of Wardour.

Powys. He *d.* 9 April 1852 in his 87th year at Barrington Park, co. Glouc. Will pr. June 1852. His widow, who was *b.* 20 Feb. 1772, *d.* 13 Aug. 1854 at Barrington Park. Will pr. April 1855.

IV. 1852. 4. GEORGE-RICE (RICE-TREVOR), BARON DINEVOR, s. and h., *b.* 5 Aug. 1795. Matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 23 Oct. 1812; *cr.* D.C.L. 11 June 1824. By royal lic. 28 Oct. 1824 he took the name of *Trevor*, after that of *Rice* on inheriting the estates of the Trevor family at Glynede, co. Sussex. M.P. for co. Carmarthen, 1820-31 and 1832-52; Aide-de-camp to the Queen, 1852; Lieut.-Col. of the Carmarthen Militia, 1831; Hon. Col. thereof, 1861. He *m.* 27 Nov. 1824, at St. James', Westm., Frances, 1st da. of Gen. Lord Charles FITZROY, by his 2d wife Frances-Anne, da. of Robert (STEWART), 1st MARQUESS OF LONDONDERRY [I.] He *d.* s.p.m. 7 Oct. 1869 aged 74 at Malvern, co. Worc. His widow, who was *b.* 2 Jan. 1803, *d.* 30 April 1878, at 19 Prince's Gardens, Midx.

V. 1869. 5. FRANCIS-WILLIAM (RICE), BARON DINEVOR, cousin and h. male, being 2d but 1st surv. s. of the Hon. Edward Rice, D.D., Dean of Gloucester (1825-62), by Charlotte. illegit. da. (a) of Gen. Francis LASCELLES, which Edward was 2d s. of Cecil, *suo jure* Baroness Dinevor. He was *b.* 10 May 1804; *ed.* at Westm.; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 18 Oct. 1822; B.A., 1826; M.A., 1847; Vicar of Fairford, co. Glouc., 1827-78. He *m.* firstly 3 Feb. 1830, Harriet-Ives, da. of Daniel Raymond BARKER. She *d.* 22 July 1854. He *m.* secondly 18 Nov. 1856, Eliza-Amelia, 1st da. of the Rev. Henry-Carnegie KNOX, Rector of Lechlade, co. Glouc. He *d.* 3 Aug. 1878 aged 74, at 53 Brook Street, Midx. His widow living 1889 at Warleigh Manor, near Bath.

VI. 1878. 6. ARTHUR-DE-CARDONNEL (RICE), BARON DINEVOR, s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 24 Jan. 1836. Matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 17 Oct. 1855; B.A., 1861; M.A., 1865. He *m.* 4 Feb. 1869, Selina, 3d da. of the Hon. Arthur LASCELLES (5th s. of the 2d EARL OF HAREWOOD), by Caroline-Frances, da. of Sir Richard BROOKE, 6th Bart. She, who was *b.* 17 May 1841, *d.* 16 Dec. 1889 at Dynevor Castle aged 48.

Family estates...These, in 1833, consisted of 7,208 acres in co. Carmarthen, 3,299 in co. Glamorgan, besides 231 in Oxon, Wilts and Gloucestershire. Total 10,728 acres, worth £12,562 a year. *Principal residence*...Dynevor Castle, near Llandilo, co. Carmarthen.

DINGWALL.

Barony [S.] ANDREW KEITH, an illegit. s. of Robert Keith, Abbot of Deer, co. Aberdeen (who was s. of William, LORD KEITH [S.], and who *d.* in Paris 12 June 1551), was, 15 March 1583/4, *cr.* LORD DINGWALL [S.], to him and his heirs male and assigns. This was confirmed by act of Parl. 1584. "A charter passed the great seal 3 Aug. 1587, to him and the heirs male of his body, whom failing to his nearest lawful heirs male whatever. Having no heirs he soon resigned his Peerage into the King's hands and obtained a new charter 24 Nov. 1591, to himself and his heirs male and assigns whatever^(b) with the dignity, &c., of Lord of Parl. This was confirmed by Parl. in 1592. He proceeded to assign it to SIR WILLIAM KEITH, of Delny, with whom no relationship is stated, and Sir William had a charter accordingly 22 Jan. 1592/3, to him and his heirs male whatever to succeed to the Peerage on the grantor's death."^(c) Whether the grantee lived to inherit the title is doubtful; but within 14 years of its grant, "the title seems to have ceased inasmuch as in 1606," it was not in the list of *Ranking* and both Delny and Dingwall were sold to Lord Balmerinloch in 1608 and transferred by him [26 Feb. 1608/9], to Sir Richard Preston" as mentioned below.

(a) The lady's mother was Anne Cateley, spinster, a celebrated singer.

(b) See vol. ii, p. 14, note "a," sub "Breadalbane," for a list of Peerages [S.] of which the succession was authorised to be as nominated by the grantee.

(c) See an article "On the inheritance to Scottish Peerages by designation" in the "*Hcr. and Gen.*," vol. iii, p. 525.

II. 1609. 1. SIR RICHARD PRESTON, of Halltree, co. Edinburgh, one of the most favoured of the Gentlemen of the Bedchamber by James VI [S.], accompanied him into England and was made **K.B.** at his Coronation, 25 July 1603, obtained the Constabulary of Dingwall in 1607, and having purchased the lands of that Barony, was *cr.* LORD DINGWALL, of co. Ross [S.], to him and his heirs and assigns whatsoever. The King likewise secured him, in 1614, a splendid marriage, *viz.*, one with Elizabeth, widow of Theobald (BUTLER), VISCOUNT BUTLER OF TULLEOPHELM [I.] (who *d. s.p.* Jan. 1613), only da. of Thomas (BUTLER), EARL OF OSSORY AND ORMONDE [I.], by his 2d wife, Elizabeth, da. of John (SHEFFIELD), BARON SHEFFIELD. The Earl, her father, who *d.* that same year (1614), settled nearly all his lands on his heir *male*, who refused to part with them to this Lord Dingwall (tho' a person in high favour with the King) and was consequently kept a prisoner in the Fleet for so refusing, till the King's death in 1625. By the influence of the all powerful George Villiers, then Marquess of Buckingham (to whose nephew his da. and h. presumptive, then aged 8, was then affianced) he was *cr.* 19 July 1619, BARON DUNMORE, co. Kilkenny and EARL OF DESMOND, [I.]^(a) which Earldom was subsequently (with other titles) granted in *reversion*, failing heirs male of his body, 7 Nov. 1622, to the Hon. George Feilding, his *designated* son in law (as abovementioned) who, consequently, tho' never so married, obtained it. His wife *d.* in Wales (18 days before him) 10 Oct. 1628 and was *bur.* (possibly re-interred) as "Countess of Desmond" 17 March 1628/9 at Westm. Abbey. He *d. s.p.m.* 28 Oct. 1628, being drowned betwixt Dublin and Holyhead. On his death the *Barony of Dunmore* and the *Earldom of Desmond*, [I.] as conferred in 1619, became *extinct* (tho' the reversion of the latter, as by the grant of 1622, descended to George, 1st Viscount Callan, [I.] formerly George Feilding,) but the right to the Scotch Barony devolved, as under:—

III. 1628. 2. ELIZABETH, *suo jure* BARONESS DINGWALL [S.]
only da. and h., *b.* 25 July 1615, who, with consent of her Guardian, the Earl of Holland (obtained for £15,000) was *m.* in 1629 to her kinsman, James BUTLER, then styled LORD THURLES, afterwards, 1632, EARL OF OSSORY AND ORMONDE, [I.] and finally, 1682, DUKE OF ORMONDE, who *d.* 21 July 1688, in his 81st year. She *d.* 21 July 1684, in her 69th year.

IV. 1684, 3. JAMES (BUTLER), LORD BUTLER OF MOORE PARK,
to also LORD DINGWALL, [S.] grandson and h., ^(b) *b.* 29 April
1715. He had *suc.* his Father, Thomas, styled EARL OF OSSORY
(the gallant Earl) 30 July 1680 in the Barony of Butler of
Moore Park. He *suc.* his grandfather, 21 July 1688, as DUKE
OF ORMONDE, &c. He was *attainted* 20 Aug. 1715, whereby *this Barony* as also
his English honours became *forfeited*(c). He *d. s.p.s.* 16 Nov. 1745 aged 80.]

See fuller particulars under
"ORMONDE," Dukedom of, *cr.* 1682;
forfeited 1715.

The following is an account of those persons who, had it not been for the forfeiture of 1715, would have been entitled to this Barony:—

V. 1745. 4. CHARLES (BUTLER), EARL OF ARRAN, &c. [I.],
(so *cr.* 1693), br. and h. He was, also, *de jure* DUKE OF ORMONDE,
&c. [I.], but never assumed that title, which was then (erroneously) considered as subject to the attainder of 1715, which (in reality) affected only the English and Scotch dignities. He *d. s.p.* 17 Dec. 1758 in his 88th year. See fuller account under "ARRAN," Earldom of [I.], *cr.* 1693; *ex.* 1758.

^(a) See ante p. 89, note "c," *sub.* "Desmond."

^(b) The House of Lords, 8 July 1714, ordered the Lord Dingwall (Duke of Ormond) to be added to the roll of the Peerage of Scotland (as it stood on 1 May 1707, the date of the Union) from which it had been omitted. See "Douglas," p. 697.

^(c) See below, *sub.* "Duffus," for a list of peerages forfeited by the insurrection of 1715.

VI. 1758. 5. The LADY FRANCES ELLIOTT, niece and h. of line, being eldest da. and coheir of Henry (D'Auverquerque), EARL OF GRANTHAM (1698-1754), by Henrietta, sister of Charles and James next above-named, and the sole sister whose issue was then remaining. She m., June 1737, Lieut.-Col. ELLIOTT. She *d. s.p.* in New Burlington Street, 5 April, and was *bur.* 12 May 1772 at St. James' Westm. Will pr. May 1772.

VII. 1772. 6. GEORGE - NASSAU (CLAVERING - COWPER), EARL COWPER, &c., nephew and h., being s. and h. of William, 2d Earl Cowper, by Henrietta, sister of the above FRANCES, which Henrietta was the only child that left issue of Henry, Earl of Grantham, and Henrietta his wife (formerly Henrietta Butler, spinster, both above-named). He was *b.* 26 Aug. 1738; *suc.* his Father as EARL COWPER, &c., 13 Sep. 1764. He *d.* 22 Dec. 1789.

VIII. 1789. 7. GEORGE-AUGUSTUS (CLAVERING-COWPER), EARL COWPER, &c., s. and h., *b.* 9 Aug. 1776; *d.* unm. 12 Feb. 1799.

IX. 1799. 8. PETER - LEOPOLD - FRANCIS - NASSAU (CLAVERING-COWPER), EARL COWPER, &c., br. and h., *b.* 8 May 1788; *d.* 21 July 1837.

X. 1837. 9. GEORGE-AUGUSTUS-FREDERICK (COWPER), EARL COWPER, &c., s. and h.; *b.* 26 June 1806; *d.* 15 April 1856.

For fuller particulars see "Cowper" Earldom, *cr.* 1718, under the 3d, 4th, 5th, and 6th Earls.

XI. 1856. 10 and 4. FRANCIS-THOMAS-DE-GREY (COWPER), EARL COWPER, &c., s. and h., *b.* 11 June 1834. In

V. 1871. also LORD BUTLER OF MOORE PARK, co. Hertford [E.], the *attainder* (1715) affecting those two Baronies, having been *reversed* 31 July 1871, and he being by the House of Lords, on the 15th Aug. following, declared entitled thereto as the heir general. See "Cowper" Earldom, *cr.* 1718, under the 7th Earl.

DINHAM, see "DINAN."

DINORBEN OF KINMEL PARK.

Barony.

I. 1831.

1. WILLIAM-LEWIS HUGHES, of Kinmel Park, co. Denbigh, s. and h. of the Rev. Edward Hughes of the same by Mary, yst. da. and coheir of Robert LEWIS, of Llysdulas, co. Anglesey, *b.* 10 Nov. 1767; M.P. for Wallingford in 1802 and in seven succeeding Parliaments, being a supporter of Fox and the Whig party; Col. Commandant of the Anglesey Militia; Militia Aide-de-Camp to the Queen. He was *cr.* 10 Sep. 1831, BARON DINORBEN OF KINMEL PARK,^(a) co. Denbigh. He *m.* 8 March 1804, at Earsdon, co. Northumberland, Charlotte-Margaret, da. of Ralph-William GREY, of Backworth, co. Northumberland. She *d.* 22 Jany. 1835, at Kinmel Park. He *m.* secondly 11 Feb. 1840, at Kensington Palace, Gertrude,^(b) yst. da. of Grice-Blakeney SMYTH, of Ballynatray, co. Waterford, by Mary-Broderick, da. and coheir of Henry MITCHELL, of Mitchell's fort, co. Cork. He *d.* 10 Feb. 1852, aged 84, at Kinmel Park.

^(a) This was one of the "Coronation Peerages" of William IV. See a list of them vol. ii, p. 312, note "a," *sub* "Cloncurry."

^(b) Her sister Penelope was wife of H.R.H. Charles Ferdinand (Bourbon), Prince of Capua.

Will pr. Feb. 1852. His widow, who was *b.* 9 Dec. 1784, *d.* 3 Jany. 1871, in her 62d year, at Bute House, South Andley street, Midx., and was *bur.* 11th at Llysdulas, afsd. Will pr. 8 Feb. 1871, under £10,000.

- II. 1852, 2. WILLIAM-LEWIS (HUGHES), BARON DINORBEN OF KINMEL PARK, 2d but only surv. s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 9 Nov. 1821, and *hap.* 22d at St. Geo. Han. sq. He *d.* unm. 6 Oct. 1852, at Kinmel Park, afsd., aged 31, having "long been in infirm health, mentally and physically;"^(a) when the *title* became *extinct*.
 Feb. to Oct.

DIRLETOUN.

Barony [S.] 1. SIR WALTER HALYBURTON of Dirletoun, co. Berwick, I. 1441? s. and h. of Sir John H. of the same by Margaret, da. and coheir of Sir John CAMERON of Ballegarno, co. Perth, was one of the hostages for the ransom of King James I. [S.] in 1424; one of the Wardens of the Marches 1430; High Treasurer [S.] 1439, till his death; being *cr.* about 1441, but certainly before 3 Jany. 1447/8, LORD DIRLETOUN, or HALYBURTON OF DIRLETOUN [S.] He *m.* (charter 2 Feb. 1497) Isabel, widow of Alexander, EARL OF ROSS [S.], 1st da. of Robert (STEWART), DUKE OF ALBANY [S.] (the Regent), by his 1st wife, Margaret, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF MENTEITH [S.] He *d.* 1449.

II. 1449. JOHN (HALYBURTON,) LORD DIRLETOUN, or HALYBURTON OF DIRLETOUN [S.], s. and h. He *m.* Janet, da. of Sir William SETON of Seton. He *d.* before 25 March 1451. His widow *m.* Edward CONGALTON, and was living 1493.

III. 1451. 3. PATRICK (HALYBURTON), LORD DIRLETOUN, or HALYBURTON OF DIRLETOUN [S.], s. and h. He *m.* before March 1451 (when both were living) Margaret, 1st da. of Sir Patrick HEPBURN, afterwards (1467) LORD HALES. [S.] He *d.* s.p.

IV. 1470? 4. GEORGE (HALYBURTON,) LORD DIRLETOUN, or HALYBURTON OF DIRLETOUN, [S.] br. and h. "He, by the style of LORD HALYBURTON, is ranked among the Lords of Parl. from 1 March 1478/9 to 21 March 1484, but he afterwards was styled LORD DIRLETOUN, and under that title sat as a Lord of Parl., 1 Oct. 1487 and 11 Jan. 1487/8."^(b) His wife was, possibly "Mariot, Lady of Dirleton" alluded to in a charter, 27 July 1486.

[ARCHIBALD HALYBURTON, MASTER OF DIRLETOUN, s. and h. ap., who in 1474 was confirmed in the Lordship of Halyburton, granted to him by his Father. He granted, with his Father's consent, 27 July 1487, the Barony of Bolton, co. Haddington to "Mariot, Lady of Dirleton" for her life. He *m.* Helen SHAW, of Sauchie. He *d.* v.p. before 28 April 1490, when his relict was wife of Patrick HOME of Polwarth.]

V. 1491? 5. JAMES (HALYBURTON,) LORD DIRLETOUN [S.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of Archibald Hamilton, Master of Dirletoun and Helen, his wife, next above named. He *d.* unm.

VI. 1500? 6. PATRICK (HALYBURTON), LORD DIRLETOUN [S.], uncle and h., being the 2d son of the 4th Lord. He *m.* firstly, Margaret, da. of James DOUGLAS of Audeston. He *m.* secondly, Christian, da. of Thomas WAWANE of Stevenstoun, co. Haddington. He *d.* s.p.m. legit. (c) 1506. His widow, by whom he had no issue, *m.* (as his 3d wife) William (GRAHAM,) 1st EARL OF MONTROSE [S.], who was slain at Flodden 9 Sept. 1513.

^(a) *Annual Register*, 1852.

^(b) "*Hewlett*" p. 134; where it is added that the successors of this Lord "sat as Lord Dirleton."

^(c) A legitimation to David Halyburton, bastard, natural son of the deceased Patrick, Lord Halyburton of Dirleton, passed the Great Seal 19 April 1543.

- VII. 1506. 7. JANET, *suo jure* BARONESS DIRLETOUN [S.],
1st da. (by 1st wife) and heir of line^(a). She *m.* about
1518, Patrick (RUTHVEN,) 2d LORD RUTHVEN of Ruthven [S.], Keeper of
the Privy Seal [S.], 1547, who *d.* before 16 Dec. 1552.
- VIII. 1560. 8. PATRICK (RUTHVEN,) LORD RUTHVEN and
LORD DIRLETOUN [S.], who, about 1551 *suc.* his Father in
the former, and, probably somewhat later, *suc.* his mother in the latter
Barony. He, who was deeply concerned in the murder of Rizzio, *d.* (a few
months later) 18 June 1566 aged about 46,
- IX. 1566. 9. WILLIAM (RUTHVEN,) LORD RUTHVEN AND
LORD DIRLETOUN [S.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. He, as
"Lord Ruthven and Dirleton," was *cr.* 23 Nov. 1581, EARL OF GOWRIE [S.],
and in a confirmation, 29 Nov. 1581, of the lands of the Abbey of Scone is
described as "Earl of Gowrie, Lord Ruthven and Dirleton." Executed for
high treason 28 May 1586.
- X. 1586. 10. JAMES (RUTHVEN,) EARL OF GOWRIE, &c.
[S.], s. and h., restored to his estate and honours 1586. He
d. unm. 1588 aged 14.
- XI. 1588, 11. JOHN (RUTHVEN,) EARL OF GOWRIE, &c.
to [S.], next br. and h. He, being involved in the well-known
1600. "Gowrie conspiracy" against the King, was killed at Perth
5 Aug 1600, and having been attainted all his honours and
estates were *forfeited*^(b).
- XII. 1602? 1. SIR THOMAS ERSKINE of Gogar, having assisted in
rescuing the King from the plot of the Earl of Gowrie (next above-
named), and having himself slain, 5 Aug. 1600, Alexander Ruthven, yr. br. of that
Earl, received, in reward, a third part of the Lordship of Dirleton, co. Berwick
(forfeited by the said Earl), and was, about 1602, *cr.* LORD DIRLETOUN [S.], being
placed, as such, in the decree of ranking (1606) next below Lord Loudoun [*cr.* 30 June
1601] and next above Lord Kinloss and Lord Abercorn, which last was *cr.* 5 April
1603. He was, as "Thomas Erskine, Lord Dirleton," *cr.* 18 March 1606, VISCOUNT
OF FENTOUN [S.], and on 12 March 1619, was *cr.* EARL OF KELLIE [S.]
See that dignity.

See fuller particulars
under "Ruthven," Barony
[S.] *cr.* 1488.

See fuller account under "Gowrie"
Earldom [S.], *cr.* 1581;
forfeited 1600.

^(a) She is however spoken of but as a *coheir* ("filia seniore ac una heredum quondam nobilis domini Patricii, domini de Dirleton, Halyburton et Lambden") in a charter of 1529. Of her two yr. sisters, Mariota *m.* before 1535 George (Home,) 4th Lord Home, [S.] and was living his widow 1562; and Margaret, *m.* George Ker, of Faudonside.

^(b) These honours were the Earldom of Gowrie and the Barony of Ruthven (the former certainly and the latter probably descendible to heirs *male*) and the Barony of Dirleton [S.], which was descendible (if rightly possessed by the Ruthven family) to the heir *general*. This heir was successively the two surviving yr. brothers of the Earl, of whom William *d.* abroad and unm., and Patrick (the youngest) was living and styling himself "LORD RUTHVEN" in 1656 and 1667. Mary, only da. and h. of this Patrick, *m.* Sir Anthony Vandyke, the famous Painter, by whom she had an only da. and h., Justina, who *m.* Sir John Stepney, Bart. Their great-grandson and heir, Sir Thomas Stepney, Bart. (who issue *male* failed in 1825) left 2 daughters, of whom the younger *m.* Andrew Cowell (being ancestress of the Cowell-Stepney, Barts.), while the elder, Elizabeth-Bridgetta (who *d.* 1779), *m.* Joseph Gulston, of Knutsford Hall, co. Northampton (who *d.* 1786), and had Joseph Gulston, s. and h., *d.* 1790, leaving Joseph Gulston, his s. and h., *d.* 1841, leaving Alan James Gulston of Derwydd and Knuston Hall, his s. and h., "who, but for the Act of Attainder [1600] would be entitled to the dignity of Lord Dirleton, in case the evidence be sufficient to establish that the honour was granted to the first Peer and the heirs of his body." See "*Hewlett*" p. 138.

Earldom [S.] SIR JAMES MAXWELL, of Innerwick, one of the Gentlemen of the King's Bedchamber, s. of John M., of Kirkhouse, by Jean, sister of John, 1st EARL OF ANNANDALE [S.], da. of Sir Charles MURRAY, of Cockpool, by Margaret, da. of Hugh (SOMERVILLE), LORD SOMERVILLE [S.] was, in 1646 (the registration of the patent is much defaced) *cr.* EARL OF DIRLETOUN and LORD EL-BOTTLE [S.] He *m.* before April 1623 Elizabeth, DE BOSY or DE BOUSSOYNE. He *d.* s.p.m.^(a) about 1650 when *all his honours* became *extinct*. Admon. (as "Earl Darleton") 6 May 1650. His widow was *bur.* 26 April 1659 (as "Elizabeth Maxwell, Comitissa") at St. Martin's in the fields. Her will dat. 22 Aug. 1657, pr. 20 Aug. 1660.

DOCKWRA OF CULMORE.

Barony [I.] 1. "HENRY DOCKWRA, Knt., Treasurer of War in Ireland"^(b) was [15] May 1621, *cr.* BARON DOCKWRA OF CULMORE [I.] He had previously (*temp. Eliz.*) distinguished himself in the Irish wars. P.C. [I.]; Gov. of Longfoyle; and grantee of considerable lands in co. Wicklow. He *m.* Anne, da. of Francis VAUGHAN, of Sutton upon Derwent. He *d.* 18 April 1631. Will dat. 10 March 1630. The will of his widow is dat. 20 July 1648.

II. 1631, 2. THEODORE (DOCKWRA), BARON DOCKWRA OF CULMORE to [I.], s. and h., *b.* 1620. He *d.* unm. about 1650, when the title 1650. became extinct. Admon. 5 Dec. 1650, to a creditor.

DOLLARDSTOWN.

See "ATHLUMNEY OF SOMERVILLE AND DOLLARDSTOWN, co. Meath," Barony [I.] (*Somerville*), *cr.* 1863.

i.e., "MEREDYTH OF DOLLARDSTOWN, co. Meath," Barony (*Somerville*), *cr.* 1866; see "Athlumney" Barony [I.] as next above.

DOLPHINSTOUN.

i.e. "KER OF NISBET, LANGNEWTOUN AND DOLPHINSTOUN, Barony [S.] (*Ker*) *cr.* 1633 with the EARLDOM OF ANCRUM [S.], which see

DONAMORE.

See "HAWLEY OF DONAMORE" Barony [I.] (*Hawley*), *cr.* 1646; *ex.* 1772.

DONCASTER.

i.e. "DONCASTER," co. York," Viscounty (*Hay*), *cr.* 1618 with the EARLDOM OF CARLISLE, which see; both *ex.* 1660.

Earldom. 1. SIR JAMES SCOTT (illegit. s. of King Charles II) was I. 1663, *cr.* 14 Feb. 1662/3, BARON SCOTT OF TYNDALE, co. North-
to
1685. umberland, EARL OF DONCASTER, co. York, and DUKE OF MONMOUTH, in anticipation of his marriage (which took place 20 April 1663) with the *suo jure* COUNTESS OF BUCCLEUCH [S.] On that day they were severally *cr.* DUKE and DUCHESS OF BUCCLEUCH,

^(a) Of his two daughters and coheirs (1) Elizabeth *m.* firstly 1638 William (HAMILTON), 2d DUKE OF HAMILTON [S.], and secondly, 19 June 1655, Thomas Dalmahoy (2) Diana *m.* Charles Cecil, styled Viscount Cranbourne, and was mother of James, 3d Earl of Salisbury.

^(b) See "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D. K. Pub. Records.

&c. [S.] He was beheaded 15 July 1685 in his 37th year, and having been attainted *all his honours became forfeited*. See fuller particulars under "MONMOUTH," Dukedom of, *cr.* 1663.

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II. 1743. 2. FRANCIS (SCOTT), DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH, &c. [S.], grandson and h., who on the death of his grandmother, *suo jure* COUNTESS AND DUCHESS OF BUCCLEUCH abovenamed, 6 Feb. 1732, in her 81st year, had inherited those dignities. By Act of Parl. 21 March 1742 he was restored (with rem. to the heirs male of his [*not of the grantee's*] body) to the dignity and title of EARL OF DONCASTER and of BARON SCOT OF TINDAL^(a). See "BUCCLEUCH," Dukedom of [S.], *cr.* 1663, under the second holder of that dignity.

DONEGALL.

i.e. "DONEGALL" Barony of, [L.] (*O'Donnell*), *cr.* 1603 with the EARLDOM OF TYRCONNELL, [L.] which see; both *forfeited* about 1605.

Earldom. [L.] 1. ARTHUR CHICHESTER, 1st s. and h. ap. of Edward,

I. 1647. 1st VISCOUNT CHICHESTER OF CARRICKFERGUS and BARON CHICHESTER OF BELFAST [L.], by his first wife Anne, da. and h. of John COPLESTONE, was *b.* 16 June 1606; in command of a Regiment 1627; M.P. for co. Antrim 1640; Gov. of Belfast 1643; P.C., [L.] 1644; and having nobly distinguished himself as "Col. Chichester," in the Irish rebellion, was at the request of the Lord Lieut. Ormond, [L.] *cr.* 30 March 1647, EARL OF DONEGALL,^(b) [L.] with a *spec. rem.* to the heirs male of the body of his Father, taking his seat 25 June 1661. He had meantime *suc.*, 8 July 1648, to his Father's Viscounty and Barony [1625] abovenamed. Gov. of Carrickfergus 1661. Founder of a mathematical lecture for the Univ. of Dublin 1668. He *m.* firstly, Dorcas, da. of John HILL of Honiley, co. Warwick. She *d. s.p.m.* 10 April 1630 aged 23. M.I. at Eggesford, Devon. He *m.* secondly, Mary, da. of John (DIGBY,) 1st EARL OF BRISTOL, by Beatrix, da. of Charles WALCOT. She (having had 7 children) *d. s.p.s.* 5 Nov. 1648. M.I. at Eggesford *afsd.* He *m.* thirdly, 13 Aug. 1651, at St. Barth. the-less, London, Lætitia, 1st da. of Sir William HICKES, 1st Bart., by Margaret, da. of William PAGET), LORD PAGET DE BEAUDESERT. He *d. s.p.m.s.* at Belfast 18 March 1674/5, and was *bur.* 20 May 1675 at Carrickfergus. M.I. at Eggesford *afsd.* His widow, who was *bap.* 13 July 1626, at Westm. Abbey, *m.* (secondly) 18 March 1674/5, Sir William FRANKLIN of Maverne, Beds. who *d.* April 1691. She *d.* shortly afterwards, and was *bur.* 15 May 1691 in Westm. Abbey.

[WILLIAM CHICHESTER, *styled* LORD CHICHESTER, only surv. s. and h. ap. by 3d wife. He *d.* young and v.p., and was *bur.* as "*The young Lord Chichester*" 24 Dec. 1660 at Leyton, co. Essex.]

II. 1675. 2. ARTHUR (CHICHESTER), EARL OF DONEGALL [1647, L.]

VISCOUNT CHICHESTER OF CARRICKFERGUS and BARON CHICHESTER OF BELFAST, [1625, I.] nephew and h. male, being s. and h. of Lieut. Col. John Chichester, of Dungannon, co. Tyrone, by Mary, da. of Roger (JONES), 1st VISCOUNT RANELAGH, [L.] which John was next br. to the last Earl. He was knighted 18 Aug. 1660 at Whitehall; M.P. for Dungannon 1661; joint Clerk of the Pipe [L.] 1668; and, in 1674, *suc.* his uncle in the Earldom, under the *spec. lim.* in its grant, and in the other honours as heir to his grandfather, the grantee. He was attainted by the parl. of James II., as an absentee, but sat in the parl. of King William, 5 Oct. 1692. He *m.* shortly after 30 Nov. 1660 (at which time the Lady was 15, and in wardship),

^(a) See the probable reason of the non-restoration at that time of the *Dukedom of Monmouth*; see, also, the return [1885] of all Peerages restored by Act of Parl. for the last 200 years, vol. ii, p. 48, note "b" (*sub* "BUCCLEUCH"), this Earldom being the only *English* dignity therein mentioned so restored, the others being six Scotch dignities forfeited in the risings of 1715 and 1745.

^(b) See the preamble to this patent in "Lodge," vol. i, p. 334. It was granted with the annual creation fee of £15.

Jane, da. and h. of John ITCHINGHAM, (a) of Dumbrody, co. Wexford, by Sarah, da. of Sir Adam LOFTUS of Rathfarnham. He *d.* between Oct. 1692 and June 1696. (b) His widow *m.* Richard BOOTH, and had issue.

III. 1695? 3. ARTHUR (CHICHESTER), EARL OF DONEGALL, &c. [I.],
s. and h., *b.* 1666; styled VISCOUNT CHICHESTER, v.p. He was, in 1697, in command of a reg. of foot; in Feb. 1704 was made Major Gen. of the Spanish forces by the Prince of Hesse; Gov. of the fortress of Gironne, near Barcelona, 1705, but lost his life next year before the fort of Monjuich. He *m.* firstly before 1676, Barbara, 5th and yst. da. of Roger (BOYLE), 1st EARL OF ORREERY [I.], by Margaret, da. of Theophilus (HOWARD), 2d EARL OF SUFFOLK. She *d.*, s.p.s., 16 Nov. 1682, and was *bur.* the 24th in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin. He *m.* secondly, in 1685, Catharine, da. of Arthur (FORBES), 1st EARL OF GRANARD [I.], by Catharine, da. of Sir Robert NEWCOMEN, Bart. [I.] He *d.*, as afsd, 10 April, 1706, aged 40, and was *bur.* at Barcelona. M.I. at Carrickfergus. Will dat. 30 July 1705, pr. 3 Nov. 1708 and 1 June 1739. His widow *d.* at Abinger, Surrey, 15 June 1743, and was *bur.* 10 Aug. at Carrickfergus. Will pr. 20 July 1743 and 25 June 1746.

IV. 1706. 4. ARTHUR (CHICHESTER), EARL OF DONEGALL, &c., [I.]
s. and h., by 2nd wife, *b.* 28 March 1695, styled VISCOUNT CHICHESTER, till 1706. He *m.* 3 Oct. 1716, at Polesden House, Little Bookham, Surrey (reg. at St. Geo. the Martyr, Queen sq., Midx.), Lucy, 1st da. and coheir of Robert (RIDGWAY), 4th EARL OF LONDONDERRY, [I.] by Lucy, da. of Sir William JOYSON, Bart. She *d.* 16 July 1732, at Bromfield, co. Essex. and was *bur.* at Tor Mohun, Devon. Will pr. 17 May 1735. He *d.* s.p. 30 Sep. 1757, at Marbury Hall, Cheshire. Will pr. 18 Nov 1757.

V. 1757. 5 and 1. ARTHUR (CHICHESTER,) EARL OF DONEGALL
Marquessate [I.] &c., [I.] nephew and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. John Chichester, of Abinger, co. Surrey, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Richard NEWDEGATE, 3d Bart., of Arbury, which John was next br. to the last Earl. He was *b.* 13 June 1739, matric. at Oxford (Trin. Coll.) 25 Nov. 1757, aged 19; *cr.* M.A. 5 July 1759; and D.C.L. 7 July 1763. He took his seat in the House of Lords, [I.] 22 Oct. 1765; P.C.; M.P. for Malmesbury 1768-74. He was *cr.* a Peer of Great Britain, 3 July 1790, as BARON FISHERWICK, co. Stafford, and was next year, 27 June 1791 *cr.* EARL OF BELFAST and MARQUESS OF DONEGALL [I.] He *m.* firstly, 16 Nov. 1761, at Easton, co. Suffolk, Anne, da. of James (HAMILTON), 5th DUKE OF HAMILTON, [S.] by his 3d wife, Anne, da. and coheir of Edward SPENCER. She, who was *b.* Nov. 1738, was *bur.* 22 Nov. 1730, at St. Michaels, Lichfield. He *m.* secondly, 24 Oct. 1788, at St. Michael's, Bath, Charlotte, widow of Thomas MOORE, da. of Conway SPENCER, of Tremary, co. Down. She *d.* 19, and was *bur.* 28 Sep. 1789, at St. Michaels, Lichfield. He *m.* thirdly, 12 Oct. 1790, at his house in St. James sq. (St. James', Westm.), Barbara, da. of the Rev. Luke GODFREY, D.D., Rector of Midleton, co. York, by Mary, da. of the Rev. David COPE, Rector of Killahagh, co. Kerry. He *d.* in St. James Sq., Midx. 5 Jan. 1799. Will pr. 11 Jan. 1799. His widow *d.* 28 Dec. 1829, in Jurzon street, Mayfair. Will pr. Feb. 1830.

Marquessate [I.] }
II. }
Earldom [I.] } 1799. 2 and 6. GEORGE AUGUSTUS (CHICHESTER),
VI. } MARQUESS OF DONEGALL, EARL OF DONEGALL, &c. [I.],
also BARON FISHERWICK, s. and h. by first wife, *b.* 14 Aug. and *bap.* 9 Sep. 1769, at St. James', Westm., styled VISCOUNT CHICHESTER, 1769-91, and EARL OF BELFAST, 1791-99; M.P. for Carrickfergus, 1798-99; P.C.; Gov. of co. Donegall; K.P., 20 Aug. 1821. He *m.* 8 Aug. 1795, at St. Marylebone, Anna MAY, spinster, illegit. da. of Sir Edward MAY, 2d Bart. [I.] He *d.* 5 Oct. 1844 at Ormean, co. Antrim, aged 75. Will pr. Feb. 1845. His widow *d.* 6 Feb. 1849.

(a) An account of this family is given in "Lodge," vol. i, p. 337, note.

(b) See will dat. 9 June 1696 of Frances, Countess of Longford [I.] his first cousin quoted in "Lodge," vol. i, p. 336.

Marquessate [I.] }
 III. }
 Earldom. [I.] } 1844.
 VII. }

3 and 7. GEORGE HAMILTON (CHICHESTER), MARQUESS OF DONEGALL, &c. [I.], also BARON FISHERWICK, s. and h., b. 10 Feb. 1797, in Great Cumberland Place, Middlesex; styled EARL OF BELFAST, 1799-1844; ed. at Eton and [1816] at Ch. Ch., Oxford; sometime Captain in the 7th Hussars; M.P. for Carrickfergus 1818-20; for Belfast, 1820-30; for co. Antrim, 1830-37; and for Belfast (again) 1837-38; Vice-Chamberlain of the Household, 1830-34; P.C., 1830; **G.C.H.**, 1831. On 18 Aug. 1841 he was *cr.* (v.p.) BARON ENNISHOWEN AND CARRICKFERGUS of Ennishowen, co. Donegal, and Carrickfergus, co. Antrim^(a); Col. of the 4th Batt. Royal Irish Rifle Volunteers; Militia Aide-de-camp to the Queen, 1847; Capt. of the Yeomen of the Guard, 1848-52; **K.P.** 3 Feb. 1857; F.R.S., &c. He *m.* firstly 8 Dec. 1822, at St. James', Westm., Harriett-Anne, 1st da. of Richard (BUTLER), 1st EARL OF GLENGALL [I.], by Emily, da. of James-St. John JEFFREYS. She, who was b. 1 Jan'y 1799, d. 14 Sep. 1860 at Paris. He *m.* secondly 26 Feb. 1862, at St. Geo., Han. Sq., Harriet, widow of Lieut.-Gen. Sir Frederick ASHWORTH, **K.C.B.**, da. of Sir Bellingham-Reginald GRAHAM, 7th Bart., by his first wife, Henrietta, da. of George CLARK. He *d.* s.p.m.s. at Brighton, 20 Oct. 1883, in his 87th year, being then the senior member of the Privy Council. On his death the *Barony of Ennishowen and Carrickfergus* (*cr.* 1841) became *extinct*. Will pr. 26 March 1884, over £41,000. His widow *d.* 6 March 1884 aged 68 at San Remo.

[GEORGE-AUGUSTUS CHICHESTER, spoken of as VISCOUNT CHICHESTER, s. and h. ap. of his father, when styled EARL OF BELFAST, b. 26 May 1826; *d.* an infant, 18 June 1827.]

[FREDERICK RICHARD CHICHESTER, styled (1844-53) EARL OF BELFAST, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap., b. 25 Nov. 1827, in Pall Mall, Midx.; author of a work of fiction called "*Two Generations.*" He *d.* unm. v.p. 11 Feb. 1853, in his 26th year at Naples.]

Marquessate [I.] }
 IV. }
 Earldom [I.] } 1883.
 VIII. }

4 and 8. EDWARD (CHICHESTER), MARQUESS OF DONEGALL, &c. [I.], also BARON FISHERWICK, br. and h. male, b. 11 June 1799, in Great Cumberland Place, Midx.; ed. at Eton and at Trin. Coll., Dublin; B.A., 1822; B.D. and D.D., 1852; Dean of Raphoe, 1832-73. He *m.* 21 Sep. 1821, Amelia-Spread-Deane, 3d da. of Henry-Deane GRADY, of Stillorgan Castle, co. Dublin, by Dorcas SPREAD, his wife. He *d.* 20 Jan'y. 1889, in his 90th year at St. Leonards on Sea and was *bur.* in Kensal Green Cemetery. Will pr. 3 July 1889, at £4,997. His widow living 1890.

Marquessate [I.] }
 V. }
 Earldom [I.] } 1889.
 IX. }

5 and 9. GEORGE-AUGUSTUS-HAMILTON (CHICHESTER), Marquess of Donegall [1791] EARL OF DONEGALL [1647], EARL OF BELFAST [1791], VISCOUNT CHICHESTER OF CARRICKFERGUS AND BARON CHICHESTER OF BELFAST [1625] all in the peerage of Ireland, also BARON FISHERWICK [1790], s. and h., b. 27 June 1822; styled EARL OF BELFAST, 1883-89; was sometime Lieut. 6th Foot. In April 1889 his liabilities in Bankruptcy were above £518,000. He *m.* firstly, 9 Aug. 1859, Lucy-Elizabeth-Virginia, divorced wife of William MURE, da. of Henry-Holt OLIVER, of Weston Priory, Somerset. This marriage was subsequently declared void. He *m.* secondly, 31 Aug. 1865, Mary Anne Williams, da. of Edward COBB, of Arnold, co. Kent, and Kensington, Midx.

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 14,617 acres in co. Antrim, 8,155 in co. Donegal, and 224 in cos. Londonderry and Down. Total 22,996 acres worth £41,649 a year. "The above rental arises from nearly 14,000 acres, chiefly in Donegal, let on leases for ever." *Principal Residence*. The Castle, Belfast.

^(a) A somewhat *singular* method of giving a *dual* description of the place of the dignity.

DONERAILE.

Viscounty [I.] 1. ARTHUR ST. LEGER, of Doneraile, co. Cork, s. and h. of John St. Leger of the same, by his first wife, Mary, da. of Arthur (CHICHESTER,) 1st EARL OF DONEGALL, [I.] was attained by the Irish parl. of Jamss II., 7 May 1689; suc. his Father 31 March 1696; P.C. to Queen Anne and George I., and was, by the former, 23 June 1703, *cr.* BARON KILMAYDEN, co. Waterford and VISCOUNT DOWNERAYLE, *vulgo* DONERAILE, co. Cork. [I.]^(a) He *m.* 24 June 1690, Elizabeth, da. and h. of John HAYES, of Winchelsea, Sussex, (br. to Sir James H., of Bedgebury, co. Kent,) by Mehetabela, da. and h. of John OTTERINGTON, of Kilmayden afsd., Alderman of Dublin. He *d.* suddenly in his carriage, 7 July 1727, and was *bur.* at Doneraile. Will dat. 7 April 1726. His widow *d.* 16 Jany. 1739, and was *bur.* (with her Father) in St. Giles in the fields, Midx. Will pr. 1740.

II. 1727. 2. ARTHUR (ST. LEGER,) VISCOUNT DONERAILE, &c., [I.] s. and h. *b.* about 1694. He *m.* firstly, June 1717, Mary, only child of Charles (MOHUN,) BARON MOHUN of OAKHAMPTON, by his first wife, Charlotte, da. of Thomas MAINWARING. She *d.* Nov. 1718. He *m.* secondly, March 1725, Catherine-Sarah, da. of Capt. John CONYNGHAM. He *d.* in the Isle of Man, 13 March 1733/4. Admon. 25 June 1740, 23 Feb. 1750/1 and 15 Dec. 1753. His widow was *bur.* 2 Aug. 1783 at Kensington, Midx. Will pr. July 1783.

III. 1734. 3. ARTHUR-MOHUN (ST. LEGER,) VISCOUNT DONERAILE, &c., [I.] only s. and h., *b.* 7 Aug. 1718; matric. at Oxford (Hart Hall) 24 May 1734; took his seat in the House of Lords [I.] 10 Oct. 1739. He was sometime M.P. for Winchelsea, 1741-47; and for Sarum, 1747-50; Lord of the Bedchamber to the Prince of Wales, 1717. He *m.* firstly, 3 April 1738, Mary, da. and h. of Anthony SHEPPARD, of Newcastle, co. Longford. She *d.* of small pox, 11 Aug. following, and was *bur.* there. Admon. 30 April 1739. He *m.* secondly, Catherine, 1st da. of Clothworthy (SKEFFINGTON,) 4th VISCOUNT MASEREENE, [I.] by Catherine, da. of Arthur (CHICHESTER,) 4th EARL OF DONEGALL [I.] He *d.* s.p. at Lisbon in Portugal, in Aug., and was *bur.* 28 Sep. 1750, at St. Giles in the fields afsd. Will pr. 1750. His widow *d.* 3 April 1751, and was *bur.* at St. Mary's, Dublin.

IV. 1750, 4. HAYES (ST. LEGER,) VISCOUNT DONERAILE and BARON to KILMAYDEN [I.], uncle and h., being 3d and yst. s. of the 1st Viscount. 1767. He was *hap.* 1 Jany 1701/2, at St. Giles in the Fields afsd; was sometime M.P. for Doneraile; P.C. [I.], 14 Oct. 1751, taking his seat in the House of Lords [I.] 23d of that month. He *m.*, in 1772, Elizabeth, 1st da. and coheir of Joseph DEANE of Crumlin, co. Dublin, Ch. Baron of the Exchequer [I.], by Margaret, sister of Henry, 1st EARL OF SHANNON [I.], da. of Henry BOYLE, of Castle Martyr, co. Cork. He *d.* s.p. 25 April 1767 and was *bur.* at Bath Abbey, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. Will pr. 1767. His widow *d.* 4 Dec. 1768.

Barony [I.] 1. ST. LEGER ST. LEGER, formerly ST. LEGER
 I. 1776. ALDWORTH, 2d s. of Richard Aldworth of Newmarket, co. Cork, by Elizabeth^(b), only da. of (whose issue became heir to) Arthur (ST. LEGER), 1st VISCOUNT DONERAILE [I.] above-named; was M.P. for Doneraile, 1749-76, and, having suc., in 1767, to the estates of his maternal uncle, the last Viscount, assumed the name of *St. Leger* in lieu of that of *Aldworth*, and was *cr.*, 2 July 1776, BARON DONERAILE of Doneraile, co. Cork [I.], taking his seat 27 Jany. 1778. On 22 June 1785 he was *cr.* VISCOUNT DONERAILE of Doneraile, co. Cork [I.] He *m.* Mary, 1st da. of Redmond BARRY of Ballycogh, co. Cork. She *d.* 3 March 1778. He *d.* 15 May 1787.

^(a) See preamble to this patent in "Lodge," vol. vi, p. 120.

^(b) She is celebrated as being the only lady ever admitted a Freemason.

Viscounty [I.] }
 VI. }
 Barony [I.] } 1787.
 II. }

2. HAYES (ST. LEGER), VISCOUNT DONERAILE, &c. [I.], s. and h., b. 9 March 1755; M.P. for Doneraile, 1777-87. He m. 3 Sep. 1785, Charlotte, sister of Francis, 1st EARL OF BANDON [I.], 4th da. of James BERNARD, of Castle Bernard, co. Cork, by Esther, da. of Percy SMYTHE of Headborough, co. Waterford. He d. 8 Nov. 1819. His widow, who was b. 1764, d. 2 Sep. 1835.

Viscounty [I.] }
 VII. }
 Barony [I.] } 1819.
 III. }

3. HAYES (ST. LEGER), VISCOUNT DONERAILE &c. [I.], only s. and h., b. 9 May 1786 at Doneraile House; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; matric. 21 Oct. 1805; Col. of the South Cork Militia; Gov. of co. Cork; REP. PEER [I.] 1830-54. He m. his cousin, Charlotte-Esther, 2d da. of Francis (BERNARD), 1st EARL OF BANDON [I.] abovenamed, by Catharine-Henrietta, da. of Richard (BOYLE), 2d EARL OF SHANNON [I.] She, who was b. 28 Jany. 1794, d. 7 Feb. 1846 at Doneraile House He d. 27 March 1854 at Doneraile House in his 68th year.

Viscounty [I.] }
 VIII. }
 Barony [I.] } 1854.
 IV. }

4. HAYES (ST. LEGER), VISCOUNT DONERAILE, &c. [I.], only s. and h., b. 1 Oct. 1818, at Doneraile House; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; matric. 30 May 1837; Sheriff of co. Cork, 1845; REP. PEER [I.], 1855-87; Hon. Col. north Cork Militia. He m. 20 Aug. 1851, at St. Peter's, Eaton square, Midx., Mary-Anne-Grace-Louisa, da. of George-William LENOX-CONYNGHAM, Ch. Clerk of the Foreign Office. He d., s.p.m.s.,^(a) 26 Aug. 1887, aged 68, at Doneraile Court, from hydrophobia caused by the bite of a fox in January preceding. His widow living 1889.

Viscounty [I.] }
 IX. }
 Barony [I.] } 1887.
 V. }

5. RICHARD-ARTHUR (ST. LEGER), VISCOUNT DONERAILE [1785] and BARON DONERAILE [1776], in the peerage of Ireland, cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of the Rev. Richard-Thomas-Arthur St. Leger, Vicar of Otterford, Somerset (d. 28 Jany 1875, aged 84,) by Charlotte, da. of Sir John FREDERICK, Bart., which Richard was s. and h. of the Hon. Richard St. Leger (d. Jany. 1841, also aged 84), 2d s. of the 1st Viscount. He was b. 22 Feb. 1825; sometime Ch. Clerk in the Paymaster-General's office.

Family Estates...Those of the late Viscount consisted, in 1883, of 16,400 acres in co. Cork and 12,300 in co. Waterford. Total 28,700 acres valued at £15,000 a year. *Residence*. Doneraile Court, co. Cork.

DONINGTON.

Barony.
 I. 1880.

CHARLES-FREDERICK ABNEY-HASTINGS formerly CHARLES-FREDERICK CLIFTON, 4th s. of Thomas CLIFTON, of Clifton and Lytham, co. Lancaster, by Hetty, da. of Peregrine TREVES, Postmaster Gen. of Bengal, b. 17 June 1822; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; B.A., 1845; M.A., 1848; having m. 30 April 1853, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Edith-Maud, 1st da. of George (RAWDON-HASTINGS), 2d MARQUESS OF HASTINGS (by Barbara, *suo jure* BARONESS GREY DE RUTHIN) assumed by act of parl. in 1853, the name of *Abney-Hastings* in lieu of his patronymic of *Clifton*, on inheriting, under a settlement dated 1844, the estates of his wife's relative, Sir Charles Abney-Hastings, 2d Bart. His said wife, who was b. 10 Dec. 1833, suc. her br., the 4th and last Marquess of Hastings, 10 Nov. 1868 as COUNTESS OF LOUDOUN, &c. [S.]

^(a) His only surv. da. and h. m. 23 April 1874, Bernard (Fitzpatrick), 2d Baron Castletown.

and in Nov. 1871 became, also *suo jure*, BARONESS BOTREAU, HUNGERFORD, DE MOLEYNS and HASTINGS, by the termination of the abeyance of the four Baronies in her favour. She *d.* 23 Jan. 1874, at Ventnor, in the Isle of Wight.

Family Estates....The return as to these was, in 1883, "*hopelessly mixed up*," with that of his son, the Earl of Loudoun, and is included therein. *Principal Residence.*... Donington Park, Leicestershire.

DONOUGHMORE OF KNOCKLOFTY.

- Barony [L.]** I. CHRISTIANA HELY HUTCHINSON,^(a) wife of the Rt. Hon. John HELY-HUTCHINSON, was, 16 Oct. 1783, *cr.* BARONESS DONOUGHMORE OF KNOCKLOFTY, *co.* Tipperary, [L.] with rem. of that Barony to the h. male of her body.^(b) She was yst. of the 13 children (4 boys and 9 girls) of Abraham NICKSON, of Murny, *co.* Wicklow, by Elizabeth (to whom he was 3d husband) da. of Edward and sister of Richard HUTCHINSON,^(c) both of Knocklofty *afsd.* The last named Richard *d. s.p.*, leaving his estates to his niece, the said Christiana, who, 8 June 1751, *m.* John HELY, who took the name of HUTCHINSON on his wife's succession to the Knocklofty estates. The Baroness *d.* (but five years after her creation) 24 June 1788. Her husband, who was s. of Francis HELY, of Gortroe, *co.* Cork, was B.A., of Trin. Coll., Dublin, 1774; LL.D., 1756; Barrister, 1748; Bencher of King's Inn, Dublin, 1753; Prime Serjeant, 1761; M.P. for Lanesborough, 1759-60; for Cork, 1761-89 and for Taghmon, 1790-94; Provost of Trin. Coll., Dublin, 1774; P.C. [L.]; Prin. Sec. of State and Keeper of the Privy Seal. [L.] He *d.* 5 Sep. 1794.
- II. 1788. }
Viscountcy [L.] } 2 and 1. RICHARD HELY (HELY-HUTCHINSON),
 I. 1797, } BARON DONOUGHMORE OF KNOCKLOFTY, [L.] s. and h.; *b.* 29
Earldom [L.] } Jan. 1756; Joint Remembrancer of the Court of Exchequer
 I. 1800. } [L.] 1764; ed. at Eton; at Mag. Coll. Oxford, (1772) and at
 Dublin; B.A. Dublin, 1775; M.A. 1780; LL.B. and LL.D.
 1783; Barrister (Dublin), 1777; M.P. for *co.* Sligo, 1778-83;
 for Taghmoor, 1783-88; Commissioner of Customs [L.], 1785-
 1802; took his seat in the House of Lords [L.], 6 Feb. 1789;
 Lieut.-Col., 112th Foot, 1794; becoming finally, 1812, Lieut-
 Gen. in the Army. On 20 Nov. 1797, he was *cr.* VISCOUNT DONOUGHMORE
 OF KNOCKLOFTY,^(d) *co.* Tipperary, with a spec. rem. to the heirs male of the
 body of his mother. On 31 Dec. 1800^(e), he was *cr.* EARL OF DONOUGHMORE OF
 KNOCKLOFTY [L.], with a like spec. rem. REP-PEER [L.], 1801-25; P.C. 1806;

^(a) It would almost seem as if her Christian name was "*Christiana-Hely.*" She is spoken of in the patents of 1797 and 1800, as "*Christiana Hely, Baroness Donoughmore, decd.*" her husband being spoken of therein as "*The Rt. Hon. John Hely-Hutchinson,*" also *decd.*"

^(b) This was one of nine Irish Baronies conferred by the Fox ministry in 1783, at a time when the King refused any additions to be made to the peerage of *Great Britain.* See p. 44, note "d," *sub.* "*Devalal.*"

^(c) The pedigree of Hutchinson, deduced from Edward H., of Alford, *co.* Lincoln, whose second son, Richard, purchased Knocklofty and other estates in Ireland (being father of Edward Hutchinson, and grandfather of Mrs. Nickson, mother of Baroness Donoughmore) is given in "*The diary and letters of Gov. Hutchinson,*" by Peter Orlando Hutchinson, vol. ii, pp. 447-57.

^(d) It is generally said that this creation was Viscount *Suirdale*, or Donoughmore of *Suirdale*, but such is not the case. In all the three creations (1783, 1797 and 1800), the title is "*Donoughmore of Knocklofty,*" and the Viscountcy of Hutchinson [U.K.], conferred in 1821, is also of "*Knocklofty.*" The courtesy title used by the heir ap. has generally been (wrongly?) "*Suirdale,*" but should (apparently) be "*Hutchinson,*" or "*Knocklofty.*"

^(e) This was one of the 18 Irish Peerages conferred on the day before the Union. See vol. i, p. 208, note "c," *sub.* Avonmore.

P.C. [I.], 1820. Finally, on 14 July 1821 ^(a), he was *cr.* VISCOUNT HUTCHINSON OF KNOCKLOFTY, co. Tipperary [U.K.], with a like spec. rem. He *d.* unm. 22 Aug. 1825. Will pr. June 1826.

Earldom and Viscounty [I.]	} 1825.	2 and 3. JOHN (HELY-HUTCHINSON), EARL OF DONOUGHMORE, &c. [I.], also VISCOUNT HUTCHINSON OF KNOCKLOFTY and BARON HUTCHINSON OF ALEXANDRIA AND OF KNOCKLOFTY, br. and h. He was <i>b.</i> 15 May 1757; ed. at Eton, at Oxford (Mag. Coll.) 1773, and at Trin. Coll., Dublin; was M.P. for Lanesborough, 1776-83; for Taghmon, 1789-90, and for Cork City, 1790-1801. Having been Lieut.-Col. of the 77th Reg.
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1783, he became Major-Gen. in the army, 1799, and (after the death of Abercromby) Lieut. Gen. and Commander-in-Chief in Egypt, May 1801. To him the French eventually capitulated, and on 16 Dec. 1801 he was *cr.* BARON HUTCHINSON OF ALEXANDRIA^(b) AND KNOCKLOFTY, co. Tipperary (by which title he was known till, in 1825, he *suc.* to the Earldom), with a pension of £4,000 a year. **K.B.**, 23 Dec. 1801, installed 1803, becoming **G.C.B.** 2 Jan. 1815; Knight of the Crescent of Turkey, 20 March 1802; Gen. in the Army 1813; Col. of the 18th Foot; Gov. of Stirling Castle; F.S.A., &c.; Lord Lieut. of co. Tipperary, 1831. He *d.* unm. 29 June 1832, when the *Barony of Hutchinson* (conferred on him) became *extinct*. Will pr. Sep. 1832.

Earldom and Viscounty [I.]	} 1832.	3 and 4. JOHN (HELY HUTCHINSON), EARL OF DONOUGHMORE, &c. [I.], also VISCOUNT HUTCHINSON OF KNOCKLOFTY, nephew and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. Francis Hely-Hutchinson, M.P. for the Univ. of Dublin, by Frances-Wilhelmina, da. and h. of Henry NIXON, of Belmont, co. Waterford, which Francis (who <i>d.</i> 1828 aged 67) was next br. to the last Earl. He was <i>b.</i> 1787; matric. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.); M.P. for
III.		
Barony [I.] IV.		

Tipperary, 1826-32; Lord Lieut. of co. Tipperary, 1832; P.C. [I.] 1834; **K.P.**, 8 April 1834. He *m.* firstly, 15 June 1822, Margaret, da. of Luke (GARDINER), 1st VISCOUNT MOUNTJOY, by his 2d wife Margaret, da. of Hector WALLIS. She, who was *b.* 4 Feb. 1796, *d.* 13 Oct. 1825. He *m.* secondly, 5 Sep. 1827, Barbara, 2d da. and coheir of Lieut.-Col. William REYNELL of Castle Reynell, co. Westmeath, by Jane, da. of Sir WILLIAM MONTGOMERY, Bart., of Magbiehill. He *d.* 14 Sep. 1851 in his 64th year at Palmerston House, near Dublin. Will pr. July. 1852. His widow *d.* 11 Dec. 1856 at Chiavari, near Genoa.

Earldom and Viscounty [I.]	} 1851.	4 and 5. RICHARD-JOHN (HELY-HUTCHINSON), EARL OF DONOUGHMORE, &c. [I.], also VISCOUNT HUTCHINSON OF Knocklofty, s. and h., by 1st wife, <i>b.</i> 4 April 1823, in Dublin, being <i>styled</i> (wrongly?) VISCOUNT SUIRDALE, ^(c) 1832-51; ed. at Harrow; sometime an officer in the 98th Foot; Lieut. Col. South Tipperary Militia, 1849; P.C., 1853; Vice President of the Board of Trade, 1858 and President Feb. to June 1859. He <i>m.</i> 7 April 1847, Thomasine-
IV.		
Barony [I.] V.		

Jocelyn, 1st da. and coheir of Walter STEELE, of Moynalty, co. Monaghan, by Mary-Sophia, da. of the Hon. George JOCELYN, 2d s. of the 1st EARL OF RODEN [I.] He *d.* 22 Feb. 1866, aged 42, at 52 South Audley street, Midx. His widow *d.* 7 May 1890, and was *bur.*, from Knocklofty, at Tullamelan.

^(a) This was one of the 22 peerages *cr.* at the coronation of George IV. See an account of these in vol. ii, p. 351, note "d," *sub.* "Conyngham."

^(b) See vol. i. p. 79, note "a," *sub.* Amherst, as to titles of Peerage, commemorating a Victory.

^(c) It is difficult to account for this designation; no such title appears to have been conferred on his ancestors; no such place is mentioned in the Parl. Gazetteer of Ireland.

Earldom and }
 Viscounty [L.] }
 V. } 1866.
 Barony [L.] }
 VI. }

5 and 6. JOHN-LUKE-GEORGE (HELY-HUTCHINSON), EARL OF DONOUGHMORE OF KNOCKLOFTY [1800], VISCOUNT DONOUGHMORE OF KNOCKLOFTY [1797] and BARON DONOUGHMORE OF KNOCKLOFTY [1783], in the peerage of Ireland, also VISCOUNT HUTCHISON OF KNOCKLOFTY [1821], s. and h., b. 2 March 1848, at Monkstown, near Dublin, being styled (wrongly?) VISCOUNT SUIRDALE,^(a) 1851-66; ed. at Eton and at Ball Coll., Oxford; matric., 25 Oct. 1866; B.A. 2d class law and mod. hist., 1870; assistant Commissioner in Eastern Roumelia, 1878-79; **K.C.M.G.**, 9 Oct 1879. He m. 19 May 1874, at Hobart town, Tasmania, Frances-Isabella, da. of William-Frazer STEPHENS, Col. in the East India Company's service.

[RICHARD-WALTER-JOHN HELY HUTCHINSON styled (wrongly?) VISCOUNT SUIRDALE,^(a) b. 2 March 1875, in Charles street, Berkeley sq., Midx.]

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 4,711 acres in co. Tipperary; 2,878 in co. Waterford; 1,972 in co. Cork; 1,307 in co. Wexford; and 1,082 in cos. Kilkenny, Monaghan, Dublin, and Louth. Total 11,950 acres, valued at £10,424 a year. *Principal Residence*. Knocklofty, near Clonmel, Tipperary.

DORCHESTER (co. Dorset).

Marquessate. HENRY (PIERREPONT), EARL OF KINGSTON-ON-HULL (who
 I. 1645, on 30 July 1643 had suc. his Father, the 1st Earl, in that dignity),
 to was, 25 March 1645, *cr.* "MARQUESSE BORCESTER [*i.e.*,
 1680. MARQUESS OF DORCHESTER, co. Dorset], the dignity being
 "entailed upon the heirs of his body for ever"^(b). He d. s.p.m.s. 8
 Dec. 1680, when the *Marquessate* thus conferred on him is generally considered to have
 become *extinct*^(c). See fuller particulars under "Kingston-on-Hull" Earldom, *cr.*
 1628, *ex.* 1773; *sub* the second Earl.

Earldom. CATHARINE SEDLEY, Spinster, only child of Sir Charles
 I. 1686, Sedley, 5th Bart., of Aylesford, Kent, by Catharine, da. of John
 to (SAVAGE), EARL RIVERS, was b. before 1653; was for many years
 1717. mistress to James, Duke of York^(d), by whom, on his accession as
 James II, she was *cr.*, 20 Jan. 1685/6, BARONESS OF DARLINGTON,
 co. Durham, and COUNTESS OF DORCHESTER, co. Dorset, for life^(e), with

^(a) See p. 139, note "c."

^(b) See "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D. K. Pub. Records.

^(c) In his funeral certificate (Coll. of Arms) it is expressly said that he was *cr.* by letters patent 25 March [1645] "Marquess of Dorchester and to the heirs male of his body," and it is added, "dying thus without issue male the dignity of Marquess of Dorchester is *extinct*." Of his two daughters (1) Ann, *hap.* 9 March 1630/1, m. 13 July 1658 John Manners, styled Lord Roos (afterwards 8th Earl and 1st Duke of Rutland), and was divorced from him (by Act of Parl.) and her progeny bastardised. She was dead before 11 May 1699, tho' two of her children, named John Manners and Charles Manners, were then living. (2) Grace, aged 4 years in 1639, d. unm. 25 March and was *bur.* 1 April 1703 at St. Anne's Soho. M.I. Her will dat. 11 May 1699 was pr. 26 March 1763. This lady (Lady Grace Pierrepont) would seem, if the rem. of the dignity was to the heirs of the body of the grantee, to have been *de jure*, *suo jure* MARCHIONESS OF DORSET.

^(d) Of many children which she had by him, "The Lady Catharine Darnley," b. 1681, was the only survivor, who became in 1699 Countess of Anglesey, and in 1705 Duchess of Buckingham and Normanby.

^(e) See *ante*, p. 78, note "a," *sub* "Derwentwater," for a list of the ten English Peerages *cr.* by James II.

a pension of £5,000 a year (continued to her in 1703), &c. She *m.* in or shortly after Aug. 1696, Sir David COLYEAR, 2d Bart. [S.], afterwards (1699) LORD PORTMORE [S.], and finally (1703) EARL OF PORTMORE [S.], who *d.* 2 Jan. 1730, leaving issue by her. See that title. The Countess *d.* at Bath 26 Oct. 1717, when her *life Peerage* became *extinct*.^(A) Will pr. Sep. 1720.

Marquessate. 1. EVELYN (PIERREPONT), EARL OF KINGSTON-
II. 1706. ON-HULL, great-nephew of Henry, MARQUESS OF DORCHESTER
and EARL OF KINGSTON-ON-HULL abovenamed, was *cr.* 23
Dec. 1706, MARQUESS OF DORCHESTER, *co.* Dorset., with a spec. rem.
failing the heirs male of his body, to his uncle, Gervase Pierrepont, after-
wards (1714) Baron Pierrepont of Hanslope. He was *cr.*, 10 Aug. 1715, DUKE
OF KINGSTON-ON-HULL, *co.* York. He *d.* 5 March 1726.

[WILLIAM PIERREPONT, *styled* MARQUESS OF DORCHESTER, *s.* and
h. ap., *b.* 21 Oct. 1692; *d.* v.p. 1 July 1713.]

III. 1726, 2 EVELYN (PIERREPONT), DUKE OF KINGSTON-
to ON-HULL, MARQUESS OF DORCHESTER, &c., grandson and *h.*,
1773. being *s.* and *h.* of William Pierrepont, *styled* MARQUESS OF
DORCHESTER abovenamed, He was himself *styled* MARQUESS
OF DORCHESTER, 1713-26; *b.* 1711; *d.* s.p. 23 Sep. 1773, when *all his honours*
became *extinct*.

See fuller account under "Kingston-on-
Hull" Dukedom,
cr. 1715; *cr.* 1773.

Earldom.

I. JOSEPH DAMER, of Came, *co.* Dorset, *s.* and *h.* of
II. 1792. Joseph D. of the same, by Mary, da. of John CHURCHILL, of Henbury
in the said *co.*, *b.* 12 March 1717/8, at Dorchester, Dorset, *suc.* his
Father, 1 March 1736/7; M.P. for Weymouth, 1741-47; for Bramber,
1747-54; and for Dorchester, 1754-62; was *cr.* 3 June 1753, BARON MILTON OF
SHRONEHILL, *co.* Tipperary [I.], taking his seat as such, 9 Oct. following. P.C.
[I.], 1773. He was *cr.* 10 May 1762, BARON MILTON OF MILTON ABBEY, *co.*
Dorset, and, finally, 18 May 1792, VISCOUNT MILTON OF MILTON ABBEY, *co.*
Dorset, and EARL OF DORCHESTER, *co.* Dorset; High Steward of Dorchester, &c.
He *m.* 27 July 1742, at Knole, *co.* Kent, Caroline, da. of Lionel (SACKVILLE), 1st
DUKE OF DORSET, by Elizabeth, da. of Lieut. Gen. Walter-Philip COLYEAR. She,
who was *b.* 6 March, and *hap.* 4 April 1718, at St. Martins in the fields, *d.* (as Baroness
Milton) 24 March 1775, and was *bur.* at Milton Abbey afd. The Earl *d.* 12 Jan.
1798. Will pr. Feb. 1798.

III. 1798, 2. GEORGE (DAMER), EARL OF DORCHESTER [1792]
to VISCOUNT MILTON OF MILTON ABBEY [1792], BARON MILTON OF MILTON
1808. ABBEY [1762], also BARON MILTON OF SHRONEHILL [I. 1753]; 2d but
1st *surv.* *s.* and *h.*, *b.* 28 March 1746, and *hap.* at St. James, Westm.;
ed. at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 3 July 1769; M.P. for Cricklade,
1768-74; for St. Andrews, Cupar and Crail, 1777-80; for Dorchester, 1780-90; for

^(A) Little is known of her but her *want* of beauty and her *possession* of a low kind
of wit, which "shocked by its indelicacy;" *e.g.*, as, when meeting the Duchess of
Portsmouth and the Countess of Orkney at a Drawing Room of George I., she said,
"Who would have thought that we three w * * * * s should have met *here!*" Her
life was "a long career of undeserved prosperity," and there is nothing in it to show
that the well-known allusion to her, in Dr. Johnson's magnificent poem of "The
Vanity of Human Wishes," was *in fact* in any, the least, degree appropriate—

"Yet VANE could tell what ills from beauty spring,
And SEDLEY cursed the charms which pleased a King."

See Jesse's "Memoirs of the Stuarts," vol. iv, pp. 491-497. Her father, a notorious
libertine, who *d.* 20 Aug. 1701 aged 61, being also a wit and having taken part *against*
James II, gave (as a *bon mot*) his reason for so doing that; "that King having made
my da. a *Countess*, it is fit I should make his da. a *Queen*."

Malton, 1792-98; and for Naas [I.], 1794-07; being *styled* VISCOUNT MILTON, 1792-98. Major 87th Foot, 1779, and Lieut. Col. in the West Indies, 1782; Ch.-Sec. to the Lord Lieut. [I.], 1794-95; P.C., 1794; P.C. [I.], 1795; Lord Lieut. of co. Dorset, 1803. He *d. unm.* at Dorchester House, Park lane, Midx., 7 March 1808 aged 62, when *all his honours* became *extinct.* (^a) Admon. May 1808.

DORCHESTER (co. Oxford).

Viscounty. "DUDLEY CARLETON, Knt., Vice Chamberlain of the Household and one of the Privy Council," was *cr.* 22 May 1626, to "BARON CARLTON OF IMBERCOURT, co. Surrey," and, 25 July 1628, VISCOUNT DORCHESTER, co. Oxford. (^b) He was 2d s. of Anthony Carlton, of Baldwin Brightwell, Oxon, by his 2d wife, Joyce, da. of John GOODWIN, of Winchington, Bucks, and was *b.* 10 and *hap.* 21 March 1573/4, at Baldwin Brightwell afd; *ed.* at Westm. and at Ch. Ch. Oxford; M.A. 12 July 1600; M.P. for St. Mawes, 1604-11; and for Hastings, 1626-28; Knighted 25 June 1610, at Windsor. He was a most distinguished Diplomatist and Statesman: being five years (1610-15) Ambassador to the States of Venice; nearly ten years (1615/6 to 1625) at Hague to the United Provinces; joint Ambassador to France, Dec. 1625 to March following, &c. P.C. 1625. He was Vice-Chamberlain of the Household 1625 to 1628, in which interval he was raised to the Peerage as above mentioned. He was (being then "Lord Carleton") Ambassador Extraordinary to Paris, July 1626 and to the Hague, April 1627, where he was first Commissioner to invest the Prince of Orange with the Order of the Garter. (^c) He was *cr.* M.A. of Cambridge, 3 March 1627. Princ. Secy. of State, 18 Dec. 1628, till his death. He *m.* firstly, Oct. 1607, Anne, da. and coheir of George GARRARD (2d s. of Sir William G. of Dorney, Bucks), by Margaret, da. of George DACRES of Cheshunt, Herts. Lady Carleton, *d.* 18 and was *bur.* 21 April 1627 in her 42d year in Westm. Abbey. M.I. He *m.* secondly, 14 June 1630, Anne, Dow. VISCOUNTESS BAYNING of SUDBURY, da. of Sir Henry GLENHAM of Glenham, Suffolk, by Anne, da. of Thomas (SACKVILLE), 1st EARL OF DORSET. He *d. s.p.s.* (^d) at his house in Westm., 15 and was *bur.* 19 Feb. 1631/2 in Westm. Abbey, when *all his honours* became *extinct.* Fun. certif. in Coll. of Arms. Will dat. 18 Aug. 1630 to 13 Feb. 1631/2, pr. 4 April 1632. His widow *d.* at Westm., 10 and was *bur.* 31 Jany. 1638/9 at Gosfield, Essex. Her will dat. 1 to 3 Sep. 1638, pr. 15 Jany. 1638/9.

Barony. I. GUY CARLETON, 3d s. of Christopher C. of Newry, I. 1786. *co.* Down, by Catharine, da. of Henry BALL, *b.* 3 Sep. 1724, at Strabane; entered the Army, 1742, serving chiefly in the 1st Foot Guards; Lieut.-Col. 72d Foot, 1758; was wounded at the siege of Quebec, 1759, as also at Belleisle, 1761; Lieut. Gov. of Canada, 1766 to 1770; Governor, 1775 to 1778, effecting a brilliant repulse of the Americans in 1776; nom. **K.B.**, 6 July 1776, inst. 22 May 1779. In 1781, being then a Lieut.-Gen., he was made Commander-in-Chief in America, till the final treaty of peace in 1783. From April 1786 to 1796, he was Governor of Quebec, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, being on 21 Aug. 1786, *cr.* LORD DORCHESTER, BARON OF DORCHESTER, co. Oxford. (^e) In 1793, he

(^a) His sister, Lady Caroline Damer, *b.* 4 May 1752, well known as a sculptor, inherited the estates for her life. She *d. unm.* in 1829, when the estates passed to the children of John (Dawson), 1st Earl of Portarlington [I.], s. and h. of the 1st Viscount Carlow [I.], by Mary, eldest sister of Joseph (Damer), 1st Earl of Dorchester abovenamed. Of these children, two took the name of Damer after that of Dawson.

(^b) See "Creations 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K., Pub. Records.

(^c) See list of the Commissioners for these "Garter Missions," vol. ii, p. 192, note "a," *sub* "Cathcart."

(^d) His widow gave birth to a posthumous da., Frances, *hap.* 27 June 1632, at St. Margaret's, Westm., who *d.* an infant and was *bur.* 2 Jany. 1632/3 at St. Olave's, Hart Street, London.

(^e) Sir Egerton Brydges very appositely remarks ("Collins," vol. viii, p. 116, note "k") that "He seems to have taken the title because it had been used by one of his

became General in the Army, having been Col. of the 15th Dragoons, 1790-1801; of the 27th Dragoons, 1801-02; and of the 4th Dragoons, 1802-08. He was also Gov. of Fort Charlemont [I.], 1777-1808. He *m.* 21 May 1772, at the Bishop of London's Palace, Fulham, Midx., Maria, da. of Thomas (HOWARD), 2d EARL OF EFFINGHAM, by Elizabeth, da. of Peter BECKFORD of Jamaica. He *d.* 10 Nov. 1808, aged 84, at Stubbings, near Maidenhead, Berks, and was *bur.* at Nately Scures, Hants. His widow, who was *b.* 30 and *bap.* 31 Aug. 1753, at Great Bookham, Surrey, *d.* 14 March 1836, aged 82, and was *bur.* as afsd.

II. 1808. 2. ARTHUR-HENRY (CARLETON), BARON DORCHESTER, grandson and h., being only s. and h. of Lieut. Col. the Hon. Christopher Carleton, by Priscilla-Martha, 1st. da. and co-heir of William BELFORD, Capt. in the army, which Christopher was 3rd but 1st surv. s. and h. and h. ap. of the last Lord, but *d. v.p.* 6 Feb. 1806 aged 30. He was *b.* on board ship, in the Madras Roads 20 Feb. 1805, and was *bap.* at the church of St. Helena. He was sometime an officer in the Horse Guard Blue. He *d.* unm. 3 and was *bur.* 2 June 1826 at Nately Scures.

III. 1826. 3. GUY (CARLETON), BARON DORCHESTER, cousin and h. male being 2nd but 1st surv. s. and h. of Lieut. Col. the Hon. George Carleton, by Henrietta da. of Edward KING of Askham Hall, co. York, which George was the 6th s. of the 1st Baron, and was slain at Bergen-op-Zoom, 9 March 1814 aged 32. He was *b.* 25 Oct. and *bap.* 19 Nov. 1811 at Bromley Palace, Kent. He was sometime Lieut. 7th Hussars. He *m.* 12 June 1837, Anne, da. of Thomas W. J. WAUCOPE; she *d.* 7 June 1861, at Greywell Hill, near Odiham, Hants. He *d.* s.p.m., 3 Dec. 1875, at Greywell, afsd. aged 64. Will pr. 3 Feb. 1876, at Winchester, under £18,000.

IV. 1875. 4. DUDLEY-WILMOT (CARLETON), BARON DORCHESTER, cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Rev. the Hon. Richard Carleton, Rector of Nately Scures afsd. by Frances-Louisa, 2nd da. and coheir of Eusebius HORTON, of Catton Hall, co. Derby, which Richard was 7th and yst. s. of the 1st Baron, and *d.* 2 Feb. 1869, aged 77. He was *b.* at Catton, 12 Nov. and *bap.* 20 Dec. 1822 at Croxall, co. Derby; entered the Army, April 1840; served in the Crimea with the Coldstream Guards; Knight of the Medjidee; Col. Nov. 1862 but retired Sep. 1868. He *m.* 27 July 1854, at St. Geo. Han.-sq., Charlotte, 1st surv. da. and coheir of John CAM (HOBHOUSE), BARON BROUGHTON, by Julia Tomasina, 6th da. of George (HAY) 7th MARQUESS OF TWEEDDALE [S.] She was *b.* 31 March 1831.

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 14,521 acres in the counties of Tyrone and Meath and in Hampshire, valued at £2,955 a year.

DORMER OF WYNG.

Barony. I. "ROBERT DORMER, Knt. and Bart., Keeper of the Royal Hawks, Falcons, &c.," was, 30 June 1615, *cr.* BARON DORMER OF WYNG, co. Buckingham.^(a) He was s. and h. of Sir William Dormer of the same, **K.B.** by his 2d wife, Dorothy, da. of Anthony CATESBY, of Whiston, co. Northampton; *suc.* his father 17 May 1575, was knighted 1591, *cr.* a *Baronet* 10 June 1615, and was, 10 days later, *raised to the Peerage* as above stated. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Anthony (BROWNE), 1st VISCOUNT MONTAGU, by his 2d wife, Magdalen, da. of William (DACRE), LORD DACRE DE GILLESLAND. He *d.* 8 Nov. 1616. *Inq. post mortem* 19 Jany. 1616/7. Will pr 1616. His widow's will pr. 1631.

own name, Sir Dudley Carlton, who does not appear to have been related to him." This last fact is quite clear, and as Sir Guy had no territorial interest whatever in Dorchester or the county of Oxford, this assumption must be classed among those exercised by Smith, in 1796 (as to the title of Carrington), by Parker, in 1815 (as to that of Morley), &c., &c., and doubtless, in the not far distant future, to be exercised by "Brown, Jones and Robinson," as to the titles of Montagu, Ranelagh and Rokeby

^(a) See "Creations 1483-1646" in ap. 47th Rep. D. K. Pub. Records.

- II. 1616. 2. ROBERT (DORMER), BARON DORMER OF WYNG, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir William Dormer, by Alice, da. of Sir William MOLYNEUX, Bart., which William (first named) was s. and h. ap. of the last Baron but *d. v. p.* He was aged six years at his grandfather's death in 1616 and was on 2 Aug. 1628, *cr.* VISCOUNT ASCOTT, co. Buckingham, and EARL OF CARNARVON. He was slain at Newbury (*ex parte Regis*) 20 Sep. 1643.
- III. 1643. 3. CHARLES (DORMER), EARL OF CARNARVON, VISCOUNT ASCOTT, and BARON DORMER OF WYNG, only s. and h., *b.* 25 Oct. 1632. He *d.*, s. p. m. s., 25 Nov. 1709, when the *Earldom of Carnarvon* and *Viscounty of Ascott* both became *extinct*.
- IV. 1709. 4. ROWLAND (DORMER), BARON DORMER OF WYNG, cousin and heir male, being s. and h. of Robert Dormer of Grove Park, co. Warwick, by Anne, da. of Rowland EYRE, of Hassop, co. Derby, which Robert was s. and h. of the Hon. Rowland Dormer, of Grove Park, afsd., 2d son of the 1st Baron. He *d.* unm. 27 Sep. 1712, aged 61, and was *bur.* at Budbroke, co. Warwick. M.I.
- V 1712. 5. CHARLES (DORMER), BARON DORMER OF WYNG, cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Charles Dormer of Peterley, Bucks, by Mary, da. of (—) CELLIER, which Charles (*d.* 1677), was 4th s. of the Hon. Robert Dormer of Peterley afsd., (*d.* 1651) 3d s. of the 1st Baron. He, who was *b.* 22 April 1668, *m.* firstly, Catherine, da. and coheir of Edmund FETTIPLACE of Swincombe, Oxon. He *m.* secondly, 7 June 1694, Elizabeth, da. of Richard BIDDULPH of Biddulph, by Ann, da. of Sir Henry GORING, Bart. He *d.* 2 July 1728, and was *bur.* at Great Missenden, Bucks. His widow *d.* at Plowden, and was *bur.* at Ledbury.
- VI. 1728. 6. CHARLES (DORMER). BARON DORMER OF WYNG, s. and h. by 1st wife. He was a Priest in the Church of Rome and never assumed the title. He *d.* unm., 7 March 1761, and was *bur.* at Great Missenden.
- VII. 1761. 7. JOHN (DORMER), BARON DORMER OF WYNG, next br. (of the whole blood) and h., *b.* 2 June 1691. He was of Grove Park, co. Warwick and of Peterley, Bucks. He *m.*, Mary, da. of Sir Cecil BISHOPP, 3d Bart., by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Henry DUNCH. She *d.* 29 Oct., and was *bur.* 2 Nov. 1739, at Great Missenden. He *d.* 7 Oct. 1785, aged 94.
- VIII. 1785. 8. CHARLES (DORMER), BARON DORMER OF WYNG, s. and h., *b.* 30 April 1725, at Parham, Sussex. He *m.* firstly, 9 Aug. 1759, Mary, sister of George, 15th EARL OF SHREWSBURY, da. of George TALBOT, by Mary, da. of Thomas (FITZWILLIAM), 4th VISCOUNT FITZWILLIAM OF MERRION [1]. She, who was *b.* 18 Aug. 1723, at Isleworth, Midx., *d.* 18 May 1753, and was *bur.* at Great Missenden. He *m.* secondly, 23 Jan. 1768, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Elizabeth, widow of Lieut. Col. the Hon. JOHN MORDAUNT, da. of Samuel HAMILTON. She *d.* 15 Sep. 1797. He *d.* 30 March, and was *bur.* 6 April 1804, aged 78, at Bath Abbey. M.I.
- IX, 1804. 9. CHARLES (DORMER), BARON DORMER OF WYNG, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 10 Jan. 1753, at Peterley. He *d.* unm. 2 April 1819.
- X. 1819. 10. JOHN-EVELYN-PIERREPONT (DORMER), BARON DORMER OF WYNG, br. of the half blood and h., being s. of the 8th Baron, by his 2d wife. He was *b.* March 1771, and having conformed to the established Church, took his seat, 28 Feb. 1823, in the House of Lords. (a) He *m.* 20 Nov. 1794 (or 1795),

(a) Altho' this Barony had then existed 200 years, he was the first Peer of his race that, as *Baron Dormer*, had sat in the House of Lords.

For fuller particulars see "CARNARVON," Earldom of, *cr.* 1628; *cr.* 1709.

Elizabeth, 1st da. of William-John KERR, 5th MARQUESS OF LOTHIAN [S.], by Elizabeth, da. of Chichester FORTESCUE. She, who was *b.* 2 Sep. 1765, *d.* 13 Aug. 1822. He *d.* s.p., 9 Dec. 1826.

XI. 1826. 11. JOSEPH-THADDEUS (DORMER), BARON DORMER OF WYNG, cousin and h. male, being the only surv. s. and h. of John Dormer, a gen. in the Austrian service, by Elizabeth, 2nd da. of Gabriel, COUNT BUTTLER, of the Kingdom of Hungary, which John (who *d.* 21 Nov. 1795, aged 65) was the next br. (who left issue) of the 8th Baron. He was *b.* 1 June 1790, at Gran, in Hungary; was an officer in the Austrian Service, &c. He *m.* 5 May 1829, at Tichborne, Hants, Elizabeth Anna, 1st da. and coheir of Sir Henry Joseph TICHBORNE, 8th Bart., by Anne, da. of Sir Joseph BURKE, Bart., of Marble Hill. He *d.* 5 July 1871, at Grove Park, aged 81. Will pr. 25 July 1871, under £16,000. His widow *d.* 4 July 1883, in Chapel street, Park lane, Midx., aged 75. Will pr. 12 Oct. 1883, over £4,000.

XII. 1871. 12. JOHN-BAPTIST-JOSEPH (DORMER), BARON DORMER OF WYNG, s. and h. *b.* 22 May 1830, at Grove Park, afd; ed. at Oscott college; served in the Royal Horse Guards, in the Grenadier Guards, and finally, 1858, in the 74th Foot during the Crimean war and the Indian Mutiny; District Inspector of musketry, 1863-68. He *m.* firstly, 14 June 1866, at St. Geo. Han.-sq., Louisa-Frances-Mary, 1st da. of Edward King TENISON, of Kilonan Castle, co. Roscommon, by Louisa, da. of Thomas-William (ANSON), 1st EARL OF LICHFIELD. She *d.* 9 Sep. 1868, in her 30th year, at Grove Park. He *m.*, secondly, 11 Feb. 1871, Leonie, widow of Count Alfred DE BUEKEN, da. of (—) FORTAMPS, Senator of Belgium. She *d.* in Belgium, 1 Sep. 1883, aged 40. He *m.*, thirdly, 8 Jan. 1885, at the Oratory, Brompton, Midx., Emily-Constance-Campbell, da. of John BALD, of Monzie Castle, co. Perth, and Upper Grosvenor street, Midx.

Family Estates These, in 1883, consisted of 2,246 acres in co. Warwick, and of 1,189 in Bucks. Total 3,435 acres valued at £6,020 a year. *Principal Residence* Grove Park, co. Warwick.

DORNOCK.

i.e. "DOUGLAS OF KINMONT, MIDDLEBIE AND DORNOCK," Barony [S.] (*Douglas*), *cr.* 11 Feb. 1682 with the MARQUESSATE, and again, 3 Nov. 1684, with the DUKEDOM OF QUEENSBERRY [S.] which see.^(a)

DORSET.

["The counties of Somerset and Dorset were originally under the jurisdiction of one Sheriff, hence it has been remarked by Vincent that it was indifferent to an Earl who derived the third penny of the pleas under a writ addressed to the Sheriff, whether he styled himself by the name of one or other of the counties under that Sheriff's authority: consequently we find Osmund, Count of Seez, nephew of William the Conqueror, designated by *both* these titles; and William de Mohun (said to have been made Earl of Dorset by the Empress Maud), in his Charter of the Foundation of Bruton calls himself, *Willus de Moyno, Comes Somersertensis*."—See "Courthope."]

Earldom. OSMUND, COUNT OF SEEZ, in Normandy, s. and h. of I. 1070? HENRY, COUNT OF SEEZ, by Isabella, da. of Robert, DUKE OF NORMANDY, and consequently nephew of William I, King of England, to received from that King the grant of Sherborne and other lands co. Dorset, and is said by some to have been *cr.* EARL OF 1099. DORSET [*Comes Durotrigum*] or EARL OF SOMERSET, about 1070. He was CHANCELLOR to the King about 1075, and consecrated BISHOP OF SALISBURY, 1078. He endowed that See with Sherborne and other his lands and was Founder of the Cathedral of old Sarum. He *d.* unm. 3 Dec. 1099 and was *bur.* at Salisbury when all his honours became *extinct*. He was canonized, 1 Jan. 1457, as "*St. Osmund*."

^(a) See also p. 160, note "b."

[WILLIAM DE MOHUN of Dunster Castle, co. Somerset, &c., s. and h. of William de Mohun, of the same, by Agnes, his wife, distinguished himself in the cause of the Empress Maud, of whose forces 1139-1141, he was Commander and is said to have been *cr.* EARL OF DORSET or SOMERSET, about 1140, calling himself *Will'us de Moyme, Comes Somersetensis* in the charter of the foundation of Brenton Abbey, co. Somerset, in 1142. He *m.* before 1130 and *d.* before 1165. The title however never appears to have been confirmed to him and William de Mohun (*Le Meschin*^(a)), his s. and h. was never deemed entitled thereto.^(b)

The counties of Dorset and Somerset, were in 1189, bestowed with that of Cornwall, by King Richard I on his br. John (PLANTAGENET), EARL OF GLOUCESTER, who is sometimes considered thereby to have become (inter alia) EARL OF DORSET or SOMERSET.^(c) On 6 April 1199, he ascended the throne, as **King John**, when *all his honours merged in the Crown*. See fuller account, under "GLOUCESTER," Earldom of.]

Vincent (p. 474) quotes a charter 14 Aug. (1217), 1 Hen. III, whereby it appears that the *county of Somerset* was given to William (Longespee), Earl of Salisbury, and queries whether he is not shewn to be EARL OF SOMERSET (*Qy. Dorset, or Somerset?*), by the wording thereof.

Marquessate. JOHN (BEAUFORT), EARL OF SOMERSET (so *cr.* 10 Feb.

I. 1397, 1396/7), eldest of the legitimated sons of John (PLANTAGENET, styled "of Gaunt"), DUKE OF LANCASTER, was, 29 Sep. 1397, *cr.* in Parl. to MARQUESS^(d) OF DORSET, but inasmuch as the enrolment of this creation on the Charter Roll is crossed out (with the remark, "*Vacat, quia nichil inde actum est*"), and his creation, by a charter of the same date, as MARQUESS OF SOMERSET, appears a little lower down, the latter would appear to be his most correct designation. As Marquess of *Dorset*, however, he was sum. to Parl. by writs 5 Nov. (1328), 22 Ric. II, to 30 Sep. (1399), 1 Hen. IV; and his wife, under the style of "*Marchioness of Dorset*," was one of the ladies for whom Garter robes were provided at the feast of that Order in 1399^(e). He was however, *degraded*^(f) from the Marquessate, 6 Oct. 1399, by the Parl. (1 Hen. IV), and ever afterwards considered as *Earl of Somerset*, and tho', on 6 Nov. 1402, the Commons petitioned the King to restore him to the name and rank of *Marquess*, he, himself, was opposed to their request on the ground of the name being strange, or foreign ("*estranger*") in this realm^(g), and nothing further was done in the matter. He *d.* 21 April 1410. For fuller particulars of him, see "SOMERSET," Earldom, *cr.* 1397, under the 1st Earl.

(*) *i.e.* "The younger" see vol. ii, p. 223, note "a," *sub* "CHESTER."

(b) According to Milles' "*Catalogue of Honour*," Reginald de Mohun of Dunster (great grandson and h. of the above, who *suc.* his father in 1213, being then a minor), "received his grandfather's [*sic*] dignity of Somerset, which his great-grandfather [*sic*] before had possessed, and was made the second EARL OF SOMERSET, by gift of the Pope, who in King John's time might do what he list in England. The seal or chart of this Reginald hath been seen, concerning the foundation of the Abbey of Nyweham, in which he calleth himself *Reginald de Mohun, Earl of Somerset and Lord of Dunstere*; this was done in the year 1260, 45 Hen. III. But when he died, the honour, which the Pope gave him, *died with him*, and John de Mohun, his son and heir [was] content with the Barony of Dunster." Reginald, the so styled Earl of Somerset, according to "*Brooke*" (*un* contradicted by "*Vincent*") "*lost his title of Earl* in siding with the Barons against King Henry III," and *d.* (1258-59) 43 Hen. III and was *bur.* in the Abbey of Newham. His s. and h. John was the ancestor of the Lords Mohun (of Dunster), 1299-1376.

(c) See p. 66, note "a," *sub* "DERBY," as to the various Earldoms supposed to have been conferred by the grant of 1189.

(d) See a note, *sub* "DUBLIN," as to this being the proper mode of spelling the title of "*Marchio*" when translated into English.

(e) See Beltz's "Order of the Garter," p. 255.

(f) At the same time John (Holand), Duke of Kent, Edward (Plantagenet), Duke of Albemarle [afterwards, 1402, Duke of York], and Thomas (Holand), Duke of Surrey, were similarly degraded.

(g) See the curious entry on the Rolls of Parl. respecting this matter in Courthope's "Observations on Dignities," p. lx. There had been *but one* such creation

Earldom. THOMAS BEAUFORT, br. of the, above, being yst. legitimated son of John (PLANTAGENET, styled "of Gaunt") DUKE OF LANCASTER, was, 5 July 1411, *cr.* EARL OF DORSET. On 18 Nov. 1416, he was *cr.*, for life only, DUKE OF EXETER. He *d.*, s.p., 27 Dec. 1426, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. See fuller account under "EXETER" Dukedom, *cr.* 1416; *ex.* 1426.

III. 1441. I. EDMUND BEAUFORT, Count of Morteign, in Normandy, nephew of the above, being yr. s. of John, 1st MARQUESS OF DORSET abovenamed, was on 28 (or 18)^(a) Aug. 1441, *cr.* EARL OF DORSET "with a grant of the same place^(b) in Parl. as Thomas, late Duke of Exeter and *Earl of Dorset* had used and enjoyed." (*Rot. cart.* 20 Hen.

VI, No. 3.) He was, on 24 June 1442, *cr.* MARQUESS^(c) OF DORSET. By the death, 27 May 1444, of his elder br. John, Duke of Somerset, he became EARL OF SOMERSET (as heir male of his father) and, on 31 March 1448, he was *cr.* DUKE OF SOMERSET. He *d.* 22 May 1455, being slain at the battle of St. Albans.

III. } 1445, 2. HENRY (BEAUFORT), DUKE OF
Earldom. } to SOMERSET [1448], MARQUESS OF DORSET [1442],
IV. } 1463. EARL OF SOMERSET [1397], and EARL OF DORSET [1441], s. and h., *b.* 1436, *attainted* by the Parl. that met 4 Nov. 1461. *Restored* 1463 (*Rot. Parl.* V. 511), but the restoration being declared void by the Parl.

that met 29 April 1463, the *attainder* of 1461 again took effect. He was beheaded at Hexham 15 May 1464.

} Duke of Somerset, Duke of
See fuller account under "SOMERSET," Duke
dom of, *cr.* 1448; *forfeited* 1463.

before this time, 1397, and that had endured but a few months. That one, the *first* Marquessate conferred in England, was DUBLIN, *cr.* 1 Dec. 1385, cancelled the next year, when the recipient, ROBERT (de Vere), Earl of Oxford, was *cr.* Duke of Ireland, 13 Oct. 1386; the *second*, was that of DORSET, or SOMERSET, conferred 1397 on John (Beaufort), Earl of Somerset (but from which he was degraded by Parl. in 1399); the *third*, that of DORSET (again), 1442, on Edmund (Beaufort), Earl of Dorset; and the *fourth*, that of SUFFOLK, 1444, on William (De la Pole), Earl of Suffolk. In 1470 the Marquessate of MONTAGU (5) was bestowed on John (Nevill), Lord Montagu (on his resigning the Earldom of Northumberland); in 1475 (6), that of DORSET (for the third time), on Thomas (Grey), Lord Ferrers of Groby (who had resigned the Earldom of Huntingdon); in 1482, that of BERKELEY (7), on Maurice (Berkeley), Earl of Nottingham; in 1525, that of EXETER (8), on Henry (Courtenay), Earl of Devon; in 1533, that of PEMBROKE (9), on the Lady Anne Boleyn, Queen Consort-Elect; in 1547, that of NORTHAMPTON (10), on William (Parr), Earl of Essex; and in 1551, that of WINCHESTER (which, since 1571, was and still is the *premier* existing Marquessate), on William (Paulet), Earl of Wiltshire. The title of "*Marquess*" does not seem again to have been conferred till, in 1617, George (Villiers), Viscount Villiers, was made Earl and Marquess of Buckingham.

The designation of "*Marchio*" had, from an early period, described the *Lord Marcher* or Governor of a frontier province. As early as the Coronation of Eleanor, Queen Consort of Henry III, John FitzAlan, Ralph Mortimer, John de Monmouth, and Walter Clifford, "*Marchiones de Marchia Wallie,*" claimed, as the *jus Marchie* to carry the canopy.

^(a) "Date ascribed in a patent of 12 Oct. 36 Hen. VI; 1457." [*Courthope*].

^(b) This appears to have been the first grant of precedence embodied in a patent; an earlier instance of precedence (tho' not by patent) was that of the grantee's father John Beaufort, *cr.* Earl of Somerset, 10 Feb. 1397, whom the King "*made sit in his place in Parl.* between the Earls Marshal [Arundel] and Warwick" (*Rot. Parl.* III, p. 343), and consequently above the Earls of Devon, Oxford, Salisbury, Stafford, Derby, and Huntingdon. See vol. i, p. 229, note "a" (*sub* "Banbury") for some account of "Precedency of Peers in Parl. by royal warrant."

^(c) This was the third Marquessate ever bestowed. See p. 146, note "g."

Marquessate. 1. THOMAS (GREY), LORD FERRERS [sometimes, im-
IV. 1475. properly, called LORD GREY], DE GROBY, s. and h. of John, LORD FER-
RERS DE GROBY, (usually known as Sir JOHN GREY) by Elizabeth, (after-
wards **Queen Consort** to King Edward IV.), da. of Richard
(WIDVILLE), 1st EARL RIVERS; *b.* 1451, *suc.* his Father 1460/1; was *cr.* (by his
step-father, Edward IV.), 14 Aug. 1471, EARL OF HUNTINGDON, which title
he shortly afterwards^(a) resigned^(b) to the King, and was as "*Lord Thomas
Grey*" made **K.B.**, 18 April 1475, and *cr.* MARQUESS^(c) OF DORSET "the
same day, after dynner, and so dyned in his habitte."^(d) This creation was
effected "*per cincturam gladii et capce Honoris impositionem.*" The date, however,
of this creation is sometimes given as 30 May 1475. **K.G.**, 1475/6; Constable
of the Tower to Edward V. He appears to have been present at the Corona-
tion of Richard III., 14 July 1483, but only under the style of *Lord Ferrers de
Groby*.^(e) Attainted Jan. 1483/4, escaping to Brittany, restored by Henry VII., Nov.
1485.^(f) He was in command against the French to assist the Emperor Maximilian,
as also against the rebels at Blackheath. He *m.*^(g) before 23 April 1475, Cicely (aged
13 and unm. in 1374) *suo jure* BARONESS HARINGTON and BARONESS BONVILLE, da. and
h. of William (BONVILLE), LORD HARINGTON, by Catherine, da. of Richard (NEVILL),
EARL OF SALISBURY. He *d.* 26 April 1501, and was *bur.* at Astley, co. Warwick.
Will dat. 30 Aug. 1501. His widow *m.* (as his 2d wife) Henry STAFFORD, EARL OF
WILTSHIRE, who *d.* 6 March 1522/3. She *d.* before 2 June 1530, and was *bur.* at
Astley afsd. Will, in which she ignores her second husband, styling herself "*Mar-
quess of Dorset, Lady Haryngton and Bonvyll,*" dat. 6 May 1527; pr. 5 Nov. 1530.

V. 1501. 2. THOMAS (GREY), MARQUESS OF DORSET, and LORD
FERRERS DE GROBY, s. and h., *b.* 22 June 1477; **K.B.**, being then
styled LORD HARINGTON, (*jare matris* tho' his mother was still living), 31 Oct. 1494. He
was sum. to Parl., 17 Oct. 1509, by writ directed "*Thomæ Grey, Domino Ferrers de
Groby,*" but in the parl. of 1511 by writ directed "*Thomæ Grey, Marchioni Dorset.*"
He was Lieut. Gen. of the Army sent to Spain 1512; was one of the 8 Challengers at
the Field of the Cloth of Gold, June 1520; P.C. 1520; Gent of the Privy Chamber,
1523; Lord Warden of the Scotch Marches, and Ch. Justice in Eyre, south of Trent,
1523. He promoted the Kings divorce, as also the impeachment of Cardinal
Wolsey. On the death of his mother, he *suc.* her as LORD HARINGTON and BONVILLE.
He *m.* before 1510, Margaret, widow of William MEDLEY, da. of Sir Robert WOTTON,
of Bocton Malherbe, co. Kent, by Ann, da. of Sir Henry BELKNAP. He *d.* 10 Oct.
1530. Will dat. 2 Dec. 1530, pr. 18 Nov. 1531. His wife is mentioned in his will.

^{a)} The Earldom of Huntingdon was conferred, 4 July 1479, on William Herbert in consideration of his surrender of the Earldom of Pembroke, which had been granted to his Father by a charter of 8 Sep. 1468. See "Creations 1483 to 1646" in ap. 47th Rep. D.K.T. Records, sub. 27 May 1484 being the confirmation of the said charter of 1468 of the Earldom of Huntingdon.

^{b)} As to this resignation the following note is given by Sir N. Harris Nicolas:—
"The word *resigned* is here used, notwithstanding that the Editor [Sir N. H. Nicolas] is well aware of the resolutions of the House of Peers, 1 Feb. 1640, and 18 June 1678, that no surrender of a Patent can be a bar to a claim of the dignity so surrendered; but at the period in question such surrenders were not uncommon, and it is presumed that the expression is correct when applied to a transaction which took place nearly two hundred and fifty years before such was determined to be the law on the subject by the House of Lords."

^{c)} This was the sixth Marquessate ever bestowed. See *ante* p. 146 note "g," sub. "Dorset," *cr.* 1397.

^{d)} Metcalfe's "Knights," p. 4.

^{e)} See a list of those then present, *ante*, p. 8, note "b," sub. "DACRE DE GILLES-LAND."

^{f)} As to the restorations of 1485, see *ante*, p. 106, note "a," sub. "DEVON."

^{g)} He is sometimes said to have *m.*, firstly, the Lady Ann Holand, only child of Henry, Duke of Exeter, by Ann, sister of Edward IV. This young lady, however, probably died in infancy.

VI. 1530, *S. HENRY (GREY), MARQUESS OF DORSET* [1475], LORD to FERRERS DE GROBY [1300], LORD HARRINGTON [1344] and LORD BONVILLE [1449], s. and h. *b.* before 1510; and, apparently, *styled* LORD GREY till 1530. **K.B.**, 30 May 1533; *el. K.G.* 17 Feb. 1546/7, *inst.* 23 May 1547. LORD HIGH CONSTABLE, 18 to 20 Feb. 1547 at the coronation of Edward VI, where he bore the sceptre with the dove; P.C., 1549; Lord Lieut. of Co.'s Leicester and Rutland, 1549; Justice in Eyre, south of Trent, 1550; Warden of the Scotch Marches, 1551. He was, on 11 Oct. 1551, *cr. DUKE OF SUFFOLK* (a). He *m.* firstly, before 1530, Katharine, da. of William (FITZALAN), EARL OF ARUNDEL, by his 2nd wife, Anne, da. of Henry (PERCY), EARL OF NORTHUMBERLAND. Her he repudiated, but she was living in 1552, the date of her mother's will. He *m.* secondly, about 1535, Frances, da. of Charles (BRANDON), DUKE OF SUFFOLK, eldest da. and heir of line to her mother Mary (TUDOR), DOW. QUEEN OF FRANCE, da. of **King Henry VII.** He proclaimed his eldest da., well known as "Lady Jane Grey," as **Queen**, after the death, 6 July 1553, of King Edward VI. He was pardoned for his rebellion, but, having subsequently joined in Wyatt's plot, was (eleven days after the execution of his da.) *beheaded* on Tower Hill 23 Feb. 1554, when, having been attainted, *all his honours became forfeited, the Dukedom of Suffolk and the Marquessate of Dorset becoming, as he d. s.p.m., extinct*, but the various Baronies (b) falling, subject to such forfeiture, *into obedience*. Will pr. 1556; His widow, the Dow. Duchess of Suffolk, *m.* Adrian STOKES, apparently, one of the gentlemen of her household. She *d.* Nov. 1559, and was *bur.* in Westminster Abbey. M.I.(c). Her will dat. 7 pr. 28 Nov. 1559, by her said husband.

Earldom.

1. "THOMAS SACVIL, **K.G.**, BARON OF BUCKHURST, High Treasurer of England," was, 13 March 1603/4, *cr.* EARL OF DORSET (d). He was only s. and h. of Sir Richard SACKVILLE (e), by Winefred, da. of Sir John BRIDGES, Lord Mayor of London in 1520; was *b.* between 1527 and 1536, at Buckhurst in Withyam, Sussex; *ed.* at Oxford (Hart Hall) and at Cambridge Universities; Barrister of the Inner Temple; M.P. for East Grinstead 1557-63, and for Ailesbury 1563-67: was, 8 June 1567, Knighted by the Duke of Norfolk in the Queen's presence at Westminster, and was, the same day, *cr.* BARON OF BUCKHURST, co. Sussex (d). He was *cr.* M.A. of Cambridge 30 Aug. 1571. In 1572 was ambassador to Charles IX of France to congratulate him on his marriage, and was one of the Peers that sentenced the execution of the Duke of Norfolk. P.C., 1585; in Nov. 1586 he conveyed to Mary, Queen of Scots, the confirmation by Parl. of sentence of her death (f). In 1587 he was Ambassador to the States

(a) By the death, 16 July, 1551, of Charles (Brandon) 3rd Duke of Suffolk, br. to his wife, this title had a few weeks before become *extinct*.

(b) Besides the Baronies of Ferrers de Groby, Harrington and Bonville above mentioned he is sometimes credited with a Barony of Astley, of which unquestionably the Lords Ferrers de Groby were representatives. This Barony, if it can be considered a *hereditary peerage*, is of earlier date than any of the others. See *sub.* "Astley" Barony, *cr.* 1295. The sole heirship of all these Baronies would seem to vest, after 1578, in the heirs of Katharine Grey, the Duke's second da., whose representative, the Duke of Buckingham and Chandos *d. s.p.m.*, 26 March 1839, leaving 3 daughters and coheirs, of whom the eldest, *suo jure* Baroness Kinloss [S.], is the *heir of line* of Mary Tudor, sister of Henry VIII.

(c) Her epitaph runs "Nupta *Duci* prius est; uxor post *Armigeri* Strock."

(d) See "Creations, 1483-1646" in ap. 47th Rep. D. K. P. Records.

(e) "Or, as the people called him, *Fill-Sack*, by reason of his great wealth and the vast patrimony he left." See Naunton's *Frag. Regalia*.

(f) "He wrote several poems, besides being (with Thomas Norton) the joint author of '*Gorboduc*,' the first respectable tragedy in the English language. It was acted by the Gentlemen of the Inner Temple, before the Queen, 18 Jan. 1561." See Jesse's "*Stuarts*." The life and character of this Earl are given on no less than 36 pages by Sir Egerton Brydges in "*Collins*," vol. ii, pp. 110-145; truly, as Jesse remarks, "the Earl has no reason to complain of neglect."

(g) He had been named one of the Commissioners for her trial in Oct. 1586 at Fotheringay, but was not present thereat. See the names of the 24 noblemen who were thereon, *ante*, p. 72, note "a," *sub* "Derby."

where the Earl of Leicester was in command ; *el. K.G.* 22 April and *inst.* 18 Dec. 1589 ; Joint Commissioner of the Great Seal, Nov. 1591 to May 1592 ; Chancellor of the Univ. of Oxford, 1591, having been incorporated as M.A. from Cambridge 17 Dec. 1591 ; Lord High Treasurer, 1599 till his death ; Lord High Steward for the trial of the Earl of Essex, &c., 19 Feb. 1601. By James I, soon after his accession, he was in 1604 raised to an *Earldom* as above mentioned. He *m.* in 1555 Cicely da. of Sir John BAKER, of Sissinghurst, co. Kent, sometime Speaker of the House of Commons, by Elizabeth da. of Thomas DINLEY. He *d.* suddenly at the council table at Whitehall 19 April 1608, said, sometimes, to be then aged 81 and was *bur.* the 26 May in Westm. Abbey. Will dated 11 Aug. 1607, *pr.* Jan. 1609. His widow (to whom he had been married above half a century) *d.* 1 Oct. 1615, and was *bur.* in Buckhurst Chapel. M.I. Her will *pr.* Feb. 1616.

V. 1608. 2. ROBERT (SACKVILLE), EARL OF DORSET, &c., s. and h. Matric. at Oxford (Hart Hall) 17 Dec. 1576, and then aged 15 ; M.P. for Lewes, 1588 ; for Sussex, 1592-1608 ; *styled* LORD BUCKHURST 1604-08 ; Joint Lord Lieut. of Sussex, 1608. He *m.* firstly (*lic.* from Bp. of London 4 Feb. 1579/80), Margaret, da. and h. of Thomas (HOWARN), 4th DUKE OF NORFOLK, by his 2d wife Margaret, da. and h. of Thomas (AUDLEY), BARON AUDLEY OF WALDEN. She *d.* 4 Sep. 1591. He *m.* secondly (*lic.* from Bp. of London 11 March 1591/2), Anne, widow of Henry (COMPTON), 1st LORD COMPTON, relict, formerly, of William (STANLEY), LORD MONTEAGLE, 5th da. of Sir John SPENCER of Althorpe, co. Northampton, by Katharine, da. of Sir Thomas KITSON. He *d.* at Dorset House, Salisbury Court, London, 27 Feb. 1608/9 aged 48, and was *bur.* at Withyam afd. M.I. Will dat. 10 Feb. 1608/9, *pr.* March 1609. *Inq. post-mortem* 5 Sep. 1609. His widow *d.* 22 Sep. 1618. Will *pr.* 1618.

VI. 1609. 3. RICHARD (SACKVILLE), EARL OF DORSET, &c., s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 28 March 1589 at Charter House, London ; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 26 July 1605, being then aged 16 ; *styled* LORD BUCKHURST, 1608-09 ; Joint Lord Lieut. of Sussex, 1612. He *m.* 25 Feb. 1608/9 (2 days before his father's death), at her mother's house in Austin Friars, London, Anne (*de jure*), *suo jure* BARONESS CLIFFORD, only da. and h. of George (CLIFFORD), 3d EARL OF CUMBERLAND, by Margaret, da. of Francis (RUSSELL), 2d EARL OF BEDFORD. He *d.* s.p.m.s., on Easter Day, 28 March 1624, being his birthday of 35, and was *bur.* 7 April at Withyam. Will *pr.* 1624. Fun. certif.^(a) His widow (who was *b.* 30 Jan. 1589/90 at Skipton Castle and *bap.* 22 Feb. at Skipton) *m.* (as his 2d wife), 3 June 1630, at Chenies, Bucks, Philip (HERBERT), EARL OF PEMBROKE AND MONTGOMERY (by whom she had no issue), who *d.* 23 Jan. 1650. She *d.* at Brougham Castle, Westmorland, 22 March 1675/6 in her 87th year, and was *bur.* 14 April at St. Lawrence, Appleby. M.I. Will dat. 1 May 1674, *pr.* 3 April 1676^(b)

[THOMAS SACKVILLE, *styled* LORD BUCKHURST, s. and h. ap., *b.* at Knole House, in Sevenoaks, Kent, and *bap.* there 24 Feb. 1619/20. He *d.* there v.p. in his infancy.]

VII. 1624. 4. EDWARD (SACKVILLE), EARL OF DORSET, and BARON BUCKHURST, br. of the whole blood and h. male, *b.* 1590 ; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 26 July 1605 (the same day as his elder br.) being then aged 15. In Aug. 1613, he slew in a duel^(c) Edward (Bruce), Lord Bruce of Kinloss [S.] M.P. for Sussex, 1614 and 1621-22 ; *K.B.*, 3 Nov. 1616, at the creation of the Prince of Wales ; Joint Lord Lieut. of Midx., 1620-22 and 1628-42 ; Joint Lord Lieut. of Sussex, 1624-42 ; *el. K.G.* 15 May and *inst.* 13 Dec. 1625 ; Bearer of the third sword at the Coronation, 2 Feb. 1626 ; P.C., 1626 ; Chamberlain to the Queen Consort, 1628 ; High Steward of the honour of Grafton, 1629 ; Chamberlain of the Household, 1644-46, being one of the Peers in attendance on the King at Oxford and one of those

(a) He was, according to Clarendon, "a man of reckless expenditure. He settled an annuity of £500 on the well-known Venetia Stanley (by whom he had several children), who afterwards *m.* Sir Kenelm Digby.

(b) See fuller account of this celebrated woman, vol. i, pp. 292-293, *sub* "Clifford" Barony, *cr.* 1299, which Barony became vested in her issue by the Earl of Dorset.

(c) See a long and interesting account of this duel in "Collins," vol. ii, pp. 151-157.

who intended in Oct. 1647 to reside with the King at Hampton Court as his Council.^(a) He *m.*, before 2 March 1612, Mary, da. and h. of Sir George CURZON, of Croxall, co. Derby, by Mary, da. and h. of Sir Walter LEVESON, of Lilleshall, co. Stafford. She was Governess to the younger children of King Charles I. Her funeral, 3 Sep. 1645, was at the public expense. He *d.* at Dorset House afsd. 17 July 1652. Admon. 19 May 1653, and 13 April 1661, vacated 13 Nov. 1662.^(b)

VIII. 1652. 5. RICHARD (SACKVILLE), EARL OF DORSET, &c., s. and h., *b.* 16 Sep. 1622, at Dorset House, afsd., and *hap.* 9 Oct. at St. Bride's, Fleet street, being styled LORD BUCKHURST, 1624-52. M.P. for East Grinstead 1640-46, being one of the 59 who voted against the attainer of Lord Strafford; Joint Lord Lieut. of Midx., 1660; Sewer at the Coronation, 23 April 1661; F.R.S., 1665; Joint Lord Lieut. (with his eldest son) of Sussex, 1670. He *m.*, before 1638, Frances, sister and h. of Lionel, 3d Earl, da. of Lionel (CRANFIELD), 1st EARL OF MIDDLESEX, by his 2d wife Anne, da. of James BRETT. He *d.* 27 Aug. 1677, at Knole, and was *bur.* at Withyam afsd. His widow *m.* (lic. 28 June 1679, from Fac. off.) as his 2d wife, the Rt. Hon. Henry POWLE, of Williamstrip, co. Glouc., sometime Master of the Rolls, who *d.* 21 Nov. 1692. She *d.* about 1687. Admon. 13 May 1687, to her said husband.

IX. 1677. 6. CHARLES (SACKVILLE), EARL OF DORSET, EARL OF MIDDLESEX, BARON BUCKHURST, and BARON CRANFIELD, s. and h., *b.* 24 Jany. 1637/8, being styled LORD BUCKHURST till 1677; M.P. for East Grinstead, 1660; Gent. of the Bedchamber, 1668; Envoy to Louis XIV. of France, 1669; Joint Lord Lieut. (with his father) of Sussex, 1670. Having inherited the estates of his maternal uncle, Lionel (Cranfield), Earl of Middlesex (who *d.* s.p. 26 Oct. 1674), he was, 4 April 1675, *cr.* BARON CRANFIELD of Cranfield, co. Midx., and EARL OF MIDDLESEX. He about 2 years afterwards *suc.* his father as Earl of Dorset, &c. Lord Lieut. of Sussex, 1677-1687/8, when he was dismissed by James II.^(c) but was re-appointed in 1689. Bearer of the Queen's sceptre with the dove, 25 April 1685, at the Coronation of James II. He accompanied the Princess Anne in her flight from her father; was P.C. to William III, whose accession he vigorously supported, in whose household he was Lord Chamberlain, 1689 to 1697. He was *el. K.G.*, 2 and *inst.* 24 Feb. 1691/2, and was one of the Lords Justices of the Realm, during the King's absence therefrom in 1695, 1696, 1697 and 1698^(d); F.S.A., 1699 &c. He *m.* firstly, June 1674, Mary, widow of Charles (BERKELEY), EARL OF FALMOUTH (who was killed in fight, 3 June 1665), da. of Col. Hervey LANE, of Pipe Hall, co. Warwick, by his first wife, Dorothy, da. of Sir Henry ARDEN of Pipe Hall afsd. She *d.* about 1679; Admon. 10 May 1679^(e). He *m.* secondly, 7 March 1685, Mary, da. of James (COMPTON), 3d EARL OF NORTHAMPTON, by his 2d wife, Mary, da. of Baptist (NOEL), VISCOUNT CAMPDEN. She, who was one of the Ladies of the Bedchamber to Queen Mary, *d.* 6 Aug. 1691. He *m.* thirdly, 27 Oct. 1704, Anne, "Mrs. ROCHE," said to have been "a woman of very obscure connections."^(f) He *d.* 29 Jany. 1705/6 at Bath, and was *bur.* 17 Feb. at Withyam afsd.^(g) Will *pr.* May 1707. His widow *d.* Aug. 1706. Will *pr.* Aug. 1706.

(a) These Peers were the Duke of Richmond, the Marquess of Hertford, the Marquess of Ormond [I.], the Earl of Southampton, the Earl of Dorset, and Lord Seymour; their intention was, however, frustrated by the army.

(b) According to Clarendon "his person [was] beautiful and graceful and vigorous; his wit pleasant, sparkling, and sublime, and his other parts of learning of that lustre that he could not miscarry; the vices he had were of the age, which he was not stubborn enough to contemn or resist."

(c) See a list of the Lord Lieuts. so dismissed, vol. i, p. 28, note, "a," *sub* "Abingdon."

(d) See a list of these Lords Justices, p. 115, note "c.," *sub* "Devonshire."

(e) De Grammont says of her that she "was the only one, who was really possessed of virtue and beauty among these Maids of Honour," while Dryden is extremely severe both on her whom he calls "a teeming widow, but a barren wife," as, also, on her husband.

(f) Wraxall's Memoirs, vol. iii, p. 136.

(g) His character has been more written about than that of most people: Walpole says that "He was the finest gentleman in the voluptuous court of Charles II, and in

X. 1706. 7 and 1. LIONEL-CRANFIELD (SACKVILLE), EARL OF
 Dukedom. DORSET, EARL OF MIDDLESEX, &c., only s. and h. by 2d wife (b.
 I. 1720. 18 Jan'y. 1687/8; being styled LORD BUCKHURST, till 1706; Lord
 Warden of the Cinque Ports, 1708-12 and 1714-17; Envoy to
 Hanover, Aug. 1714, to notify the death of Queen Anne to George I,
 to whom, that year he was Lord of the Bedchamber, P.C., and bearer of the sceptre
 with the cross, at the Coronation, 20 Oct.; el. **K.G.**, 16 Oct. and inst. 9 Dec. 1714.
 He was *cr.* DUKE OF DORSET, 17 June 1720^(a); Lord Steward of the Household,
 1725-30 and 1738-1745, being in the interval, LORD LIEUT. OF IRELAND, 1730-37;
 Lord President of the Council, 1741-51 and, again, LORD LIEUT. OF IRELAND, 1751-55.
 Master of the Horse, 1755-60. At the Coronation of Geo. II, 11 Oct. 1727, he was
 Lord High Steward of England, and bearer of King Edward's Crown, having been
 one of the Lords Justices of the Realm, during the absence of the King in Hanover,
 1725, 1727, 1740, 1743, 1745, 1748 and 1752. He was *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 15 Sep.
 1730; Lord Lieut. of Kent, 1746; Major-General in the Army, 1755. He m. 1st Jany.
 1708/9, Elizabeth, da. of Lieut.-Gen. Walter-Philip COLYEAR, br. to David, 1st EARL
 OF PORTMORE [S.] He d. at Knole, 10 and was *bur.*, 19 Oct. 1765, at Withyam afd.
 His widow who was Maid of Honour to Queen Anne, and first Lady of the Bed-
 chamber and Mistress of the Robes to Caroline the Queen Consort, both as Princess
 of Wales and Queen, d. 12 June 1768 and was *bur.* 18th at Withyam.

Dukedom. }
 II. } 1765. 2 and 8. CHARLES (SACKVILLE), DUKE OF
 Earldom. } DORSET, s. and h., b. 6 and *bap.* 25 Feb. 1710/1 at St.
 XI. } Martin's in the Fields, Midx.; being styled LORD BUCK-
 HURST till 1720, and EARL OF MIDDLESEX 1720-65; ed. at
 Westm. School; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 27 Nov. 1728;
cr. M.A. (his father being then *cr.* D.C.L.) 15 Sep. 1730;
 M.P. for East Grinstead 1734-42, for Sussex 1742-47, for Sarum 1747-54, and for
 East Grinstead (again) 1761-65; a Lord of the Treasury, 1743-47; Master of the Horse
 to the Prince of Wales, 1747-51; P.C., 1766; Lord Lieut. co. Kent, 1766. He m., in
 Arlington Street, in 1744, Grace, only da. and h. of Richard (BOYLE), 2d and last
 VISCOUNT SHANNON [1.], by his 2d wife, Grace, da. and coheir of John SENHOUSE, of
 Netherhall, co. Cumberland. She, who was Mistress of the Robes and a Lady of the
 Bedchamber to the Princess of Wales from 1743 till her death, d. 10 and was *bur.* 17
 May 1763 at Walton-on-Thames, Surrey. His Grace d. s.p. 5 and was *bur.* 11 Jany.
 1769 at Withyam. Admon. 19 May 1770.

Dukedom. }
 III. } 1769. 3 and 9. JOHN-FREDERICK (SACKVILLE), DUKE
 Earldom. } OF DORSET, &c., nephew and h., being only s. and h. of
 XII. } Lord John-Philip Sackville, by Frances, da. of John
 (GOWER), 1st EARL GOWER, which John-Philip was next
 br. to the last Duke and d. 3 Dec. 1765 aged 52. He was
 b. 25 March and *bap.* at St. James' Westm. 24 April 1745;
 ed. at Westm; M.P. for Kent 1768-69; Lord Lieut. co. Kent, 1769-97; Col. in
 the Army (during service) 1779; P.C., 1782; Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard,
 1782-83; AMBASSADOR to Paris, 1783-89; el. **K.G.** 9 April 1788, but never installed;
 Lord Steward of the Household, 1789. He m. 4 Jany. 1790, at Knole in Sevenoaks,
 Arabella-Diana, 1st da. and coheir of Sir Charles COPE, 2d Bart. (of Brewern), by
 Catherine, da. of Sir Cecil BISHOP, Bart. He d. 19 July 1799 aged 54 and was *bur.*

the gloomy one of King William. He had as much wit as his first Master or, his
 contemporaries, Buckingham and Rochester, without the *Royal* want of feeling, the
Duke's want of principles or the *Earl's* want of thought." Bishop Burnet writes of
 him, when above 50 (Dean Swift's remarks thereon being given *in italics*), as "of
 great learning [*small or none*] extremely witty, &c., one of the pleasantest companions
 in the world [*not of late years, but a very dull one*] when he likes his company. He is
 very fat and troubled with the spleen." He will any how be remembered as having
 had for some time the well known Nell Gwynn under his "protection" (who spoke
 of him as *her* Charles the First) and as the author of the spirited song, "To all ye
 Ladies now at land, we men at sea indite," &c.

(a) The preamble to the patent is printed in "Collins," vol. ii, p. 175.

at Witham. Will pr. Aug. 1799.^(a) His widow^(b) *m.* 7 April 1801, at Dorset House St. Margaret's Westm., Charles (WHITWORTH), EARL WHITWORTH, who *d.* (shortly before her) 13 May 1825, aged 70. She *d. s.p.* 1 Aug. 1825, at Knole, and was *bur.* at Witham, the expense of her funeral being estimated at £2,000. Will pr. Sep. 1825.

Dukedom. }
IV. } 1799. } 4 and 10. GEORGE - JOHN - FREDERICK (SACKVILLE), DUKE OF DORSET, &c., only s. and h., *b.* 15 Nov 1793 and *hap.* 30 Dec. at Knole afsd., being styled EARL OF MIDDLESEX till 1799; *ed.* at Harrow and at Ch. Ch. Oxford; *matric.* 23 Oct. 1810; *cr.* M.A. 30 June 1813. He *d. unm.* 14 Feb. 1815 in his 22d year, being killed by a fall while out hunting at Lord Powerscourt's, near Killiney, co Dublin, he being then on a visit to his stepfather (Lord Whitworth), the Viceroy. He was *bur.* at Witham afsd. Admon. Aug. 1815.

Dukedom. }
V } 1815, } 5 and 11. CHARLES (SACKVILLE-GERMAINE),
to }
Earldom. } 1843. } DUKE OF DORSET [1720], EARL OF DORSET [1604], EARL OF MIDDLESEX [1675], VISCOUNT SACKVILLE OF DRAYTON [1782], BARON BUCKHURST [1567], BARON CRANFIELD [1675], and BARON BOLEBROOKE [1782], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of George, 1st VISCOUNT SACKVILLE, by Diana, 2d da. and coheir of John SAMBROOKE, which George (better known as Lord George Germaine) was 3d and yst. s. of the 1st Duke of Dorset. He was *b.* 27 Aug. and *hap.* 25 Sep. 1767, at St. James' Westm.; *ed.* at Westm. School; *suc.* his Father, 26 Aug. 1785, as Viscount Sackville and Baron Bolebrooke, and *suc.* his cousin, 30 years later, in the Dukedom, &c. He was Bearer of the Sword of State at the Coronation, 19 July 1821; P.C. 1821; Master of the Horse, 1821-27, and again Jany. to April 1835; K.G., 30 Jany. 1826. He *d. unm.* 29 July 1843, when *all his honours* became extinct. Will pr. Aug. 1843.

Family Estates...Knole Park in Sevenoaks, &c., with the chief of the Sackville property devolved, in 1815, on the two sisters and coheirs of the 4th Duke. Of these, the eldest, the Countess of Plymouth *d. s.p.*, 20 July 1864; while the youngest, the Countess of Delawarr, was *cr.* Baroness Buckhurst (with a spec. rem.) in 1864, and *d.* 1870, when the estate of Knole passed, firstly, to her 3d son, Reginald, Lord Buckhurst, but secondly (after his succession, in 1873, to the Earldom of Delawarr) to her 4th son, Mortimer, who was *cr.* in 1876, Baron Sackville of Knole.

The property of the 5th and last Duke consisted of Drayton House, near Thrapstone, and about 5,000 acres in Northamptonshire valued at some £9,000 a year) formerly the property of the family of Germaine, from whom it passed in 1769 by devise to the 1st Viscount Sackville, the father of that Duke. On his Grace's death in 1843 it passed to his niece, Mrs. Stopford-Sackville, the only da. and h. of his only brother.

DOUGLAS.

Earldom [S.] I. SIR WILLIAM DOUGLAS, of Douglas,^(c) only surv. s. of Sir Archibald Douglas, REGENT OF SCOTLAND (April to July 1333), by Beatrice, da. of Sir Alexander LINDSAY, of Crawford, having by the resignation of his uncle, Hugh Douglas, 26 May 1342 (confirmed by the King) obtained the vast estates of the Douglas family (formerly held by the well known Sir James Douglas, "the Good" slain in Spain, 25 Aug. 1330, elder br. of Hugh and Archibald above named), attained full age about 1348, distinguished himself (1346-56) against the English in Scotland; slew his kinsman, William

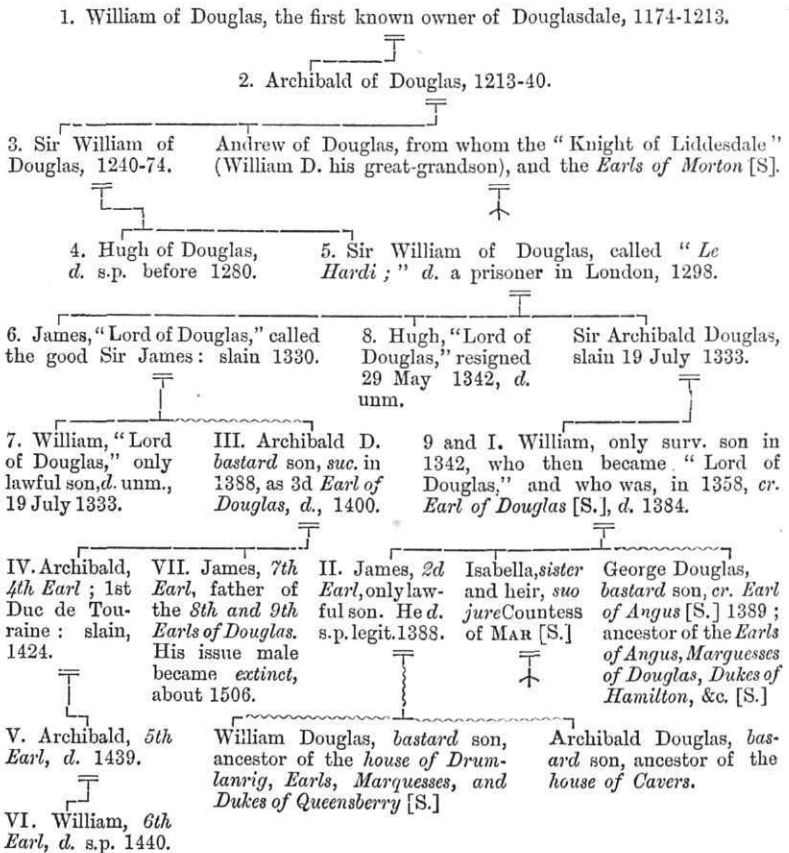
^(a) As to his love for "cricket," see vol. i, p. 352, note "a," *sub* "Bessborough."

^(b) She claimed the precedence of a Duchess at a state banquet at Carlton House given by the Prince Regent, which was refused to her on account of her remarriage; following the precedent of Juliana, sometime Dow. Duchess of Leeds, who, being (1761) the wife of the Earl of Portmore [S.], claimed to walk as a Duchess at the Coronation of George III, but was refused such status.

^(c) See "The Douglas Book," vol. i, p. 233. This truly magnificent work, by Sir William Fraser, is in four vols. 4to, Edinburgh, 1885, with copious illustrations.

Douglas, "*the Knight of Liddesdale*," in Aug. 1353, and was wounded 19 Sep. 1356, at the battle of Poitiers.^(a) He was present at the Parl. held at Edinburgh, 20 Sep. 1357, and was one of the eight nobles of whom three were to place themselves in the hand of the English on the release of King David II. [S.] He was, shortly afterwards, *cr.* 26 Jan. 1357/8,^(b) EARL OF DOUGLAS [S.] He attended the Coronation of King Robert II. [S.] at Scone, 26 March 1371 ;^(c) was Warden of the Marches, obtaining several successes against the English, and bringing Teviotdale into perfect subjection. Having *m.*, probably about Nov. 1357 (his only wife) Margaret, only da. of Donald, EARL OF MAR [S.], by Isabel STEWART, which Margaret, by the death of

(a) TABULAR PEDIGREE OF THE HOUSE OF DOUGLAS.



(b) This far-famed Earldom was the *second* created "since the extinction [1290] of the Celtic dynasty;" the Earldom of Moray (of which the date probably is 1312) being the *first*, while the Earldom of Crawford (1398) was the *third*. See vol. ii, p. 408, note "d," *sub* "Crawford."

(c) See *sub* "Angus" vol. i, p. 100, (in a *sub note* to note "f") for some remarks as to the prerogatives claimed by the Douglas family and the vast importance of that race during the 15th century.

her br. Earl Thomas, shortly after 22 Oct. 1373, became *suo jure* COUNTESS OF MAR [S.], the Earl, her husband (as early as 21 June 1374), assumed in her right that Earldom in addition to his own.^(a) The EARL OF DOUGLAS AND MAR *d.* in May 1384 and was *bur.* at Melrose. His widow *m.* between 1385 and 27 July 1388, Sir John SWINTON, of Swinton, who after the death of his son-in-law, Earl James, in 1388, is styled "*Lord of Mar.*" She was alive 5 Dec. 1389, and, apparently 18 March 1390/1, but *d. s.p.m.s.* before 22 Nov. 1395.

II. 1384. 2. JAMES (DOUGLAS), EARL OF DOUGLAS [S.], and usually styled (*jure matris*) EARL OF MAR [S.], only s. and *h., b.* about 1358; knighted by his father 1378 at a battle near Melrose. He made an incursion into England as far as York, taking prisoner the renowned "Hotspur" (s. and *h. ap.* of the Earl of Northumberland), but was slain at the battle of Otterburn (Chevy Chase) 19 Aug. 1388. He *m.* (dispensation 24 Sep. 1371), the Lady Isabel STEWART, da. of King Robert II. [S.], by his 2d wife, Euphemia, da. of Hugh, EARL OF ROSS [S.] The Earl of Douglas and Mar *d. s.p.s. legit.*^(b) as *afsd.*, when the right to the *Earldom of Mar* [S.] devolved (after the death of his mother) on his only sister,^(c) as heir of line (see that dignity) but the *Earldom of Douglas* followed the course of the Douglas estates^(d) (which had been erected into a *comitatus*) and devolved on his kinsman, as stated below, in consequence of an entail made by the 1st Earl in the event of failure of lawful heirs male of his body. His widow *m.* before 1390 Sir John EDMONSTONE, of Duntreath, and *d.* about 1410.

III. 1388. 3. ARCHIBALD (DOUGLAS), EARL OF DOUGLAS [S.], Lord of Galloway, &c., called "*The Grim,*"^(e) Kinsman of the 1st Earl, of whose uncle, "the good Sir James Douglas" abovementioned, he was an illegit. son. He was *b.* about 1325; was with the Earl, his cousin, at the battle of Poitiers, 19 Sep. 1356, and greatly distinguished himself in various inroads against the English. Under the settlement of May 1342, whereby the Douglas lands were entailed on the 1st Earl and his issue male, with divers remainders, he *suc.* thereto and, in consequence (apparently) to the *Earldom*, in 1388, on the failure of such *legit.* male issue.^(f) He concluded a truce with the English; 16 July 1390, defending the castle of Edinburgh against them in Aug. 1400. He *m.* (dispensation, 23 July 1361 or 1362) Joanna, da. and *h.* [some say widow] of Sir Thomas MORAY, Lord of Bothwell, ("Panetarius Scotiæ,") by whom he acquired that Lordship.^(f) He

^(a) He appears as "Earl of Douglas and Mar" in the Court roll of King Richard II. in 1377, but, four years later (in the rolls of 1381-2), he appears as "Earl of Douglas" only. In 1380-1, however, he is called "Earl of Douglas and Mar," when mentioned as witness to two charters.

^(b) He left two illegit. sons, *viz.* (1) William Douglas, ancestor of the noble house of Queensberry, and (2) Archibald, ancestor of the family of Douglas of Cavers, Hered. Sheriffs of Teviotdale; but his most noted relative was his *bastard* brother, George Douglas, an illegit. s. of the first Earl by Margaret, *suo jure* Countess of Angus [S.], which George was in 1389 himself *cr.* Earl of Angus [S.], being ancestor of the Earls of Angus, afterwards (1761) Dukes of Hamilton [S.], &c. On the death of the 2d Earl of Douglas, in 1388, the *legitimate* head of the house would seem to be the family of Douglas of Dalkeith, Aberdour, &c., ancestors of the Earls of Morton [S.], so *cr.* 1458; but unquestionably (in spite of their bastard origin) the Earls of Douglas, and, after their extinction, the Earls of Angus were *considered* as being such head.

^(c) This sister Isabel, *suo jure* Countess of Mar, *d. s.p.* 1408, being the last legit. descendant of the 1st Earl; at her death the representation of the Douglas family as *heir general* devolved on Sir James Sandilands, of Calder, descended from Eleanor, Dow. Countess of Carrick [S.], by her second husband James Sandilands which Eleanor was only sister to the 1st Earl Douglas and was living 1376 as wife of Sir Patrick Hepburn of Hales.

^(d) The (apparently) *territorial* devolution of this Earldom (as a Peerage dignity) at this comparatively late date is a powerful argument against the views held by Lord Mansfield on that subject.

^(e) See tabular pedigree on p. 154, note "a."

^(f) The arms of Moray, which were 3 stars, he is (sometimes) said to have introduced on the (*azure*) chief of his own family arms. It is, however, pointed out by Mr. Joseph Bain, F.S.A., that the stars "certainly appear on the seal of William

d. (having survived his Father 70 years) on Christmas Eve, 1400 at Threave, (anciently Treif) and was *bur.* at Bothwell.^(a) His widow, living Jany. 1403, was probably dead in Aug. 1409.

IV. 1400. 4. ARCHIBALD DOUGLAS, EARL OF DOUGLAS [S.], Lord of Galloway, Wigton, &c., s. and h., *b.* about 1370, was in command at an invasion of England in 1401; as also at the battle of Homildon, where he was wounded in 5 places, 14 Sep. 1402, and again at the battle of Shrewsbury, where he was taken prisoner, as also in other expeditions till 1420. In 1409 he obtained the Lordship of Annandale. Being made Lieut. Gen. in the French service, he was by Charles VII of France, *cr.* DUKE OF TOURAINE (a Peerage-Duchy) in that Kingdom, 19 April 1424, with a grant of the Duchy to him and the heirs male of his body, but was slain a few months later at the battle of Verneuil, fighting against the Duke of Bedford. He *m.*, about 1390, Lady Margaret STEWART, 1st da. of King Robert III [S.], then EARL OF CARRICK [S.], by Annabella, da. of Sir John DRUMMOND. He *d.* as afsd. 17 Aug. 1424, and was *bur.* in the church of St. Gratian, at Tours, the capital of his Duchy. His widow, who had the life rent of the Lordship of Galloway, was living as late 26 Jany. 1449/50, but *d.* before Sep. 1456, and was *bur.* at Lincluden Church. M.I.

V. 1424. 5. ARCHIBALD (DOUGLAS), EARL OF DOUGLAS [S.] also DUKE OF TOURAINE, in France, Lord of Galloway, Wigton, Annandale, &c., only surv. s. and h., *b.* about 1390; and called EARL OF WIGTOUN [S.], as early as 1410; accompanied the Scotch in 1420 into France, and fought at the battle of Baugé, 1421. He was in his Father's lifetime (under the name of *Earl of Wigton*), *cr.* by Charles VII, King of France, COUNT OF LONGUEVILLE, in Normandy, receiving the territory thereof. He was one of the Ambassadors to England for the ransom of James I [S.], in 1424, on whose death, in 1427, he was one of the REGENTS of the Kingdom, and next year, 1438, LIEUT.-GEN. OF THE KINGDOM, summoning, as such, a Parl. for Nov. 1438. He *m.* (probably in 1424) before 26 April 1425,^(b) Euphemia, da. of Euphemia, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF STRATHERN [S.] by Sir Patrick GRAHAM. He *d.* of a fever, 26 June 1439, at Restaerig, and was *bur.* at St. Bride's, Douglas M.I.^(c) His widow *m.* (dispensation March 1440) as his first wife James (HAMILTON), 1st LORD HAMILTON [S.], who *d.* 19 Nov. 1479. She *d.* between Nov. 1468 and May 1469, when the Lordship of Bothwell, which had been settled on her in 1425, fell to the Crown.

VI. 1439. 6. WILLIAM (DOUGLAS), EARL OF DOUGLAS [S.], also DUKE OF TOURAINE and COUNT OF LONGUEVILLE in France. s. and h., aged but 14 when he *suc.* his Father. His power, greater than that of any other subject, tempted him to defy the government, and he and his only br. (David Douglas) were, after a brief trial, convicted of high treason and *beheaded* within Edinburgh Castle 24 Nov. 1440. He *d.* s.p. tho' married (or possibly only affianced) to Janet ^(d), da.

of Douglas in 1296-7; see *Calendar*, vol. ii, No. 909," and that as the Douglas race came not improbably originally from the province of Moray, "hence possibly the *stars* which are used by many of those northern families."

^(a) Of his daughters, the Lady Marjory *m.* Feb. 1400, at Bothwell Church, David (STEWART), DUKE OF ROTHSAY, Prince of Scotland, who *d.* s.p. and v.p. 27 March 1402.

^(b) He is generally credited with a previous wife, viz., Matilda, da. of David (Lindsay), 1st Earl of Crawford [S.], but this has been disproved. See Preface to "*Exchequer Rolls*," [S.] vol. vii, (1884).

^(c) The date of 1438 on his M.I. is, apparently, an error. He is called therein, "Duke of Touraine, Earl of Douglas and Longueville, Lord of Galloway, Wigtown and Annandale," &c.

^(d) There is a great confusion in the Exchequer Rolls [S.] as to this Lady, who in 1465 and 1469 is called therein "*Margaret Lyndesay, Countess of Douglas*;" in 1472 "*Janet, widow of William, Earl of Douglas*," and in 1477 "*Margaret Lindsay, formerly Countess of Douglas*." Mr. Burnett, Lyon King of Arms, in his able preface to vol vii of these Rolls (p. lxxiii) shews conclusively that all these refer to the same Lady, viz., to Janet, widow of William, 6th Earl of Douglas, da. of the second Earl of Crawford [S.]

of Alexander (LINDSAY), 2nd EARL OF CRAWFORD [S.]. At his death the *French honours* became *extinct*, while as to the Scotch honours and estates, all of which ought to have been forfeited, the Lordship of Annandale (granted to the 4th Earl and his issue male) passed to the Crown, as also (subject to the life interest therein of Margaret, the old Dow. Countess) did the Lordship of Bothwell, while (probably owing to the weakness of the Government, or to an arrangement with the Earl of Avondale) the great Lordship of Galloway was allowed to devolve (subject to her mother's life rent) on the Earl's sister (thence called "the fair maid of Galloway,") and the Earldom itself and other property on the heir *male* (as mentioned below) just as if there had been no attainer. His widow was living 1473.

VII. 1440. 7. JAMES (DOUGLAS), EARL OF DOUGLAS and EARL OF AVONDALE [S.], called "*The Gross*," great uncle and h. male, being the second s. of Archibald, the 3rd Earl. He was of Balveny &c., co. Banff; was on the trial, 1425, of the Duke of Albany [S.]; was Warden of the Marches, and was about 1437 *cr.* EARL OF AVONDALE [S.] having charter of lands in Peebles, 22 Dec. 1439 (confirmed 20 Sep. 1440 by royal charter), as "*Earl of Avondale and Lord of Balveny*," a few months before he *suc.* to the Earldom of Douglas. He is said to have *m.*, firstly, Beatrix, da. of Robert (STEWART), DUKE OF ALBANY [S.], the Regent, by his 1st wife, Margaret, *suo jure* Countess of MENTEITH [S.]. If so, she *d. s.p.* about 1424. He certainly *m.* before 7 March 1425/6, Beatrix, da. of Henry (SINCLAIR), EARL OF ORKNEY [S.]^(a). He *d.* 10 or 24 March 1443/4, and was *bur.* at Douglas. M.I. His widow was living June 1455, at which date she (with her 3 eldest surviving sons) was *attainted*. She appears to have *d.* in England before 8 Feb. 1463.

VIII. 1443. 8. WILLIAM (DOUGLAS), EARL OF DOUGLAS and EARL OF AVONDALE [S.], Lord of Balveny, &c., s. and h., *b.* about 1425; Knighted 16 Oct. 1430. From 1443 to 1449 he was in great favour with James II [S.], and was made LIEUT.-GEN. OF THE KINGDOM, twice defeating the superior forces of the English. In 1450 he, with above 100 followers, celebrated the Jubilee at Rome. He *m.* (dispensation 24 July 1444, grant of marriage 2 Feb. 1449/50) his cousin Margaret, "*the fair maid of Galloway*," sister and h. of William (DOUGLAS), 6th EARL OF DOUGLAS [S.] abovenamed, obtaining (not, however, till, 2 Feb. 1449/50, the gift of such marriage under the Great Seal. Joining with the Earl of Crawford and others against the Court party and the all-powerful Chancellor Crichton, he was treacherously stabbed by the King himself in Stirling Castle 22 Feb. 1451/2. He *d. s.p.* His widow *m.* (dispensation 26 Feb. 1452/3) his br. James, the 9th EARL OF DOUGLAS [S.], but obtaining a divorce from him soon after 1455, *m.*, as his first wife, about 1460, John (Stewart), 1st EARL OF ATHOLE [S.], who *d.* 19 Sep. 1512. On this marriage the King granted them the Lordship of Balveny^(b) and other forfeited estates of the Douglas family. She was living 22 Jan. 1472/3, but *d.* in or before 1475.

IX. 1452, 9. JAMES (DOUGLAS), EARL OF DOUGLAS and EARL OF
to AVONDALE [S.], Lord of Balveny, &c., styled *Heriot-Muir*, br. and h.
1455. He at first endeavoured to revenge his brother's murder, but was
reconciled Aug. 1452. Having, however, joined the Duke of
York (then in rebellion against Henry VI), he accused the
King openly of the murder and defied him, with some 40,000
men in 1454. By the desertion of Lord Hamilton and others
these all dispersed, the Earl fled into Annandale, and was *attainted* by
Act 10 and 12 June 1455, when *all his honours* became *forfeited*^(c). He escaped

(a) It is uncertain whether she was da. of Henry, the 1st Earl, who *d.* about 1400, or of Henry, the 2nd Earl, who *d.* before 1418.

(b) See some account of Balveny, vol. i, p. 185, note "e," *sub* "Athole."

(c) Thus ended the historic title of *Earl of Douglas*, which had existed but 98 years, during which it had been held by no less than *nine* persons, an average of but eleven years' tenure to each. There were no less than seven sons of the 7th Earl, all of whom *d. s.p.*, *viz.*: (1) William, the 8th Earl; (2) James, the 9th and last Earl;

into England, where, on the accession of Edward IV, he was received with great favour, receiving a pension and being *cr. K.G.* about 1461. The Parl. [S.] offered in 1482 a reward for his capture and death. He joined the Duke of Albany [S.] in an invasion of Scotland, but was defeated and taken prisoner, 22 July 1484, near Lochmaben. He was sentenced to become a monk at Lindores Abbey, where within four years time he died. He *m.* firstly (dispensation 26 Feb. 1452/3) the widow of his brother, the late Earl, which Lady obtained a divorce from him when his forfeiture made him no longer a desirable partner. [See particulars of her, under the late Earl.] When in England he *m.* secondly, Ann, widow of Sir John NEVILL (slain 1461), relict formerly of John NEVILL, styled LORD NEVILL, da. of John (HOLAND), DUKE OF EXETER, by his 2d wife Anne, da. of John (MONTACUTE), EARL OF SALISBURY. She *d.* 25 Dec. 1486, being mother of Ralph, Earl of Westmorland, her s. and h., then aged 30^(a). The Earl's death is given as 15 April 1488, but also as occurring after that of King James III [S.] on 11 June in that year. He was *bur.* at Lindores Abbey.

Marquessate [S.] 1. WILLIAM (DOUGLAS), EARL OF ANGUS [S.], s.

I. 1633. and h. of William, the 10th Earl, by Elizabeth, da. of Lawrence (OLIPHANT), 7th LORD OLIPHANT [S.], *suc.* his Father 3 March 1611. The hospitality and grandeur kept by him at the Castle of Douglas is said to have exceeded that of any other nobleman in the realm. He was Chief Lieut. on the Borders. Having resigned his claim (as Earl of Angus) "*to the privilege and prerogative of the first sitting and voting*" in Parliament on the 13th ^(b), he was, on the 14 June 1663, *cr.* MARQUESS OF DOUGLAS, EARL OF ANGUS, LORD ABERNETHY AND JEDBURGH FOREST [S.], with rem. to his heirs male and successors for ever. He joined the Marquess of Montrose in 1643, but capitulated soon after with the ruling powers. He was fined £1,000 by Cromwell's act of grace in 1654. He *m.* firstly, in 1601, Margaret, sister of James, 1st EARL OF ABERCORN [S.], da. of Claude (HAMILTON), 1st LORD PAISLEY [S.] by Margaret, da. of George (SETON), LORD SETON [S.]. She *d.* 11 Sep. 1623, aged 38. M.I. He *m.* secondly, 15 Sep. 1632, Mary, 3rd da. of George (GORDON), 1st MARQUESS OF HUNTLY [S.] by Henrietta, da. of Esme (STUART), DUKE OF LENNOX [S.]. He *d.* 19 Feb. 1660 in his 71st year, and was *bur.* at Douglas. M.I. His widow *d.* 1674, in her 64th year.

[ARCHIBALD DOUGLAS, styled "LORD DOUGLAS, MASTER OF ANGUS" 1613, but, after 1633, styled EARL OF ANGUS 1st s. and h. ap. by 1st wife; ^(c) *b.* about 1609; was an extraordinary Lord of Session [S.] 9 Feb. 1639, continued by act of Parl. 13 Nov. 1641; High Chamberlain at the Coronation [S.], 1 Jan. 1651, of Charles II, by whom, 3 April 1651, he was *cr.* EARL OF ORMOND, LORD BOTHWELL AND HARTSIDE [S.], with rem. to the heirs male by his second marriage^(d). He, like his Father, was fined £4,000 by Cromwell's act of Grace, 1654. He *m.* firstly (contract Nov. 1629 and May 1630) Anne, 2nd da. of Esme (STUART), 3rd DUKE OF LENNOX [S.], by Katharine, *suo jure* BARONESS CLIFTON OF LEIGHTON BROMSWOLD. She who was *bap.* at St. Anne's, Blackfriars, 23 Nov. 1614, *d.* 16 Aug. 1646 in her 32nd year, and was *bur.* at Douglas. He *m.* secondly, 26 April 1649, at Wemyss, Jean, 1st da. and coheir of David (WEMYSS), 2nd EARL OF WEMYSS [S.] by his first wife Jean, da. of Robert (BALFOUR), LORD BALFOUR OF BURLEIGH [S.]. He *d.* v.p., at Edinburgh, 15 April 1655. His widow, who had a jointure of 12,000 marks, *m.* 11 Aug. 1659, George (GORDON), EARL OF SUTHERLAND [S.], who *d.* 4 March 1703 aged 70. She *d.* Jan. 1715.]

(3) Archibald, Earl of Moray [S.], slain 1 May 1455; (4) Hugh, *cr.* Earl of Ormond [S.] 1445, executed 1455; (5) Sir John Douglas, Lord of Balveny, *forfeited* 1455, but escaped into England; (6) Henry, in Holy Orders; and (7) George, *d.* unm. before he was 15. With these ended the issue male of Archibald, the 3d Earl of Douglas (the bastard son of the "good" Sir James), that of the elder and legitimate line having ended 67 years earlier.

^(a) See a note signed by "Joseph Bain" in Selby's "*Genealogist*," vol. iii, p. 126.

^(b) See, as to this preceding, vol i, p. 100; note "i," *sub* "Angus."

^(c) His next br. (of the whole blood), Lord James Douglas, signalized himself in the French army, being promised a Marechal's baton. He was slain 21 Oct. 1655 at the siege of Doway, and was *bur.* at St. Germain de Prex, Paris, M.I., where his age is given as 27, which, if his mother died 32 years before, must be erroneous.

^(d) These heirs became *extinct*, 8 Dec. 1715, on the death of his grandson, Archibald (Douglas), 2nd Earl of Forfar [S.]

II. 1660. 2. JAMES (DOUGLAS), MARQUESS OF DOUGLAS, EARL OF ANGUS, &c. [S.], grandson and h. being s. and h. of Archibald DOUGLAS, styled EARL OF ANGUS, by Ann, his first wife abovenamed. He was b. 1646; being himself styled EARL OF ANGUS from 1655 till 1660; P.C. to Charles II. and James II. He m., firstly, 7 Sep. 1670, at Edinburgh, Barbara, da. of John (ERSKINE), EARL OF MAR [S.], by his 2nd wife Mary, da. of George (MACKENZIE), EARL OF SEAFORTH [S.]. She was separated from him Feb. 1681, and d. Aug. 1690 at her mother's house. He m. secondly 13 Dec. 1692, at Newbattle Abbey, Mary, da. of Robert (KERR), 1st MARQUESS OF LOTHIAN [S.] by Jean, da. of Archibald (CAMPBELL), MARQUESS OF ARGYLL [S.] He d. 25 Feb. 1700, in his 54th year, and was bur. privately 1 March at Douglas (a). His widow, who was *bur.* Oct. 1674 at Newbattle, d. 22 Jan. 1736, aged 62 at Edinburgh, and was *bur.* at Holyrood House. Funeral entry of both of them at Lyon Office.

[JAMES DOUGLAS, styled EARL OF ANGUS, 1st s. and h. ap. by 1st wife, b. 1671, having raised in 1689 a regiment of 1,800 men (since called the 26th Foot, or Cameronians) was appointed Colonel thereof. He d. v.p. and unm., being slain 3 Aug. 1692 in his 21st year, at the battle of Steinkirk]

[WILLIAM DOUGLAS, styled EARL OF ANGUS, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap., being 1st s. of the 2d wife; b. 15 Oct. 1693; d. v.p. 20 May 1694, and was *bur.* at Douglas.]

III. 1700. 3 and 1. ARCHIBALD (DOUGLAS), MARQUESS OF DOUGLAS [1633], EARL OF ANGUS [1389 and 1633], LORD ABERNETHY AND JEDBURGH FOREST [1633] in the Peerage of Scotland, yst. and only surv. s. and h., by 2d wife, *bur.* 13 Oct. 1694, styled EARL OF ANGUS till 1700. He was, in consideration of his ancestry, cr. 10 April 1703, DUKE OF DOUGLAS, MARQUESS OF ANGUS AND ABERNETHY, VISCOUNT OF JEDBURGH FOREST AND LORD DOUGLAS OF BONKILL, PRESTOUN AND ROBERTOUN. [S.] He aided the Government in the rising of 1715, and served, as a Volunteer, at the battle of Sheriffmuir, 13 Nov. 1715. He m. 1 March 1758, at Douglas Castle, Margaret, 1st da. of James DOUGLAS of Mains, co. Dumbarton. He d. s.p. 21 July 1761, in his 67th year at Queensberry House, Edinburgh, and was *bur.* 4 Aug. at Douglas, when the *Dukedom of Douglas and the other titles granted therewith* in 1703 became extinct, but the honours he had inherited devolved on his cousin and h. male as stated below.(b) His widow d. at Bothwell Castle, co. Lanark, 24 Oct., 1774.

Marquessate [S.] 4. JAMES-GEORGE (HAMILTON), DUKE OF HAMILTON, MARQUESS OF DOUGLAS,^(c) MARQUESS OF CLYDESDALE, EARL OF ANGUS,^(d) &c., [S.] also DUKE OF BRANDON, &c., [G.B.] cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of James, 6th DUKE OF HAMILTON, (d. 1758), s. and h. of James, 5th Duke (d. 1743), s. and h. of James, 4th Duke (d. 1712), s. and h. of William (Hamilton, formerly Douglas) 3d Duke (who, having m. Anne, *suo jure* DUCHESS OF HAMILTON, obtained that Dukedom for himself which had been enjoyed previously by two members of the family of Hamilton) which Duke William was a

(a) The Barony [of Tantallon and other considerable estates were sold by this Marquess.

(b) His estates appear to have been chiefly in Lanarkshire in which county both Bothwell Castle and Douglas Castle were situated. These castles, at one time the inheritance of the Earls of Douglas (the *black* Douglas) were granted by the crown, to which they had become forfeited, to the Earls of Angus (the *red* Douglas) ancestors of the Duke. On his Grace's death they devolved on his sister's son, the heir of line, who was cr. Baron Douglas of Douglas Castle in 1790. See that dignity.

(c) As if in marked distinction to the *Earldom* of Douglas, of which, during 98 years there were eleven holders, (See p. 157, note "c.") the *Marquessate* of Douglas, during 128 years was held but by three.

(d) It should however be observed that tho' the petition of the Duke of Hamilton in 1762 was (like that of his opponent, the heir *general*) referred to the Lords, it was never followed by any decision thereon as to the *Earldom* of Angus. See vol. i, p. 101, note "g," sub. "Angus."

yr. s. (s. by the 2d wife) of William (Douglas) 1st MARQUESS OF DOUGLAS, EARL OF ANGUS &c. [S.] above named. He was b. 18 Feb. 1755, *suc.* his father, 18 Jan. 1751, as Duke of Hamilton, &c., and *suc.* his cousin, the Duke of Douglas abovenamed, 28 July 1761, as MARQUESS OF DOUGLAS, EARL OF ANGUS, LORD ABERNETHY and JEDBURGH FOREST [S.], these dignities becoming thenceforth united with the Dukedom of Hamilton. See "HAMILTON" Dukedom of [S.] *cr.* 1643, under the 7th and following Dukes.

DOUGLAS OF HAWICK AND TIBBERS.

Barony [S.] (*Douglas*), *cr.* 1628, with the VISCOUNTCY OF DRUMLANRIG [S.], and, again, 1633, with the EARLDOM OF QUEENSBERRY [S.], which see ^(a)

DOUGLAS OF ETTRICK.

Barony [S.] (*Douglas*), *cr.* 1675, with the EARLDOM OF DUNBARTON [S.], which see; *ex.*

DOUGLAS OF KINMONT, MIDDLEBIE AND DORNOCK.

Barony [S.], (*Douglas*), *cr.* 1682, with the MARQUESSATE OF QUEENSBERRY [S.], this Barony (not, however the Marquessate), was resigned in 1684, and granted (with a *novodamus*), together with the DUKEDOM OF QUEENSBERRY [S.], which see ^(b)

DOUGLAS OF NIEDPATH, LYNE AND MANNERHEAD
[OR MUNARD.]

Barony [S.] (*Douglas*), *cr.* 1697, with the EARLDOM OF MARCH [S.], which see ^(c)

DOUGLAS OF BONKILL, PRESTOUN AND ROBERTOUN.

Barony [S.] (*Douglas*) *cr.* 1703, with the DUKEDOM OF DOUGLAS [S.], which see; *ex.* 1761.

DOUGLAS OF AMESBURY.

Barony.
I. 1786,
 to
 1810.
WILLIAM (DOUGLAS), DUKE OF QUEENSBERRY [S.], was, 21 Aug. 1786, *cr.* BARONY DOUGLAS OF AMESBURY, co. Wilts ^(d)
He *d.* s.p. 23 Dec. 1810, in his 86th year, when *this dignity* became *extinct*. See fuller particulars under "QUEENSBERRY" Dukedom of [S.], *cr.* 1684, *sub.* the 4th Duke.

DOUGLAS OF DOUGLAS.

Barony.
I. 1790.
I. ARCHIBALD - JAMES - EDWARD DOUGLAS (formerly STEWART), of Douglas and Bothwell Castles, co. Lanark, yr. s. of Sir John STEWART, 3d Bart., of Grandtully, being his 1st s. by his 2d wife Jane, da. of James (DOUGLAS), 2d MARQUESS OF DOUGLAS, EARL

^(a) Both these titles have been enjoyed with the Marquessate of Queensberry [S.] since its creation in 1682, and, in 1810, followed the course of that dignity.

^(b) These dignities followed the course of the Dukedom (*not* the Marquessate) of Queensberry [S.], and, in 1810, became united with the Dukedom of Buccleuch [S.]

^(c) These titles became united in 1778 with the Dukedom of Queensberry [S.], and on the death of the 4th Duke in 1810, with the Earldom of Wemyss [S.]

^(d) By this creation he ceased to be a Rep. Peer [S.], according to a somewhat anomalous resolution of the House of Lords. See vol. i, p. 4, note "b," *sub.* "Abercorn."

OF ANGUS, &c. [S.], and only sister of Archibald, DUKE OF DOUGLAS [S.] above named, was *b.* at the house of Mad. Le Brun, in the Faubourg St. Germain, Paris, 10 July 1748; served heir of entail and provision to the said Duke, 9 Sep. 1761 when he took the name of *Douglas* in lieu of that of *Stewart*, but his claim to the Douglas estates being opposed by the Duke of Hamilton (the heir male) on the ground of his being a supposititious son of his mother,^(a) the Court of Session, in July 1767, decided (by the casting vote in a Court of 15) against him, but this decision was two years later reversed 27 Feb. 1771, by the House of Lords. He was M.P. for co. Forfar, 1782-90,^(b) when, on 8 July 1790, he was *cr.* BARON DOUGLAS OF DOUGLAS, co. Lanark. Col. of the Forfarshire Militia, 1798; Lord Lient. of co. Forfar. He *m.* firstly 13 June 1771, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Lucy, da. of William (GRAHAM), 2d DUKE OF MONTROSE [S.], by Lucy, da. of John (MANNERS), 2d DUKE OF RUTLAND. She, who was *b.* 9 Aug. 1751, *d.* 13 Feb. 1780, at Bothwell Castle (C). He *m.* secondly, 13 May 1783, at her brother's house, Grosvenor sq., Midx. (St. Geo. Han. sq.), Frances, sister of Henry, 3d DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH [S.], da. of Francis SCOTT, styled EARL OF DALKEITH, by Caroline, da. and coheir of John (CAMPBELL), 2d DUKE OF ARGYLL [S.] She, who was *b.* (posthumous) 26 July 1750, *d.* 31 March 1817. Will pr. 1818. He *d.* 26 Dec. 1827, in his 80th year at Bothwell Castle. Will pr. April 1828. He and both his wives were *bur.* at Douglas, co. Lanark.

II. 1828. 2. ARCHIBALD (DOUGLAS), BARON DOUGLAS OF DOUGLAS, s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 25 March 1773, in London. Col. of the Forfarshire Militia. He *d.* unm. 27 Jan. 1844, aged 70, at Bothwell Castle; *bur.* at Douglas. Will pr. Aug. 1844.

III. 1844. 3. CHARLES (DOUGLAS), BARON DOUGLAS OF DOUGLAS br. (of the whole blood) and h.; *b.* 26 Oct. 1775 in London. Barrister (Linc. Inn) 1802. M.P. for co. Lanark, 1831. He *d.* unm. 10 Sep. 1848, in his 73rd year at 6 St. George's Place, Hyde Park, Midx. Will pr. Oct. 1848.

IV. 1848, 4. JAMES (DOUGLAS), BARON DOUGLAS OF DOUGLAS, br. to (of the half blood) and h., being s. of the 1st Baron by his 2d wife. 1857. He was *b.* 9 July and *bap.* 6 Aug. 1787, at Petersham, Surrey; ed. at Ch. Ch., Oxford; B.A., 1810; M.A., 1816; in holy orders; Rector of Marsh Gibbon, Bucks, 1819-48; Rector of Broughton, co. Northampton, 1825-48. He *m.* 18 May 1813, Wilhelmina, 2d da. of Gen. the Hon. James-Patrick MURRAY (5th s. of Alexander, 4th Lord ELIBANK [S.], by his 2d wife, Anne, da. of Abraham WITHAM. He *d.* s.p. at Bothwell Castle, 6 April 1857, aged 69, when the *title* became *extinct*. Will pr. July 1857. His widow *d.* 25 Feb. 1866, aged 79, at 19 Grosvenor square, Midx.

^(a) Lady Jane Douglas was *b.* at Douglas, 17 March 1698; *m.* (as his second wife) 4 Aug. 1746, Col. John Stewart (afterwards, 1 Nov. 1759, a Baronet) and *d.* at Edinburgh 22 Nov. 1753. She is said to have had twin sons in her 51st year, *b.* 10 July 1748, of whom the yst., Sholto Thomas Stewart, *d.* at Edinburgh 14 May 1753, in his 5th year; while the eldest *suc.* to the Douglas estates as in the text. It is remarked by Sir Bernard Burke that "many doubts had existed from the time of his birth as to its genuineness," the Duke of Douglas himself being among those who considered the children to have been "stolen or bought." Sir Bernard adds that "when the question is now considered after the lapse of a century, apart from personal feeling and party bias, it seems impossible to reconcile the contradictory assertions connected with the strange story of Mr. Douglas' birth or to resist the strong appearance of imposture." See a very full account of this interesting case in Sir Bernard Burke's "*Romance of the Aristocracy*," vol. i, pp. 248-261, as also in his "*Vicissitudes*" from which last the above quotations are taken.

^(b) Objection was taken (but was overruled) to his election on the ground of his being a Scotch Peer, as entitled to the Earldom of Angus. See as to his claim to that dignity vol. i, p. 101, note "g," *sub* "Angus."

^(c) See Wood's "Douglas," *sub* "Montrose" vol. i, p. 246, *note*, for an interesting account of her and her pursuits.

V. 1875. I. COSPATRICK-ALEXANDER (DOUGLAS-HOME), EARL OF HOME [S.], having *m.* 4 Dec. 1832, Lucy-Elizabeth, 1st da. and coheir of Henry-James (SCOTT-MONTAGU), 2d and last BARON MONTAGU OF BOUGHTON [of the creation of 1786], by Jane-Margaret, 1st da. of Archibald (DOUGLAS), 1st BARON DOUGLAS OF DOUGLAS, abovenamed, by Lucy, his first wife, and having, in consequence of this alliance, inherited, on the death of the last Lord Douglas in 1857, Douglas and Bothwell Castle, co. Lanark and other estates of the Douglas family, assumed the name of *Douglas* before that of *Home* and was, 11 June 1875, *cr.* BARON DOUGLAS OF DOUGLAS, co. Lanark. See "HOME," Earldom of [S.], *cr.* 1605, under the 11th Earl.

DOUGLAS OF LOCHLEVEN.

Barony. GEORGE (DOUGLAS), EARL OF MORTON [S.], was 11 Aug. 1791, *cr.* BARON DOUGLAS OF LOCHLEVEN, co. Kinross. He *d. s.p.* July 1827, when the *peerage* became *extinct*. See "MORTON," Earldom of [S.], *cr.* 1458, under the 16th Earl.

I. 1791,
to
1827.

DOUNE.

Barony [S.] I. SIR JAMES STEWART, of Doune, co. Perth, s. and h. of Sir James S., of Beith, co. Fife, Constable of Doune Castle, by Margaret, da. of John (LINDSAY) LORD LINDSAY OF THE BYRES [S.] (which James Stewart was 3d s. of Andrew, LORD AVONDALE [S.], and *yr. br.* of Andrew, LORD OCHILTRE [S.], and of Henry, LORD METHVEN [S.], *suc.* his father, 1547; was on an Embassy to France, 1560; knighted, 15 May 1565; Commendator of St. Colm's Inch, Constable of Doune Castle, &c. P.C. to King James VI [S.], by whom (that King "having respect that the said Sir James is descendit of his own blude") he was, 24 Nov. 1581, *cr.* LORD DOUNE [S.], with rem. to his heirs male whatsoever.⁽¹⁾ A charter of 6 Jany. 1587/8 (confirmed by an act of Parl. 5 June 1592), gave a *novodamus* of the same, the ultimate rem. being to heirs male whatsoever bearing the name and arms of *Stewart*. He *m.* before 6 March 1563/4, Margaret, da. of Archibald (CAMPBELL), 4th EARL OF ARGYLL [S.], by his 2d wife, Margaret, da. of William (GRAHAM), EARL OF MENTEITH [S.] She was living 6 Jany. 1587/8. He *d.*, 20 July 1590.

II. 1590. 2. JAMES (STEWART), EARL OF MORAY, and LORD DOUNE [S.], s. and h., who having *m.* in 1580, Elizabeth, 1st da. and h. of line James (STEWART), EARL OF MORAY [S.] ("the Good Regent," 1567-70), assumed in her right the Earldom of Moray, and is well known as "the honny Earl of Moray," slain by the Earl of Huntly [S.], 7 Feb. 1591/2. See "MORAY," Earldom of [S.], *cr.* 1562.

DOURO, and DOURO OF WELLESLEY.

i.e. "DOURO OF WELLESLEY, co. Somerset," Barony (*Wellesley*), *cr.* 1809, with the VISCOUNTY OF WELLINGTON; also "DOURO," Marquessate, *cr.* 1815, with the DUKEDOM OF WELLINGTON, which see.

DOUTH.

See "NETTERVILLE OF DOUTH, co. Meath," Viscounty [I.], (*Netterville*), *cr.* 1622; *ex.* 1882.

⁽¹⁾ The creation is set out at length in Wood's "Douglas" (appendix), vol. ii, p. 672. The lands erected into the Lordship of Doune were settled, according to a charter therein referred to, dated 23 May 1565, "on the said Sir James, his heirs and successors to be called and intitulat LORDS OF DOUNE, quha shall have the honour, dignity, place and preheminance of our sovereign Lords parliament." The settlement of 1565, was to Sir James and the heirs male of his body, whom failing to his heirs male whatsoever,

DOVEDALE.

See "DENMAN OF DOVEDALE, co. Derby," *Barony (Denman) cr. 1834.*

DOVER.

Earldom.

I. HENRY (CAREY), VISCOUNT ROCHFORD AND BARON I. 1628. HUNSDON, was, on 8 March 1627/8, *cr.* EARL OF DOVER, co. Kent. He was s. and h. of John, 3rd BARON HUNSDON by Mary, da. of Leonard HYDE, of Hyde Hall and Throcking, Herts.; *b.* about 1580^(a); **K.B.**, 3 June 1610, at the creation of the Prince (Henry) of Wales; *suc.* his Father as Baron Hunsdon, 17 April 1617; was *cr.* VISCOUNT ROCHFORD^(b) 6 July 1621, taking his seat 20 Nov. following, and was *raised to an Earldom* some 2 years later as *afsd.* Speaker of the House of Lords, 14 March 1641. Col. of a Reg. of Oxford Scholars, 1644-46; P.C. to King Charles II. He *m.* firstly, before 1608, Judith, da. of Sir Thomas PELHAM, Bart., by Mary, da. of Sir Thomas WALSINGHAM. She, who was *hap.* 21 June 1590 at Laughton, Sussex, *d.* at Hunsdon and was there *bur.* 1 Nov. 1629^(c). He *m.*, secondly, 6 July 1630, at St. Peter le Poor, London, Mary, widow of Sir William COKAYNE, sometime Lord Mayor of London, da. of Richard MORRIS, sometime Master of the Ironmongers' Company, London, by Maud, da. of John DABORNE of Guildford, Surrey. She, who was *hap.* 10 May 1573, at St. Leonard's, Eastcheap, *d.* at Combe Nevill, in Kingston, co. Surrey, and was *bur.*, from Cokayne house in old Broad street, London, 8 Jan. 1648/9, with her first husband in St. Paul's Cathedral; burial regd. at St. Peter le Poor. Admon. 5 Jan. 1648/9. He was *bur.* at Hunsdon, 13 April 1666.

II. 1666. 2. JOHN (CAREY) EARL OF DOVER, VISCOUNT ROCHFORD to AND BARON HUNSDON, s. and h. by 1st wife, aged 12 in 1620. **K.B.** 1677. at the Coronation of Charles I, 1 Feb. 1626; on 27 Nov. 1640 he (being *styled* VISCOUNT ROCHFORD) was *sum.* to Parl. v.p., in his Father's Barony, as LORD HUNSDON; Col. of a Reg. of Foot, 1642. Adhering to the Royal cause he was accused of high treason in 1644^(d). Speaker of the House of Lords, 1 to 5 Aug. 1647. He *m.* firstly, 9 May 1628, at St. Barth. the Great, London, Dorothy, da. of Oliver (St. JOHN), 1st EARL OF BOLINGBROKE, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of William PAULETT. She *d.* the next month, *viz.*, 28 June 1628, and was *bur.* at Hunsdon burial regd., 29th, at St. Barth. *afsd.*^(e). He *m.* secondly, 2 Dec. 1630, at St. Peter le Poor *afsd.*, Abigail, sister of Charles, 1st VISCOUNT CULLEN [L.] da. of Sir William COKAYNE, of Rushton, co. Northampton, by Mary, da. of Richard MORRIS, and afterwards second wife to Henry, 1st Earl of Dover, as above mentioned. He *d.*, s.p.m. 26 May 1677, aged 69, and was *bur.* 1 June, in Westm. Abbey. Admon. 9 June 1681 to a creditor. On his death the *Earldom of Dover* and the *Viscounty of Rochford* became *extinct.* His widow who was *hap.* 6 Aug. 1610 at St. Peter le Poor, London, *d.* in

^(a) His eldest br. "Mr. Henry Cary," s. of "Mr. John Cary, Esquier," was *hap.* 15 Dec. 1577, and *bur.* 1 Jan. 1577/8, at Hunsdon.

^(b) As to the title of ROCHFORD, Thomas (Butler), Earl of Ormond [I.], was *sum.* to Parl. 14 Oct. 1495 (by writ directed "Thomæ Ormond de Rochford, Chl'r.") as LORD ROCHFORD. He *d.* s.p.m. 8 Aug. 1515, and some 10 years later his grandson, Sir Thomas Boleyn (s. and h. of Sir William Boleyn, K.B., who had *m.* Margaret, his da. and coheir), was, on 18 June 1525, *cr.* VISCOUNT ROCHFORD, being afterwards (1529) *cr.* Earl of Wiltshire, &c. He *d.* 1538, having had but 3 children, *viz.* (1), George, LORD ROCHFORD, beheaded v.p. May 1536, who *d.* s.p.; (2) Anne, Queen Consort of Henry VIII, beheaded v.p. May 1536; and (3) Mary, who *m.* William Carey, and was mother of (Queen Elizabeth's first cousin) Henry, 1st Baron Hunsdon, the grandfather of Henry 4th Baron Hunsdon (his heir *male*, but not his heir *general*), the grantee of the *Viscounty of Rochford*, in 1521.

^(c) See "Her and Gen." iv, p. 47, and note thereto explaining this date (1629) to be wrongly regd. at Hunsdon as 1630.

^(d) Commons Journal iii, 559.

^(e) No entry thereof is made in the Hunsdon registers.

Chapel street, Westm. 10 Feb. 1687/8, and was *bur.* the 16th at Westm. Abbey Will dat. 26 Oct. 1685, pr. 23 March 1687/8 by Lady Mary Heveningham^(a), only da. and universal legatee.

Barony.

I. 1685.

Earldom

III. 1689,
to
1708.

1. HENRY JERMYN, was *cr.* 13 May 1685, BARON DOVER of Dover, co. Kent.^(b) By royal warrant 2 July 1689 he was *cr.* by James II, *after* his dethronement, EARL OF DOVER &c.^(c) On 1 April 1703 he *suc.* his br. as 3d BARON JERMYN OF ST. EDMUNDSBURY. He *d.*, s.p., 6 April 1708, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. See fuller account under "JERMYN of ST. EDMUNDSBURY," Barony, *cr.* 1643; *ex.* 1708.

Dukedom.

I. 1708.

1. JAMES (DOUGLAS) DUKE OF QUEENSBERRY, &c. [S.], b. 18 Dec. 1672; *suc.* his father 28 March 1696, and was *cr.* 26 May 1708, BARON OF RIPPON, MARQUESS OF BEVERLEY, both in co. York and DUKE OF DOVER

for life^(d), with a spec. rem. to his 2d and younger sons successively in tail mail. He *d.* 6 July 1711.

II, 1711,
to
1778.

2. CHARLES (DOUGLAS) DUKE OF QUEENSBERRY, &c. [S.] also DUKE OF DOVER, MARQUESS OF BEVERLEY and BARON OF RIPPON, 2d. but 1st surv. s. and h., b. 24 Nov. 1698; *d.* s.p.s., 22 Oct. 1778, when *all his English honours*

became *extinct*.

See "QUEENSBERRY" DUKE-
DOM [S.] *cr.* 1683, *sub* the
2d and 3d dukes.

Barony.

II. 1788,
to
1792.

The Rt. Hon. SIR JOSEPH YORKE, K.B., was, 18 Sep. 1788, *cr.* LORD DOVER, Baron of the town and port of Dover co. Kent. He was 3d s. of Philip, 1st EARL OF HARDWICKE (Lord Chancellor, 1737-56), by Margaret, da. of Charles COCKS; b. 24 June 1724; Lieut.-Col. 1st Reg. of Foot Guards, and aide-de-camp to the Duke of Cumberland at the battle of Fontenoy, 11 May 1745; Col.

of the 9th Foot, 1755, afterwards of the 5th Dragoons, and finally of the 1st Reg. of Life Guards, becoming, finally, FIELD MARSHAL; M.P. for East Grinstead, 1751-61; for Dover, 1761-64 and for Grampound 1774-80; el. K.B., 11 April and inst. 26 May 1761; P.C., 1768; having been Minister since 1751, and afterwards 1761, Ambassador

(a) She, the only child that survived infancy, was *hap.* 6 Oct. 1631. She *m.* (articles dat. 25 April 1655) William Heveningham, of Ketteringham, Norfolk, one of the *Regicide* Judges. He *d.* 20 and was *bur.* 21 Feb. 1677 there. She *d.* in Jermyn street in St. James' Westm., 19 Jan. 1695/6 and was *bur.* with her husband. She inherited Conisbrough Castle, co. York. They left issue.

(b) This was one of the 10 English Peerages *cr.* by James II. See a list of these p 78, note "a," *sub* "Derwentwater."

(c) See "JACOBITE PEERAGES," vol. i, p. 59 note "b" *sub* "Albemarle."

(d) This was the first Peerage granted since the union with Scotland. It is to be observed that his Grace took his seat in Parl., 19 Nov. 1708, as an English Duke, without any protest, tho' a writ of summons, but 3 years afterwards, was refused to the Duke of Brandon (which title had in 1711 been conferred on the *Scotch* Duke of Hamilton) and, consequently, to Charles, *second* Duke of Dover (who claimed his writ in 1719) by a resolution 14 Jan. 1720. The remarkable resolution passed by the House of Lords, by a majority of 5 (57 against 52) in 1711, "that no patent of honour granted to any Peer of Great Britain, who was a Peer of Scotland at the time of the union, can entitle such Peer to sit and vote in Parl. or to sit upon the trial of Peers," was not rescinded till 1782, in which year, on 11 June, the Duke of Brandon (Duke of Hamilton in Scotland) was for the first time *sum.* in that Dukedom.

to the Hague, which office he resigned in 1780, being, 8 years later, raised to the Peerage as above stated. He *m.* at Antwerp 23 June 1783, Christiana-Charlotte-Margaret, Baroness de Stöcken, da. of Hans-Henry, BARON DE STÖCKEN of Denmark, Counsellor of State, by Anna-Catherina DE BOETZELAER. He *d.* s.p. in Hill Street, Midx. 2 Dec. 1792, aged 68 when the *peerage* became *extinct*. Will pr. Dec. 1792. Admon. of his widow dat. April 1793.

III. 1831. 1. The Rt. Hon. GEORGE-JAMES-WELBORE AGAR-ELLIS, only s. and h. ap. of Henry (ELLIS), 2d VISCOUNT CLIFDEN OF GOWRAN, &c. [I.], and BARON MENDIP, by Caroline, 1st da. of George (SPENCER), DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH, was *b.* 17 Jany. 1797; *mat.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 27 Jany. 1814; B.A. 1816; M.A. 1819; M.P. for Heytesbury, 1818-20; for Seaford, 1820-26; for Ludgershall, 1826-30, and for Okehampton 1830-31, when he was, 20 June 1831, *cr.* BARON DOVER of Dover, co. Kent, having in Nov. 1830, been for a few weeks Chief Commissioner of Woods and Forest, the only office he ever held. P.C., F.S.A., trustee of the Brit. Museum and of the Nat. Gallery, &c. He *m.* 7 March 1822, at Chiswick, Middx., Georgiana, 2d da. of George (HOWARD), 6th EARL OF CARLISLE, by Georgiana-Dorothy, da. of William (CAVENDISH), DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE. He *d.* v.p. 10 and was *bur.* 17 July 1833, at Twickenham, Middx., aged 36. Will pr. July 1833.^(a) His widow who was *b.* 16 May 1804, *d.* at Dover House, Whitehall, Midx., 17 March 1860, aged 55.

IV. 1833. 2. HENRY (AGAR-ELLIS), BARON DOVER, 1st s. and h., *b.* 25 Feb. 1825. On 13 July 1836, he *suc.* his grandfather, as VISCOUNT CLIFDEN, &c. [I.] See that dignity, *cr.* 1781.

DOWNE,

Earldom [I.] 1. SIR WILLIAM POPE, Bart.^(b), of Wroxton and I. 1628. Wilcot, co. Oxford, only surv. s. and h. of John P. of the same (who was *yr. br.* of Sir Thomas Pope, the FOUNDER, 1555, of TRINITY COLLEGE, Oxford), by his 2d wife Elizabeth, da. of Sir John BROCKET, of Brocket, Herts, was *bap.*, 15 Oct. 1573, at Wroxton, *suc.* his father, 24 June 1583; K.B., 25 July 1603, at the Coronation of James I; *cr.* a Baronet as "of Wilcote, Oxon," 29 June 1611, was *cr.* 16 Oct. 1628, BARON POPE OF BEALTIRBIT [*i.e.* BELTARBET], co. Cavan, and EARL OF DOWNE [I.]^(c) He *m.* in 1595, Anne, widow of Henry (WENTWORTH), LORD WENTWORTH (who *d.* 1594), da. of Sir Owen HORTON, Lieut. of the Tower of London, by Anne, da. and h. of Sir Edward IRCHINGHAM. She was *bur.* 10 May 1625, at Wroxton. He *d.* 2 and was *bur.* 4 June 1631, at Wroxton. M.I. Will dat. 31 Dec. 1630, pr. 8 June 1631.

II] 1631. 2. THOMAS (POPE), EARL OF DOWNE, &c. [I.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir William Pope, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir Thomas WATSON, of Halstead, co. Kent, which Sir William was 1st s. and h. ap. of the 1st Earl, but *d.* v.p. (before his father's elevation to the peerage), Aug. 1624, aged 27. He was *bap.* 16 Dec. 1622, at Cogges, co. Oxford. He *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 21 June 1639. He distinguished himself, as an active Royalist, during the Civil War. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. and coheir of William DUTTON, of Sherborne, co. Gloucester, by his 1st wife Elizabeth, da. of Sir Henry BAYNTON, of Bromhall, Wilts. See *d.* 6 April 1656. He *d.* s.p.m. at Oxford, 28 Dec. 1660, and was *bur.* 11 Jany. 1660/1, at Wroxton.^(d)

^(a) He was a liberal patron of the fine arts, and an author of some note, the history of the "Prisoner with the Iron Mask" being perhaps the most known of his works.

^(b) See a good pedigree of Pope in Baker's "Northamptonshire," vol. i, p. 707.

^(c) See "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records.

^(d) Elizabeth, his da. and h. *m.* firstly, Sir Francis-Henry Lee, 4th Bart., of Ditchley, and secondly, Robert (Bertie), 3d Earl of Lindsey. She *d.* 1 July 1719, being ancestress of the Earls of Lichfield. She, however, does not appear to have inherited the family estates.

III. 1660. 3. THOMAS (POPE), EARL OF DOWNE, &c. [I.], uncle and h. male, b. 1598; matric. at Oxford (together with his elder br. William abovenamed), 1 July 1614; Knighted at Woodstock, 3 Aug. 1625. He m. 20 April 1636 (reg. at Wroxton), Beata, da. of Sir Henry POOLE, of Saperton, co. Glouc., by Beatrice, da. of William (BRYDGES), 4th BARON CHANDOS. He d. 11 and was bur. 20 Jany. 1667/8, at Wroxton. Admon., 29 June 1668. His widow was bur. there 18 July 1678. Will pr. 1678.

IV. 1668, 4. THOMAS (POPE), EARL OF DOWNE and BARON POPE OF BELTUBET [I.], also a Baronet (1611), 1st and only surv. s. and h., Jany. *hap.* 29 Sep. 1640, at Wroxton; matric. at Oxford (Trin. Coll.), 30 to July 1658. He d. unm., four months after his father, 18, and was May. *bur.* 26 May 1668, at Wroxton, when *all his honours* became extinct.^(a)

Viscounty [I.] SIR WILLIAM DUCIE, Bart., 2d s. of Sir Robert Ducie,

I. 1661? 1st Bart. (so *cr.* 1620, sometime, 1631, Lord Mayor of London) by Elizabeth, da. of Richard PYOTT, Alderman of London, suc. his elder br. in the Baronetcy and estates, 1657; was **K.B.** 23 April 1661, at the Coronation of Charles II. by whom he was *cr.* (probably not long afterwards) BARON OF CLONEY and

VISCOUNT DOWNE [I.] He m. Frances, da. of Francis (SEYMOUR), 1st BARON SEYMOUR OF TROWBRIDGE, by his 1st wife, Frances, da. and coheir of Sir Gilbert PRYNNE. He d. s.p. 9 Sep. 1679, at Charlton, co. Kent, when the *peerage* (but not the Baronetcy) became extinct. Admon. 26 Sep. 1679, as late of Tortworth, co. Glouc. His widow, who was *hap.* (at the Lodge in the Great Park) at Great Bedwyn, Wilts., 27 April 1623, was bur. there 20 Sep. 1699.

II. 1681. 1. SIR JOHN DAWNAY, Bart.,^(b) of Cowick, co. York, 2d s. of John D. of the same, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Richard HUTTON, of Goldesborough, co. York, Justice of the Common Pleas (1617-39), *suc.* his nephew Sir Thomas Dawnay, 2d Bart., in the Baronetcy (*cr.* 1642 with a spec. rem.) in 1644, was M.P. for co. York, 1660; for Pontefract, 1661-68; and was *cr.* 19 Feb. 1680/1 (33 Car. II.) VISCOUNT DOWNE [I.]^(c) He sat in the Irish Parl. 1689 of King James II. He m. firstly Elizabeth, da. of Sir John MELTON, Sec. to the Council of York. She d. s.p. and was bur. 21 Feb. 1662/3, at Cowick. He m. secondly (lic. Fac. 14 May 1663, he being then 35 and a widower) Dorothy (then 30 spinster), da. of William JOHNSON, of Wickham, co. Lincoln. He d. 1 Oct. 1695. His widow was bur. 28 May 1709, at Cowick. Will pr. June 1709.

III. 1695. 2. HENRY (DAWNAY), VISCOUNT DOWNE [I.], s. and h. by 2nd wife, *hap.* 7 June 1664 at Cowick; was attainted by the Parl. [I.] of James II, in 1689; M.P. for Pontefract, 1690-95; for co. York 1698-1700 and 1707-27. He m. 29 Sep. 1685 at Gainsborough, Mildred, da. of William GODFREY, of Thornock, co. Lincoln. She, who was b. 22 and *hap.* 24 March 1666, at Gainsborough, and d. at Cowick, was bur. at Snaith 2 Sep. 1725. He was bur. there 21 May 1741. Will pr. at York 4 June 1741.

IV. 1741. 3. HENRY-PLEYDELL (DAWNAY), VISCOUNT DOWNE [I.], grandson and h. being s. and h. of the Hon. John Dawnay, by Charlotte-Louisa, da. and h. of Robert PLEYDELL, of Ampney Crucis, co. Glouc., which John was s. and h. ap. of the last Viscount, but d., v.p., 12 Aug. 1740, aged 53. He

^(a) Of his four surv. sisters and coheirs Frances, the third, m. Francis (North) Baron Guilford the Lord Keeper and is ancestress of the Earls of Guilford and of the Lords North, which last inherit the Wroxton estate of this family.

^(b) Both in his mar. lic. (1663) and in the preamble to the patent of his Viscounty (1681) he is styled "Knight" (*Miles*) not Baronet.

^(c) See the preamble to this patent in "Lodge," vol. v, p. 75.

was *b.* 8 April 1727; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 22 March 1744/5; M.P. for co. York 1750—60; First Lord of the Bedchamber to George, Prince of Wales; F.R.S., 1750; Lieut.-Col. 25th Reg. and in command thereof at the battle of Minden in 1759 (this being one of the four Regiments to whom the success of that action was owing), as also at the battle of Camper, 16 Oct. 1760, where he was mortally wounded. He *d.* unm. 9 Dec. ensuing, and was *bur.* at Maurs, near Wesel, aged 33 Will pr. 1761.

V. 1760. 4. JOHN (DAWNAY), VISCOUNT DOWNE [I.], next br. and h., *b.* 9 April 1728; M.P. for Cirencester 1754—68; for Malton 1768—74. He *m.* 20 May 1763, at her Father's house, Clifford street, St. James, Westminster, Lora, only child of William BURTON of Luffenham, co. Rutland (one of the Commissioners of Excise), by his second wife, Elizabeth, da. of George PITT, of Strathfieldsaye, Hants. He *d.* 21 Dec. 1780, and was *bur.* 7 Jan. 1781 at Snaith. Will pr. Jan. 1781. His widow, who was *b.* Feb. 1740, *d.* 25 April 1812, in Charles street, Berkeley square, aged 71, and was *bur.* 11 May at Snaith. Will pr. 1812.

VI. 1780. 5. JOHN-CHRISTOPHER-BURTON (DAWNAY), VISCOUNT DOWNE [I.] 1st s. and h., *b.* 15 Nov. 1764; M.P. for Petersfield, 1787—90; for Wootton-Bassett, 1790-96, being on 9 June 1796, *cr.* BARON DAWNAY OF COWICK, co. York; Col. of the 2nd West York Militia. He *m.* 31 Dec. 1815 at Snaith, Louisa-Maria, da. of George WELSTEAD of Apsley, Sussex. He *d.* s.p. 18 Feb. 1832 at Cowick, aged 65, when the *Barony of Dawnay of Cowick* [G.B.] became *extinct* (*). Will pr. July 1832. His widow *d.* 20 March 1867, in her 87th year, at Bowdon Hall, co. Gloucester.

VII. 1832. 6. WILLIAM HENRY (DAWNAY), VISCOUNT DOWNE [I.], next surv. br. and h., *b.* 20 Aug. 1772, and *bap.* at Leatherhead, Surrey; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 29 Dec. 1790; B.A., 1795; M.A., 1796; in Holy Orders; Rector of Ashwell, co. Rutland, and of Sessay and Thormanby, co. York. He *m.* 6 June 1811, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Lydia, da. of John HEATHCOTE, of Connington Castle, co. Huntingdon, by Lydia, da. and coheir of Benjamin MOYER, of Low Leyton, Essex. He *d.* 23 May 1846, in his 74th year, at Beningbrough Hall, co. York. Will pr. Oct. 1846. His widow *d.* there 18 March 1848. Will pr. May 1848.

VIII. 1846. 7. WILLIAM-HENRY (DAWNAY), VISCOUNT DOWNE [I.], 1st s. and h., *b.* 15 May 1812, in Charles Street, and *bap.* at St. Geo. Han. Sq., ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford, matric. 31 March 1830; B.A., 1833; M.A., 1837; an officer in the Yorkshire Hussars, 1834-54; M.P. for co. Rutland, 1841-46. He *m.* 25 July 1843, Mary-Isabel, 4th da. of the Hon. Richard BAGOT, Bishop of Bath and Wells, by Harriet, da. of George-Bussey (VILLIERS), 4th EARL OF JERSEY. He *d.* at Torquay, 26 Jan. 1857, aged 34. Will pr. July 1857. His widow, who was *b.* 28 April 1825, *m.* 6 Jan. 1863, at Beningbrough, co. York, Sidney-Leveson LANE. She was living 1890.

IX. 1857. 8. HUGH-RICHARD (DAWNAY), VISCOUNT DOWNE [I.], and a Baronet (1642), 1st s. and h. *b.* 20 July 1844, in Eaton Square, Midx.; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; matric. 17 April 1863; B.A. and M.A. Nov. 1863; served in the Zulu War as Major in the 2d Life Guards; A.D.C. to the Duke of Connaught in India, in 1884; C.I.E., 1886; Lieut.-Col. Commanding 10th Hussars. He *m.* 12 July 1869, at St. Paul's, Knightsbridge, Cecilia-Maria-Charlotte, da. of Charles-William (MOLYNEUX), 3d EARL OF SEFTON [I.], by Mary-Augusta, da. of Robert-Gregge HOPWOOD. She, who was *b.* 7 Nov. 1838, was in 1889, one of the Ladies of the Bedchamber.

Family Estates.—These in 1883, consisted of 22,237 acres in co. York (the Baldersby Park estate) valued at £26,843 a year belonging to the Dow. Viscountess, and of

(*) The Viscounty of Downe is the *only* case in the Peerage of Ireland in which the holder, having possessed a Peerage of England or Great Britain at the time (1801) of the Union, is not at the present time (1890) in possession thereof or of a Peerage of the United Kingdom.

about 15,518 acres in that county valued at £19,262 a year belonging to the present Lord. In Aug 1883, Lord Downe bought the estate of Dingley, co. Northampton, about 5,000 acres (valued, in 1883, at about £9,000 a year) for about £175,000. *Principal Residence.* Dingley Park, near Market Harborough.

DOWNERAYLE, see DONERAILE.

DOWNES OF AGHANVILLE.

Barony. [I.] 1. The Rt. Hon. WILLIAM DOWNES, 2d but only surv.

I. 1822. s. of Robert D. of Donnybrook, co. Dublin, by Elizabeth, da. of Thomas TWIGGE, of Donnybrook afsd. (which Robert was only s. of Dives Downes, Bishop of Cork and Ross, 1699-1709) was *b.* 1751 at Donnybrook castle, B.A., Dublin Univ., 1773; Barrister, King's Inns, June 1776; P.C. and one of the Justices of the King's Bench [I.] March 1792; Ch. Justice, Sep. 1803 till his resignation in Feb. 1822 (with a pension of £3,800 a year) in which year, 10 Dec. 1822, he was *cr.* BARON DOWNES OF AGHANVILLE, in King's County [I], with a *spec. rem.*, failing heirs male of his body, to his cousin Lieut. Col. Sir Ulysses Burgh. In 1806 he was Vice-Chancellor of the Univ. of Dublin, receiving the hon. degree therefrom of LL.D. He *d.* unm. 3 March 1826, in his 75th year at Merville, Stillorgan Road, in Taney, co. Dublin.

II. 1826, 2. ULYSSES (BURGH, afterwards DE BURGH), BARON
to
1863. DOWNES OF AGHANVILLE [I.], cousin and h. according to the *spec. lim.*
in the patent of that Dignity. He was only s. of Thomas BURGH, by
Anne, da. of David AIGOIN, which Thomas was 2nd, but eventually (1808)

1st surv. s. and h. of Thomas Burgh, of Bert, co. Kildare, by Anne, sister of Robert Downes, and aunt of William, 1st Baron Downes [I.], both abovenamed. He was *b.* in Dubin 15 Aug. 1788; *suc.* his Father, June 1810. His military career was one of distinction, receiving a cross and clasp for Vittoria, Pyrenees, Nivelle, Nive, and Toulouse; being wounded at Talavera, &c. He was Surveyor Gen. of the ordnance 1820-27; Col. of the 29th Foot, 1850, and a General in the Army, 1854. **K.C.B.** 1815; **G.C.B.** 1860; Knight of the Tower and Sword of Portugal, Knight of St. Anne of Russia; **REP. PEER** [I] 1833-63. In 1848 he was authorised to take the name of *de Burgh*, in lieu of *Burgh*. He *m.* firstly, 20 June 1815, Maria, only da. and h. of Walter BAGENAL. She, who was *b.* 15 Sep. 1792, *d.* 21 Aug. 1842, in her 50th year. He *m.* secondly, 4 Aug. 1846, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Christopheria, widow of John-Willis FLEMING, of Stoneham, Hants, da. of James BUCHANAN, of that ilk. She *d.* at 19, Grafton street, Midx, 18 Oct. 1860, aged 61. He *d.* s.p.m. at Bert House, near Athy, co. Kildare, 26 July 1863, in his 75th year, when the *peerage* became *extinct*.

DOWNSHIRE.

Marquessate [I.] 1. WILLS (HILL), VISCOUNT HILLSBOROUGH and

I. 1789. BARON HILL OF KILWARLIN, both co. Down [I.], 2d but only surv. s. and h. of Trevor, 1st Viscount and Baron (so *cr.* 21 Aug. 1717), by Mary, 1st da. and coheir of Anthony ROWE, of Muswell Hill, Midx., was *b.* 30 May 1718, at Fairford, co. Glouc., (Gen. Sir Charles Wills, being one of his sponsors), was M.P. for Warwick, 1741-56; *suc.* his father, 5 May 1742, in the Viscountcy and Barony abovenamed, taking his seat in the House of Lords [I.], 11 Nov. 1743; Lord Lieut. of co. Down, 1742; P.C. [I.], 1746; was, 3 Oct. 1751, *cr.* VISCOUNT KILWARLIN and EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH, both co. Down [I.], with a *spec. rem.*, failing heirs male of his body, to his uncle Arthur Hill, and took his seat as such the 8th inst.; P.C., 1754; Comptroller of the Household, 1754-55; Treasurer of the Chamber, 1755. He obtained next year a seat in the House of Lords [G.B.], being *cr.* 17 Nov. 1756, LORD HARWICH, BARON OF HARWICH, co. Essex. President of the Board of Trade, 1763-65, and again Aug. to Dec. 1766 and 1768-72.

Joint Postmaster-Gen., 1766-68 ; Sec. of State for the Colonies, 1768-72. On 28 Aug. 1772, he was *cr.* VISCOUNT FAIRFORD, co. Gloucester, and EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH [G.B.]. Sec. of State for the South, 1779 to 1782^(a) (being, as such, one of Lord North's administration during the close of the war with America), when he finally retired from office. On 20 Aug. 1789, he was *cr.* MARQUESS OF DOWNSHIRE [I.] He was F.R.S., 1764 ; D.C.L., Oxford, 21 May 1771 ; Registrar of the Court of Chancery [I.] ; Hereditary Constable of Hillsborough Fort, &c. He *m.* firstly, 1 March 1747/8, Margareta, sister of James, 1st DUKE OF LEINSTER [I.], da. of Robert (FITZGERALD), 19th EARL OF KILDARE [I.], by Mary, da. of William (O'BRIEN), 3d EARL OF INCHICUIN [I.] She, who was *b.* 2 July 1729, *d.* 19 Jan. 1766, at Naples. He *m.* secondly, 14 Oct. 1768, Mary, *suo jure* BARONESS STAWELL OF SOMERTON (see that dignity, *cr.* 21 May 1760), widow of the Rt. Hon. Henry BILSON-LEGGE. She, who was *b.* 27 Jan. 1728, *d.* 29 July 1780, in Hanover sq., Midx. Will (as Countess of Hillsborough), *pr.* Aug. 1780. The Marquess *d.* 7 Oct. 1793, in his 75th year at Hillsborough^(b) "very rich both in property which he could and in that which he could not alienate."^(c)

[MARCUS (HILL), *styled* VISCOUNT KILWARLIN, 1st s. and h. ap. by 1st wife, *b.* 21 Feb. 1752, in London ; *d.* an infant, 18 and was *bur.* 20 April 1756, at Hackney, Midx.]

II. 1793. 2. ARTHUR (HILL), MARQUESS OF DOWNSHIRE, &c. [I.], also EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH, &c., 2d but only surv. s. and h. by first wife, *b.* 3 March 1753, at 15, Hanover Sp., Midx., *styled* VISCOUNT KILWARLIN, 1756-72, VISCOUNT FAIRFORD 1772-89, and EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH, 1789-1803 ; matric. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.), 18 May 1771 (as "Arthur Hill,") and was *cr.* M.A. 9 July 1773 ; sometime an officer in the army ; M.P. for Lostwithiel, 1774-80, for Malmesbury, 1780-84, being M.P. [I.], for co. Down, 1776-93 ; High Sheriff co. Down, 1785 ; Lord Lieut. co. Down, 1793-1800. P. C. [I.], 1793 ; F.R.S., 1790 ; Registrar of the Court of Chancery [I.], &c. He *m.* 29 June 1786, at St. Marylebone, Mary, da. and h. of Col. the Hon. Martin SANDYS, by Mary, da. and h. of William TRUMBULL, of Easthamstead Park, Berks, and Mary, da. and coheir of Montague (BLUNDELL), VISCOUNT BLUNDELL [I.] The Marquess *d.* 7 Sep. 1801, aged 48, in Ireland. Will *pr.* Feb. 1802. His widow, who was *b.* 19 Sep. 1864, having, on the death of her uncle, Edwin (SANDYS), 2d BARON SANDYS OF OMBERSLEY, in 1797, *suc.* to the estates of that family, was *cr.* 19 June 1802, BARONESS SANDYS OF OMBERSLEY, co. Worcester, with a spec. rem. of that Barony. She *d.* 1 Aug. 1836, at Downshire House, Roehampton, Surrey. Will *pr.* Sep. 1836.

III. 1801. 3. ARTHUR - BLUNDELL - SANDYS - TRUMBULL (HILL), MARQUESS OF DOWNSHIRE, &c. [I.], also EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH, &c., 1st s. and h., *b.* 8 Oct. 1788, in Hanover sq., Midx. ; *styled* EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH, 1793-1801 ; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford ; matric. 27 April 1807 ; *cr.* M.A., 14 June 1809 ; *cr.* D.C.L., 3 July 1810 ; Bearer of the second sword at the Coronation of William IV, 8 Sep. 1831 ; Lord Lieut. of co. Down, 1831 ; Col. of the South

(a) In 1782 the Secretaryship for the American department was abolished by Act of Parl.

(b) The following character of this highly favoured person, who obtained for himself one Barony, two Viscountcies, two Earldoms, and one Marquessate (the same number of peerages as were conferred on Wellington, twice as many as on Nelson) is given by Sir N. W. Wraxall in his "Memoirs," vol. i, p. 381 ; "The Earl of Hillsborough, who held the Southern department, was a man of elegant manners and wanted neither ability nor attention to public business, but his natural endowments, however solid, did not rise above mediocrity. He had owed his political, as well as personal elevation in life, more to his good sense, penetration, suavity, and address, than to any intellectual superiority. At St. James' he was more at home than at Westminster, and might rather be esteemed an accomplished courtier than a superior minister." Horace Walpole says of him (as early as 1751) that "a solemnity in his voice and manner made much impression on his hearers." As to his partiality for "a nap" see vol. i, p. 352, note "a," *sub* "Bessborough."

(c) "Annual Register" for 1793.

Downshire Militia, 1831; **K.P.**, 24 Nov. 1831; ^(a) *cr.* LL.D. of Cambridge, 6 July 1835; Vice President of the Royal Society, Dublin, &c. He *m.* 25 Oct. 1811 Maria, 1st da. of Other Hickman (WINDSOR), 5th EARL OF PLYMOUTH, by Sarah, da. and coheir of Andrew (ARCHER), 2d and last BARON ARCHER. He *d.* 12 Sep. 1845, in his 75th year at Blesington, co. Wicklow. Admon. May 1845. His widow, who was *b.* 30 May 1790, *d.* at 50 Grosvenor street, Midx., 7 April 1855, in her 65th year. Will *pr.* May 1855.

IV. 1845. 4. ARTHUR - WILLS - BLUNDELL - SANDYS - TRUMBULL-WINDSOR (HILL), MARQUESS OF DOWNSHIRE, &c. [I.], also EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH, &c., s. and h., *b.* 6 Aug. 1812, at Hillsborough Castle; styled EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH till 1845; *ed.* at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; *matric.* 21 Oct. 1830; *M.P.* for co. Down, 1836-45; Lieut. Col. (1833) and afterwards (1845) Col. of the South Downshire Militia. **K.P.**, 24 May 1859. He *m.* 23 Aug. 1837, Caroline-Frances, 1st da. of Stapleton (STAPLETON-COTTON), 1st VISCOUNT COMBERMERE OF BHURTPORE, by his 2d wife, Caroline, da. of William-Fulke GREVILLE. He *d.* at the Dolphin Inn, Herne Bay, co. Kent, 6 Aug. 1868, aged 56. Will *pr.* under £200,000. His widow, who was *b.* 1816, living 1890.

V. 1868. 5. ARTHUR-WILLS-BLUNDELL-TRUMBULL-SANDYS-RODEN (HILL), MARQUESS OF DOWNSHIRE, &c. [I.], also EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH, &c., 1st s. and h., *b.* 24 Dec. 1844, in Upper Grosvenor street, Midx.; styled EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH, 1845-68; sometime, 1866-68, an officer in the 1st Life Guards. He *m.* 26 July 1870, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Georgiana-Elizabeth, da. of John BALFOUR, of Balbirnie, co. Fife, by Georgiana-Isabella, da. of John-Frederick (CAMPBELL), 1st EARL CAWDOR. He *d.* 31 March 1874, aged 29, at Easthampstead Park, Berks. His widow living 1890.

VI. 1874. 6. ARTHUR-WILLS-JOHN-WELLINGTON-BLUNDELL-TRUMBULL (HILL), MARQUESS OF DOWNSHIRE [1789], EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH [1751], VISCOUNT HILLSBOROUGH [1717], VISCOUNT KILWARLIN [1751], and BARON HILL OF KILWARLIN [1717], in the peerage of Ireland, also EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH [1772], VISCOUNT FAIRFORD [1772], and BARON HARWICH [1756], in the peerage of Great Britain, only s. and h., *b.* 2 July 1871, at 24 Belgrave square, Midx.; styled EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH till 1874.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 5,287 acres in Berks (valued at £4,853 a year) and 281 in co. Suffolk; besides, in Ireland, of 78,051 acres in co. Down; 15,766 in co. Wicklow; 13,679 in King's county; 5,787 in co. Antrim; and 1,338 in co. Kildare. Total 120,189 acres, valued at £96,691 a year. *Principal Residences*—Hillsborough Castle, co. Down, and Easthampstead Park, near Bracknell, Berks.

The Marquess of Downshire is one of the 28 noblemen who, in 1883, possessed above 100,000 acres in the United Kingdom, being in point of acreage the 18th; but in point of yearly income the 8th. See a list of these in vol. ii, p. 51, note "a," *sub.* "Buccleuch."

Barony.

DOWNTON.

- I. 1747, ANTHONY DUNCOMBE, *cr.* 23 June 1747, "LORD FEVERSHAM, BARON OF DOWNTON, co. Wilts." See under "Feversham" Barony, *cr.* 1747; *ex.* 1763.

DRAYCOTE.

RICHARD DE DRAYCOTE was sum. to attend the King at Salisbury by writ 26 Jan. (1296/7), 25 Ed. I, but such summons cannot be considered in the light of a *regular* writ of summons to Parl. (b)

(a) One of the four extra Knights nominated by William IV. at his Coronation. See vol. ii, p. 209, note "d," *sub.* "Charlemont."

(b) See vol. i, p. 111, note "b," *sub.* "Ap Adam," as to this writ.

DRAYTON.

See "SACKVILLE OF DRAYTON, co. Northampton," Viscounty (*Sackville-Germain*), *cr.* 1782 ; *ex.* 1843.

DROGHEDA.

Viscounty [I.] I. SIR GERALD, OR GARRETT, MOORE, of Mellefont, co. Louth, 1st surv. s. and h. of Sir Edward M. of the same, by his first wife, Mildred, da. and coheir of Nicholas CLIFFORD, of Chart, co. Kent, distinguished himself in the Irish wars against the Earl of Tyrone in 1599, &c. ; was Seneschal of co. Cavan, 1603 ; Constable of Philipstown Castle, 1609 ; M.P. for Dungannon, 1613 and finally, 1615, President of Munster. He was *cr.*, 20 July 1616, BARON MOORE OF MELLEFONT,^(a) co. Louth [I.], and on 7 Feb. 1621/2, was *cr.* VISCOUNT MOORE OF DROGHEDA^(a) [I.] He *m.* about 1590, Mary, da. of Sir Henry COLLEY, of Castle-Carbery, co. Kildare, by Catharine, da. of Sir Thomas CUSACK, Lord Chancellor [I.] He *d.* at Drogheda, 9 Nov. 1627, aged 67, and was *bur.* at St. Peter's Church there. His widow *m.* (as his 2d wife) Charles (WILMOT), 1st VISCOUNT WILMOT OF ATHLONE [I.], sometime President of Connaught. She *d.* 3 June 1654, and was *bur.* by her first husband at Drogheda.

II. 1627. 2. CHARLES (MOORE), VISCOUNT MOORE OF DROGHEDA, &c. [I.], 3d but 1st surv. s. and h. male, was 24 years old at his father's death. He acted with extraordinary vigour during the Irish rebellion of 1640, standing a siege by some 14,000 rebels at Drogheda. Gov. of co. Louth, 1642. He *m.* Alice, yst. da. of Adam (LOFTUS), 1st VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELYE [I.] by Sarah, da. of (—) BATHOW. He was slain by a cannon shot, 7 Aug. 1643, at Portlester, co. Meath, and was *bur.* at St. Peter's, Drogheda. His widow *d.* 13 June 1649 ("of a gangrene") and was *bur.* with him. Admon. (of each of them) 10 Oct. 1650, to son "Adam Moore, Esq."

III. 1643. 3 and 1. HENRY (MOORE), VISCOUNT MOORE OF Earldom [I.] DROGHEDA, &c. [I.], s. and h. ; M.P. for Ardee, 1639-43 ; was, on his father's death, made, in 1643, Gov. of the counties of Meath and I. 1661. Louth, &c., as also Col. of a troop of Horse. In 1653 he compounded with the then Government for £6,953, being about double the clear nett rental of his estates. After the restoration he was, 14 June 1661, *cr.* EARL OF DROGHEDA [I.] He *m.* Alice, sister of Henry, 1st EARL OF SUNDERLAND, da. of William (SPENCER), 2d BARON SPENCER OF WORMLEIGHTON, by Penelope, da. of Henry (WROTHERSLEY), EARL OF SOUTHAMPTON. He *d.* 11 Jan. 1675. His widow who was *hap.* 29 Dec. 1625, at Brington, co. Northampton, was living 15 Oct. 1694, when she had a grant of £2,000 to recompense for 3 years loss of her jointure during the wars of 1689. Her will pr. 1712.

Earldom [I.] }
II. }
Viscounty [I.] } 1675.
IV. }

2 and 4. CHARLES (MOORE), EARL OF DROGHEDA, &c. [I.], s. and h. ; styled VISCOUNT MOORE till 1675. He *m.* (articles 28 Oct. 1669), Letitia-Isabella, da. of John (ROBARTES), 1st EARL OF RADNOR (then Lord Lieut. [I.]), by his 2d wife, Isabella, da. of Sir John SMYTHE. He *d.* s.p.s., in Dublin, 18 June 1679. His widow *m.* as his first wife, William

WYCHERLEY, the well known author of "The Plain Dealer" and other plays, who was *bur.* 5 Jan. 1715/6, at St. Paul's, Covent Garden.

Earldom [I.] }
III. }
Viscounty [I.] } 1679.
V. }

3 and 5. HENRY (HAMILTON-MOORE), EARL OF DROGHEDA, &c. [I.], br. and h. On the death, 26 Dec. 1677, of his sister Alice, Dow. Countess of Clanbrassil [I.], who had devised to him the estates of the Hamilton family he assumed that surname ; sometime a Cornet of Horse ; P.C. to James II, Will. III, and Queen Anne ; attainted by the Irish Parl., 1689, of

(a) The preamble to the patent is given in "Lodge," vol. ii, pp. 96-97.

James II, against whom he commanded a Reg. at the Boyne and at Limerick; one of the Lords Justices [I.] 1696 and 1701; Commissioner for forfeited estates, 1699. He *m.* July 1675 Mary, sister of Arthur, BARON RANELAGH [I.], da. of Sir John COLE, 1st Bart. [I.], of Newland, by Elizabeth, da. of John CHICHESTER, of Dungannon. He *d.* 7 June 1714. Will dat. 25 May 1713.^(a) His widow *d.* in Dublin 6 and was *bur.* 10 May 1726, at St. Anne's, Soho, Midx. Will pr. May 1726.

[CHARLES MOORE, *styled* VISCOUNT MOORE, 1st s. and h. ap., *bap.* 1 Dec. 1676; M.P. for Drogheda, 1692-99 and 1703-13. He *m.* 24 Aug. 1699, Jane, da. and h. of Arthur (LOFTUS), 3d and last VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELYE [I.] He *d.* a few days before his father 21 May 1714, and was *bur.* at Mellefont afsd.]

Earldom [I.] }
IV. }
Viscounty [I.] } 1714.
VI. }

4 and 6. HENRY (MOORE), EARL OF DROGHEDA, &c. [I.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of Charles Moore, *styled* VISCOUNT MOORE, and Jane, his wife, both abovenamed; *b.* 7 Oct. 1700, and was *styled* VISCOUNT MOORE till 1714; took his seat in the House of Lords [I.] 9 Oct. 1721; M.P. for Camelford, 1722-27. He inherited the estate of Monasterevan (since called Moore Abbey), co. Kildare, on the death of his maternal grandfather, 6 Nov. 1725. He *m.* 11 Feb. 1719/20,^(b) Charlotte, 1st da. of Hugh (BOSCAWEN), 1st VISCOUNT FALMOUTH, by Charlotte, da. and coheir of Charles GODFREY. He *d. s.p.s.* 28 May 1727, at Dublin. His widow, who was *b.* 5 Aug. 1702, *d.* 4 April 1735, in her 32d year, and was *bur.* at Twickenham, Midx. Will pr. 1735.

Earldom [I.] }
V. }
Viscounty [I.] } 1727.
VII. }

5 and 7. EDWARD (MOORE), EARL OF DROGHEDA, &c. [I.], br. and h., *b.* 1701; took his seat in the House of Lords [I.], 28 Nov. 1727; P.C. [I.], May 1748; Gov. of co. Meath. He *m.* firstly in 1727, Sarah, 1st da. of Brabazon (PONSONBY), 1st EARL OF BESSBOROUGH [I.], by his first wife, Sarah, da. of James MARGETSON. She who was *b.* March 1711, *d.* in Dublin, 19 Jan. 1736, and was *bur.* at Monasterevan. He *m.* secondly, 30 Sep. 1737, Bridget, da. of William SOUTHWELL, Gov. of Monjuich, by Lucy, da. of William BOWEN, of Ballyadams, Queen's County. He *d.* 23 Oct. 1758, aged 57, being drowned (with his son Edward Loftus Moore) on his passage from England to Dublin. His widow *d.* 27 July 1767, and was *bur.* 30th at Bath Abbey.

[HENRY MOORE, *styled* VISCOUNT MOORE, s. and h. ap. by 1st wife, *b.* 1 May 1728. He *d.* unm. and v.p. at Toulouse, in France, Aug. 1752.]

Earldom [I.] }
VI. }
Viscounty [I.] } 1758.
VIII. }

Marquessate [I.]
I. 1791.

6, 8 and 1. CHARLES (MOORE), EARL OF DROGHEDA, &c. [I.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. by 1st wife, *b.* 29 June 1730, *styled* VISCOUNT MOORE, 1752-58; M.P. for St. Canice, *alias* Irishtown, 1756-58; took his seat in the House of Lords [I.], 16 Oct. 1759; M.P. for Horsham, 1776-80; entered the Army, in which he was finally FIELD MARSHAL. Col. of the 18th Hussars, sometime Master Gen. of the Ordnance: *el. K.P.*, 5 Feb. and inst. 17 March 1783, being one of the 15 original Knights.^(c) On 5 July 1791, he was *cr.* MARQUESS OF DROGHEDA [I.], and on 17 Jan. 1801, he was *cr.* BARON MOORE, OF MOORE PLACE, co. Kent [U.K.] He was Joint Post-Master Gen. [I.] 1797;

^(a) He was one of those in arms for the Prince of Orange in 1688. See a list thereof vol. i, p. 28, note "b," *sub* "Abingdon."

^(b) This marriage is duly mentioned in the "*Historical Register*," as also is one, some five months previous, *viz.*, 1719 Aug. (Qy. if possibly a first marriage) of "the Earl of Drogheda [I.] to Mrs. Johnson, a da. of (—) Johnson, Esq., sometime one of the Barons of the Exchequer [I.]

^(c) See a list of these Knights, vol. i, p. 136, note "d," *sub* "Arran."

Constable of Maryborough Castle, &c. He *m.* 15 Feb. 1766, Anne, da. of, Francis (SEYMOUR-CONWAY), 1st MARQUESS OF HERTFORD, by Arabella, da. of Charles (FITZROY), 2d DUKE OF GRAFTON. She, who was *b.* 1 Aug. 1744, *d. v.p.* 4 Nov. 1784. He *d.* in Dublin, 22 Dec. 1822, aged 92.

Marquessate [I.] }
 II. }
 Earldom [I.] } 1822.
 VII. }
 Viscounty [I.] }
 IX. }

2, 7 and 9. CHARLES (MOORE), MARQUESS OF DROGHEDA, &c. [I.], also BARON MOORE OF MOORE PLACE, 1st s. and h., *b.* 23 Aug. 1770, *styled* VISCOUNT MOORE, till 1822; sometime M.P. in the Irish House, and an officer in the 15th Light Dragoons. He *d.* unm. after 45 years "mental affliction,"^(a) 6 Feb. 1837, aged 68, at Greatford.

Marquessate [I.] }
 III. }
 Earldom [I.] } 1837.
 VIII. }
 Viscounty [I.] }
 X. }

3, 8, and 10. HENRY FRANCIS-SEYMOUR (MOORE), MARQUESS OF DROGHEDA [1791], EARL OF DROGHEDA [1661], VISCOUNT MOORE OF DROGHEDA [1621], and BARON MOORE OF MELLEFONT [1616] in the peerage of Ireland, also BARON MOORE OF MOORE PLACE, co. Kent [1801, U.K.], nephew and h. being s. and h. of Lord Henry-Seymour MOORE, by Mary-Lætitia, da. of Henry Brooke (PARNELL), 1st BARON CONGLETON, which Henry-Seymour was next br. to the last Marquess, but *d.* Aug. 1825. He was *b.* 14 Aug. 1825 at Bath; *ed.* at Eton; P.C. [I.] 1856; **K.P.** 7 Feb. 1868; Lord Lieut. co. Kildare 1874; Lieut. Col. com. Kildare Rifles, &c. He *m.* 25 Aug. 1847, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Mary Caroline, 1st da. of John (STUART-WORTLEY-MACKENZIE), 2nd BARON WARNCLEFFE OF WORTLEY, by Georgiana Elizabeth, da. of Dudley (RYDER) 1st EARL OF HARROWBY. She was *b.* 17 Oct. 1826.

Family Estates...These, in 1883 (not including perpetuity leases), consisted of 16,609 acres in co. Kildare, and 2,688 in Queen's County. Total 19,297 acres, valued at £10,466 a year. *Principal Residence*—Moore Abbey, Monastrevan, co. Kildare.

DROMANA.

This, after the surrender of Dungarvan to the Crown, became the *caput* of the extensive Lordship of the Decies [a Barony, co. Waterford], long held by the Earls of Desmond [I.]

Barony [I.] SIR MAURICE FITZGERALD of the Decies, co. Waterford,
 I. 1569, was *cr.*, 27 Jan. 1569, BARON OF DROMANA, and on the 31st
 to VISCOUNT DECIES [I.], both of which titles on his death, s.p. 28
 1572. Dec. 1572, became *extinct*. See fuller particulars under "DECIES"
 Viscounty [I.], *cr.* 1569; *ex.* 1572.

See "GRANDISON OF DROMANA, co. Waterford," Viscounty [I.] (*Mason Villiers*) *cr.* 1746; *ex.* 1800.

See "STUART-DE-DECIES, OF DROMANA within the Decies, co. Waterford," Barony (*Villiers-Stuart*), *cr.* 1839; *ex.* 1874.

DROMBOY.

i.e., "BARD OF DROMBOY, co. Meath," Barony [I.] (*Bard*), *cr.* 1645 with the VISCOUNTY OF BELLOMONT [I.], which see; *ex.* 1660.

(^a) "Annual Register," 1837.

DROMISKEN.

See "CLERMONT of DROMISKEN, co. Louth," Barony [I.] (*Fortescue*) *cr.* 1852.

DROMORE.

i.e., "DROMORE," Barony [I.] (*Scudamore*), *cr.* 1628 with the Viscount of SCUDAMORE [I], which see; *ex.* 1716.

See "FANSHAWE OF DROMORE," Viscounty [I.] (*Fanshawe*), *cr.* 1661; *ex.* 1716.

DRUMEARN.

See "GORDON OF DRUMEARN, co. Stirling" Barony for life (*Gordon*); *cr.* 1876; *ex.* 1879.

DRUMLANRIG.

i.e., "DRUMLANRIG," Viscounty [S.] (*Douglas*), *cr.* 1628; and again, 1633, with the EARLDOM OF QUEENSBERRY [S.], which see (^a).

i.e., "DRUMLANRIG AND SANQUHAR," Earldom of [S.], (*Douglas*), *cr.* 1682, with the MARQUESSATE OF QUEENSBERRY [S.], and again, 1684 with the DUKEDOM OF QUEENSBERRY [S.], which see (^b).

DRUMMOND.^(c)

Barony [S.] I. SIR JOHN DRUMMOND, of Stobhall and Cargill, co. Perth, s. and h. of Sir Malcolm Drummond of the same, by Mariot, 1st da. of Sir David MURRAY of Tullibardine, sat in parl. [S.] 6 May 1471 under the designation of "*Dominus de Stobhall*," was Senescal of Strathern, 20 March 1473/4; was one of the Embassy to England 1483-84; and was, 29 Jan. 1487/8, *cr.* LORD DRUMMOND [S.] (^d). He joined the party against James III [S.], and sat in the first parl. of James IV [S.], 6 Oct. 1488. He defeated the insurgent Earl of Lennox at Tillymoss, in 1489. P.C. and Justiciary [S.]; Constable of Stirling Castle; one of the Embassy to treat with the English 1495, 1511 and 1513; was imprisoned by the Regent Albany, 16 July 1515 to 23 Nov. 1516, on the charge of striking Lyon Herald, was *forfeited*, but was *restored* in 1516. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Alexander (LINDSAY), 4th EARL OF CRAWFORD [S.], by Marjory, da. of Sir David DUNBAR. He *d.* 1519 at Drummond Castle, aged 81 (^e).

(^a) See also p. 160, note "a," *sub* "Douglas of Hawick," &c.

(^b) See also p. 160, note "b," *sub* "Douglas of Kinmont," &c.

(^c) The family of Drummond is (naturally enough) one of the twelve given in Drummond's "Noble British Families," being, perhaps, one of the most profusely illustrated in that magnificent series. See vol. i, p. 77, note "a," *sub*. "Alvanley." There have also been several histories of this distinguished family, *e.g.*, one by D. Malcolm, 1808, 8vo; another by the Hon. W. Drummond, ed. by D. Laing, 1831, 4to; &c.

(^d) "Johannes Drummond de Cargill, effectus fuit dominus Parliamenti, et, in futurum, nominandus *Dominus Drummond*."

(^e) Of his six daughters the most noted was Margaret, mistress to King James IV [S.], who was poisoned with her sisters, Sybylla Drummond, and Euphemia, wife of John, Lord Fleming, in 1501, all 3 being *bur.* at Dunblane. Of the other three—Annabella *m.* William (Graham) 1st Earl of Montrose [S.]; Beatrix *m.* James (Hamilton) 1st Earl of Arran [S.], while Elizabeth *m.* George Douglas, Master of Angus, and was mother of Archibald, 6th Earl of Angus [S.], whose da. and h., Margaret, Countess of Lennox [S.], was mother of Henry (Stuart), Lord Darnley, King Consort of Scotland, the Father of King James I, and ancestor of every succeeding monarch.

[WILLIAM DRUMMOND, MASTER OF DRUMMOND, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap. Having a feud with the race of Murray he aided in 1490 in the burning of the church of Monzleivaird, containing some 160 of that race, for which act his br. David Drummond (and according to some accounts he himself) was tried and executed at Stirling. He *m.* firstly, Isabel, 2d da. of Colin (CAMPBELL), 1st EARL OF ARGYLL [S.] He *m.* secondly before 21 March 1502/3, Mariot FORRESTER. He was apparently living 1503 but *d. v.p.* probably about 1511.]

[WALTER DRUMMOND, MASTER OF DRUMMOND, s. and h. of the above William, by his 1st wife Isabel abovenamed, and grandson and h. ap. of the 1st Lord. He *m.* in 1513 Elizabeth, 2d da. of William (GRAHAM), 1st EARL OF MONTROSE [S.] He *d.* in the lifetime of his grandfather 1518.]

II. 1519. 2. DAVID (DRUMMOND), LORD DRUMMOND [S.], great grandson and h., being s. and h. of Walter Drummond, Master of Drummond, and Elizabeth, his wife, abovenamed; served h. to his great grandfather 17 Feb. 1520. He had divers confirmations of his lands and Baronies particularly one, 25 Oct. 1542, of lands united into the *Barony of Drummond* to himself and the heirs male of his body with rem. to John Drummond of Innerpeffry, Andrew D. of Bellycrone, Henry D. of Riccarton, and William D. of Smithstoun, in like manner, rem. to his nearest heirs whatsoever. He joined George Douglas in 1545 in a marauding expedition into England. He was one of the association at Hamilton 8 May 1568, on behalf of Mary, Queen of Scots. He *m.* firstly, 1535, Margaret, da. and h. of Alexander STEWART, Bishop of Moray, illegitimate son of Alexander, DUKE OF ALBANY [S.] She was living 1539, but *d. s.p.m.* before Dec. 1543. He *m.* secondly, before 3 Dec. 1543, Lilian, 2d da. of William (RUTHVEN), 2d LORD RUTHVEN [S.], by Janet. *suo jure* BARONESS DIRLETOUN [S.] He *d.* 1571.^(a) His widow living 1575.

III. 1571. 3. PATRICK (DRUMMOND), LORD DRUMMOND [S.], s. and h. by 2d wife, *b.* 1550. He embraced the reformed religion^(b) and sat in the Parl. [S.], 1584 and 1597. He *m.* firstly, Elizabeth, 1st da. of David (LINDSAY), 9th EARL OF CRAWFORD [S.] (the interpolated Earl), by his 2d wife, Catharine, da. of Sir John CAMPBELL, of Calder. She *d.* May 1585. Admon. (to her husband), 13 Aug. 1589, at Edinburgh. He *m.* secondly in 1588, Agnes, Dow. COUNTESS OF EGLINTOUN [S.], da. and coheir of Sir John DRUMMOND, of Innerpeffry, by Lady Margaret STEWART (widow of John GORDON, MASTER OF HUNTLY), illegit. da. of King James IV [S.], by Margaret Drummond.^(c) By her he had no issue. He *d.* in or before 1600.^(d)

IV. 1600. 4. JAMES (DRUMMOND), LORD DRUMMOND, [S.], s. and h. by 1st wife. He was, 4 March 1604/5, *cr.* EALL OF PERTH [S.], with rem. to his heirs male whatsoever, See that dignity.

(a) The second and yst. son of the 2d Lord, James Drummond, was on 31 Jany. 1608/9, *cr.* Lord Maderly [S.], being grandfather of William (the 4th Lord), *cr.* in 1686, Viscount Strathallan [S.], ancestor of the succeeding Viscounts; while of the 5 daughters, Jean, *m.* John (Graham), 4th Earl of Montrose [S.]; Ann, *m.* John (Erskine), Earl of Mar [S.]; Liliias, *m.* David (Lindsay), 11th Earl of Crawford [S.]; Catharine, *m.* John (Murray), 1st Earl of Tullibardine [S.], and Mary, *m.* Sir James Stirling, of Keir.

(b) Is described "in a list of the nobles [S.] of 1595, as of 45 years and his religion Protestant.

(c) See *ante*, note "e."

(d) As in the case of the 1st and 2d Lords, nearly all his children were Peers or married to Peers; both his sons were successively Earls, while of his 5 daughters, Catherine, *m.* James Leslie, Master of Rothes and was mother of John, Earl of Rothes [S.]; Liliias, *m.* Alexander (Seton), 1st Earl of Dunfermline [S.]; Jean, *m.* Robert (Kerr), 1st EARL OF ROXBURGH [S.]; Elizabeth, *m.* Alexander (Elphinstone), 5th Lord Elphinstone [S.], and Ann, *m.* Patrick Barclay and secondly, Andrew Fraser.

i.e. "DRUMMOND OF GILSTOUN." Barony [S.] (*Drummond*), *cr.* 14 April 1685, with the VISCOUNTCY OF MELFORT [S.] See "MELFORT," Earldom of [S.], *cr.* 1686.

i.e. "DRUMMOND OF RICCARTOUN, CASTLEMAIN AND GILSTOUN," Barony [S.] (*Drummond*), *cr.* 12 Aug. 1686, with the EARLDOM OF MELFORT [S.], which see.

i.e. "DRUMMOND OF CROMLIX," Barony [S.] (*Drummond*), *cr.* 16 Aug. 1686, with the VISCOUNCY OF STRATHALLAN [S.], which see.

DRUMRY.

i.e. "KILBIRNY, KINGSBURN AND DRUMRY," Barony [S.], (*Lindsay Crawford*), *cr.* 10 April 1703, with the VISCOUNTCY OF MOUNT-CRAWFORD [S.], which last dignity was changed by patent, 26 Nov. 1703 to the Viscounty of Garnock [S.], which see.

DUBLIN.

Marquessate.^(a) ROBERT (DE VERE), 9th EARL OF OXFORD, was *cr.* in I, 1385, full Parl. 1 Dec. 1385, MARQUESS^(a) OF DUBLIN^(b) (with the Lordship and domain of Ireland for the term of his life) and was to 1386. sum. by that title to Parl. on 8 Aug. 1386. These letters patent were, however, surrendered and cancelled a few months later and he was *cr.* 13 Oct. 1386, DUKE OF IRELAND^(c) with the

^(a) "Such is the proper mode of spelling this title, which has, however, only obtained generally within these few years. The amusing author of *Heraldic Anomalies* (vol. i, p. 218) gives the present [1844] Duke of Marlborough when Marquis [*sic*] of Blandford [1817-1840] the credit of having been among the first to revive the old and correct mode of writing it. *Marquis* was not only incorrect but objectionable, not only as being more French than English, and (tho' a high title) in France not only more common than in England, but one so frequently adopted as a travelling title as to give rise to a verb '*se marquiser*,' to assume the title of Marquis." See a (very carefully compiled) work by William J. Thoms, F.S.A., entitled "*The Book of the Court*," 2d edit., 1844, p. 96. On the other hand a well known Antiquary (Mr. H. Gough) considers the adoption of the form *Marquess* to be "rather unfortunate" as "according to the old English practice it was the *feminine* form, *e.g.*, the *Lady Marquesse* of Winchester." Under which of these two forms the word "*Marchio*" is most properly to be rendered in English *may* be doubtful, yet inasmuch as Winchester "is the *only* Marquessate [E. or G. B. or U. K.] existing [save some few that are enjoyed *with* certain Dukedoms] earlier than 1784, after and long before which period, the patents being in English, each one (it is believed) of that grade was *created* "*Marquess*," it seems foolish not to follow universally the form adopted by the House of Lords in which (see Garter's Roll) Winchester (as well as others of the same grade) is styled "*Marquess*" not "*Marquis*." None of the Irish Marquessates are of greater antiquity than 1789 (tho' *within twelve years* from that date no less than *nine* were created) so that none consequently were created by patents written in Latin.

^(b) This was the first Marquessate *cr.* in this realm. See p. 147, note "a," *sub* "Dorset" Marquessate of, *cr.* 1397.

^(c) This was the first Dukedom conferred on one who was not of the Royal Family but the same king (Richard II.) in 1397 *cr.* in one day no less than five Dukedoms, *viz.*, Hereford, Surrey, Exeter, Albemarle, and Norfolk, of which only two (Hereford, Albemarle) were, by *male* descent, of the house of Plantagenet.

Lordship and domain of Ireland annexed for the term of his life.^(a) He was *attainted* and outlawed 3 Feb. 1388, when *all his honours* became *forfeited*. See "OXFORD" Earldom of, *cr.* about 1155; *ex.* 1703, *sub* the 9th Earl.^(b)

"DUBLIN," Earldom of [I.] (*H.R.H. Prince Henry-Frederick*) *cr.* 1766 with the DUKEDOM OF CUMBERLAND, which see; *ex.* 1790.

"DUBLIN," Earldom of [I.] (*H.R.H. Prince Edward*) *cr.* 1799 with the DUKEDOM OF KENT, which see; *ex.* 1820.

"DUBLIN," Earldom of (*H.R.H. Albert Edward, Prince of Wales*) *cr.* 17 Jany. 1850, "to hold to him and his heirs, Kings of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for ever." See "CORNWALL," Dukedom of, 1841, and vol. ii, p. 374, note "c."

DUCIE.

[See "DOWNE" Viscounty [I.] (*Ducie*), *cr.* about 1661; *ex.* 1679; it being possible that this creation was "DUCIE OF DOWNE."]

DUCIE, DUCIE OF MORETON and DUCIE OF TORTWORTH

Barony: I. MATTHEW-DUCIE MORETON, of Moreton and Engleton, co. Stafford, only s. and h. of Edward M. of the same, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Robert DUCIE, of Little Aston, co. Stafford, niece of William (DUCIE), VISCOUNT DOWNE [I.] (from whom she inherited Tortworth, co. Glouc.), served under William III. in Flanders till the peace of Ryswick in 1697; M.P. for Gloucestershire, 1708-13 and 1715-20; Vice Treasurer and Paymaster Gen. [I.], 1717; was *cr.* 9 June 1720, LORD DUCIE, BARON OF MORETON, co. Stafford. He m. Arabella, da. and coheir of Sir Thomas PRESTWICH, Bart., of Holm, co. Lanc. He d. at Jermyn street, Midx., 2 and was *bur.* 6 May 1735, at Tortworth, co. Glouc., aged 72. Will pr. 16 May 1735. His widow d. 14 March 1749/50, aged 90, at Woodchester Park, co. Glouc., and was *bur.* at Tortworth.

II. 1735. 2 and 1. MATTHEW-DUCIE (MORETON), LORD DUCIE, **Barony.** BARON OF MORETON, 1st s. and h., b. before 1700; M.P., for Cricklade 1721-22; for Calne, 1723-27; for Gloucester 1727; for Tregony, I. 1763. 1729-34; and for Lostwithiel, 1735; Constable of St. Briavels, Warden of the Forest of Dean and Lord Lieut. of co. Glouc. 1755-58, On 27 April 1763 he was *cr.* BARON DUCIE OF TORTWORTH, co. Glouc. with a spec. rem., failing the heirs male of his body, to his nephews, Thomas Reynolds and Francis Reynolds respectively, in like manner. He d. unm. at Nympsfield Park, co. Glouc., 25 Dec. 1770, and was *bur.* 1 Jan. following at Tortworth, when the *Barony of Ducie of Moreton* (*cr.* 1720) became *extinct*. Will pr. 5 Feb. 1771.

II. 1770. 2. THOMAS (REYNOLDS, afterwards REYNOLDS-MORETON), **Barony.** BARON DUCIE OF TORTWORTH, nephew and h. according to the spec. lim. in the creation of that dignity. He was s. and h. of Francis REYNOLDS of Strangways, in Manchester, co. Lanc., by Elizabeth, sister of Matthew, the last Lord Ducie. He was b. at Strangways 26 Oct., and *bur.* 26 Nov. 1733 at Manchester; was an

(a) The Marquessate of Dublin and the Dukedom of Ireland should, probably, only be regarded, not so much as actual peerages, as loftier designations of a person possessing an actual Earldom. In like manner the Duke of Warwick was, about 1445, made King of the Isle of Wight, and possibly it was in a somewhat similar manner that in 1301 Edward (afterwards King Edward II.), Earl of Chester, was styled Prince of Wales, &c.

(b) "The style of John de Vere, 13th Earl of Oxford, as proclaimed in the presence of King Henry VII. included the title of *Marquis of Dublin*, for which no vestige of legal authority is known." See Doyle's "*Official Baronage of England*," vol. i, preface, p. x.

officer, 10th Dragoons, 1750-54; Capt., 3rd Dragoon Guards, 1755; Lieu. Col., Coldstream Foot Guards, 1762-71. By act of Parl. 8 March 1771 he took the name and arms of *Moreton*. He *m.* 20 Feb. 1774 at Brotherton, co. York, Margaret 2nd da. of Sir John RAMSDEN, 3rd Bart., of Byrom, by Margaret, da. and h. of William NORTON of Sawley. He *d.* 11 Sep. 1785, and was *bur.* at Tortworth, Admon. Oct. 1785. His widow was *bur.* there 29 May 1786. Will pr. May 1786.

III. 1785. 3. FRANCIS (REYNOLDS-MORETON), BARON DUCIE OF TORTWORTH, only br. and h., according to the spec. lim. in the creation of that dignity. He was *b.* at Strangways, 28 March, and was *bap.* 25 June 1739, at Manchester; was an officer in the Royal Navy, and finally, 1762, Post Captain; M.P. for Lancaster, 1784-85 and clerk of the Crown for that county. By act of Parl. 1786 he took the name and arms of *Moreton*. He *m.* firstly, 10 Oct. 1774, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Mary, da. and coheir of Thomas PROVIS of Charlton, near Shepton Mallet, Somerset. She *d.* May 1789. He *m.* secondly, 18 June 1791, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Sarah, widow of Robert CHILD of Osterley Park, Midx., da. of Paul JODRELL, but by her he had no issue. She *d.* 23 May 1793. Will pr. June 1793^(a). He *d.* 19 Aug. 1808, aged 69, at Tortworth. Will pr. 1808.

IV. 1808. 4 and 1. THOMAS (REYNOLDS-MORETON), BARON DUCIE EARLDOM. OF TORTWORTH, 1st s. and h., *b.* 31 Aug. and *bap.* 20 Sep. 1773, at St. Geo. Han. Sq.; *ed.* at Eton and at Exeter Coll., Oxford; *cr.* I. 1837. M.A., 28 June 1797; and, forty years afterwards, (having apparently held no office save that he was in 1800, Lieut.-Col. of the West Glouc. Militia), was, on 28 Jany. 1837, *cr.* BARON MORETON OF TORTWORTH, co. Gloucester and EARL OF DUCIE^(b). F.R.S. and F.S.A. He *m.* 5 Dec. 1797, at her father's house, Tenterden Street, St. Geo. Han. Sq., Frances, da. of Henry (HERBERT), 1st EARL OF CARNARVON, by Elizabeth-Alicia-Maria, da. of Charles (WYNDHAM), 2d EARL OF EGREMONT. She, who was *b.* 12 June 1775, *d.* 22 Aug. 1830. He *d.* 22 June 1840. Will pr. Dec. 1840.

Earldom. }
II. }
Barony. } 1840.
V. }
2 and 5. HENRY-GEORGE-FRANCIS (REYNOLDS-MORETON), EARL OF DUCIE, &c., 1st s. and h., *b.* May 1802, in London; M.P. for Gloucestershire, 1831-32; for East Gloucestershire, 1832-35; *styled* LORD MORETON, 1837-40; one of the Lords-in-Waiting, 1846-52. He *m.* 29 June 1826, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Elizabeth, 1st da. of John (DUTTON), 1st BARON SHERBORNE, by Mary, da. and h. of Henry-Stawel (LEGGE), BARON STAWEL OF SOMERTON. He *d.* 2 June 1853, aged 51, at Tortworth Court. Will pr. Sep. 1853. His widow, who was *b.* 19 Feb. 1807, *d.* there 15 March 1865, aged 58.

Earldom. }
II. }
Barony. } 1853.
VI. }
3 and 6. HENRY-JOHN (REYNOLDS-MORETON), EARL OF DUCIE, [1837], BARON DUCIE OF TORTWORTH [1763] and BARON MORETON OF TORTWORTH [1837], 1st s. and h., *b.* 25 June 1827, *styled* LORD MORETON, 1840-53; M.P. for Stroud, 1852-53; Lord Lieut. for co. Gloucester, 1857; Capt. of the Yeomen of the Guard, 1859-66; P.C., 1859; Lord Warden of the Stannaries, 1888; Member of the Council of the Prince of Wales, 1889. He *m.* 24 May 1849, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., his cousin, Julia, only da. and h. of James-Haughton LANGSTON, of Sarsden House, Oxon, by Julia, da. of Thomas (REYNOLDS-MORETON), 1st EARL OF DUCIE.

(a) See an account of the disposal of her property in "Gent. Mag.," vol. lxiii, pt. 1, p. 485. Her only da. (the greatest heiress of her period), Sarah Anne Child, *m.* John (Fane), Earl of Westmorland.

(b) One would have expected the title to have been *Earl Ducie*, not *Earl of Ducie* inasmuch as Ducie was a personal and not a local name.

[HENRY-HAUGHTON REYNOLDS-MORETON, *styled* LORD MORETON, only s. and h. ap. b. 4 May 1857; M.P. for West Glouc. 1880-85. He m. 18 Dec. 1888, at St. Peter's, Eaton sq., Ada-Margarette, 1st da. of Dudley-Robert SMITH, of Pirbright, Surrey, and of Belgrave sq., Midx.]

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 8,798 acres in Oxon, and 5,193 in Gloucestershire, besides one acre (worth £122 a year) in Lancashire. Total 13,992, worth £21,971 a year. *Principal Residence*--Tortworth Court, Gloucestershire.

DUDHOPE

Viscounty [S.] I. 1641. 1. SIR JOHN SCRIMGEOUR, of Dudhope, Constable of Dundee, Heritable Standard-bearer [S.], s. and h. of Sir James S. of the same, by Margaret, da. of Sir Robert CARNEGIE, of Kinnaird; *suc.* his father in those offices, about 1615, and was *cr.*, by King Charles I "for good and faithful service," VISCOUNT OF DUDHOPE and LORD SCRIMGEOUR [S.], with rem. to heirs male whatsoever. He m. Margaret SETON, of Parbroath, co. Fife. He d. 7 March 1642/3.

II. 1643. 2. JAMES (SCRIMGEOUR), VISCOUNT DUDHOPE, &c. [S.], only s. and h., served heir 25 April 1643. He m. Isabel, 3rd da. of Robert (KER) 1st EARL OF ROXBURGH [S.] by his 1st wife, Margaret, da. of Sir William MAITLAND. Being in command in the Scotch forces sent to assist the Parl. against the King, he was wounded at the battle of Marston Moor on the 2nd and d. of his wounds 23 July, 1644.

III. 1644, 1658. 3. JOHN (SCRIMGEOUR), VISCOUNT DUDHOPE and LORD SCRIMGEOUR [S.], 6th s. and h., served heir 4 Nov. 1644; was Col. of a troop of horse in the attempt made in 1648 to rescue King Charles I, by the Duke of Hamilton; was with King Charles II at the battle of Worcester in 1650; and was taken prisoner at Angus, by the English, in Nov. 1654. At the restoration he was made P.C. and was in 1661 *cr.* EARL OF DUNDEE VISCOUNT OF DUDHOPE, LORD SCRIMGEOUR AND INNERKEITHING [S.], but the limitations of these dignities are not known. He m., in 1644, Anne, 2nd da. of William (RAMSAY), 1st EARL OF DALHOUSIE [S.] by his 1st wife Margaret, da. of David (CARNEGIE), 1st EARL OF SOUTHESK [S.]. He d. s.p., at Dudhope, 23 June 1668, since which time *all his honours*, if not extinct, have remained *dormant* (a). His widow m., 13 Oct. 1670, Sir Henry BRUCE, of Clackmannan (b).

(a) The issue male of the grantee was doubtless extinct. The Earl's only br., Captain Scrimgeour, had d. unm. some seven years before, being killed, "by way of duell," in London, Aug. 1661 by the Lord Cranstoun. The collateral heir male appears to have been excluded by the all powerful Duke of Lauderdale, who, on the death of the Earl "obtained from the Crown a gift of *ultimus hæres* and of recognition of his estate in favour of his brother, Charles Maitland," tho' "agreeably to the settlements of the estates, 1541 and 1587, they should have devolved on the family of [Scrimgeour of] Kirkton." See Wood's "*Douglas*," vol. i, p. 466, where also an account of this family of Scrimgeour is given. Tho', probably, the Earldom of Dundee is extinct, the Viscounty of Dudhope appears to be vested in the *heir male*, who most likely is existing.

(b) According to some accounts the celebrated John Graham of Claverhouse, who in 1688 was *cr.* Viscount Dundee [S.], was two years previously, *viz.*, in 1686, *cr.* LORD DUDHOPE [S.], but no such creation seems capable of proof, or even probable.

DUDLEY^(a) or SUTTON DE DUDLEY.^(b)

Barony by *I. JOHN SUTTON*, of Dudley Castle, co. Stafford, s. and h. of John de Sutton,^(c) also of Dudley Castle, in right of his wife Margaret, da. of Roger DE SOMERY, of the same (which Margaret was eldest of the two sisters^(d) and coheirs of John, LORD SOMERY^(e) [1308-21] also of Dudley Castle afsd.) was *b.* probably about 1310 (his mother being aged 32 in 1321); *suc.* his father (who had been restored to the Dudley

^(a) A most able and by far the best account of the "Barons of Dudley," appeared in 1870, in "The Her. and Gen.," vols. v and vi, by H. Sydney Grazebrook, and subsequently (some 20 years later), with additions in vol. ix of the *Wm. Salt Arch. Soc.*, pp. 152. The Editor has made free use of this and here (once for all) expresses his deep obligation thereto.

^(b) The remarks of the learned Sir Harris Nicolas, as to the nomenclature of this Barony, are as under, omitting (however) his suggestions that John Sutton, of *Holderness*, was the husband of Margaret de Someri, inasmuch as not only the writ of 6 Ed. III, shews him to be a *distinct* person from John Sutton, of Dudley (whom, indeed, Nicolas suggests to have been his son), but there is other good evidence that the families were *totally distinct*. See a note on this subject by Banks in his "*Bar. Angl. Conc.*," vol. i, p. 425. Nicolas (followed by Courthope) places the Someri family under the heading of "DUDLEY," with the following note thereto.

"Although this Barony is uniformly considered to be that of 'DUDLEY,' it appears very questionable if such is the proper designation. That, antecedent to the latter part of the reign of Edw. I, the *tenure* of the Castle of Dudley constituted the family of Somerie, Barons by Tenure, can scarcely be doubted; but that such tenure did not establish a right in the possessor of that castle to demand a writ of summons to Parl. may be inferred from the fact, that John de Somerie, who was first sum. to Parl. 1 Edw. II, and who continued to be regularly summoned to the 15 Edw. II, is never once designated as 'DE DUDLEY,' but is merely described as 'Johanni de Somery.' On his death, s.p., 1 Edw. III, according to the present law on the subject, the Barony created by the writ of 1 Ed. II, became extinct. In the 16 Edw. III, John de Sutton, his nephew and coheir, was summoned as 'Johanni de Sutton de Duddle,' which is the first time that designation occurs in the writs of summons to Parl., and which in all probability was solely used to distinguish him from another John de Sutton who was sum. to the same Parl. as 'Johanni de Sutton de Holderness.' A John de Sutton was also sum. from 26 Dec., 17 Edw. II. [*sed quere*], to 30 Dec., 18 Edw. II,* as 'Johanni de Sutton,' and again, from 20 July, 6 Edw. III, to 20 April, 17 Edw. III, with the addition of 'de Holderness,' and there does not appear to be any greater cause for considering that the addition of 'de Dudley' created a Barony of DUDLEY, than that the Barony created by the writ to John de Sutton, 6 Edw. III, should be designated as the Barony of 'Holderness.' The writ of the 16 Edw. III, was the only one ever issued to the last-mentioned John de Sutton 'de Dudley,' although he lived about nineteen years afterwards; nor was his son, or grandson, though each of them died of full age, ever sum. to Parl., but his great-grandson was sum. from 18 Hen. VI, 1440. It is thus manifest that the tenure of the Castle of Dudley was not at this time considered to constitute a right to a writ of summons; that John de Somerie, who was first sum. in 1 Edw. II, was not described as Baron 'of Dudley'; that, according to the decision in the case of Charles Longueville, Esquire, on claiming the Barony of Grey de Ruthyn in 1640, the proper designation of the Barony created by the writ of the 1 Ed. II, to John de Somerie, was that of 'SOMERIE'; that the said dignity became extinct in the 1 of Edw. III; and that the Barony created by the writ to John de Sutton, 16 Edw. III, was that of 'SUTTON'; or if the description used in that writ be insisted upon, 'Sutton de Dudley.' Some remarks on this subject will be found

* It is *possible* that the John Sutton of the writ of 18 Ed. II (1324), may have been John Sutton of *Dudley* (the husband of the heiress), who in the next year, 19 Ed. II, alienated Dudley to the Despencer family, which was not restored till the next reign. In that case, this John of (1324), 18 Ed. II, would be distinct from the John Sutton of (1332), 6 Edw. III, who was *clearly* of the Holderness family.

estate in 1327 which two years before had been alienated to the Despencer family) some date after 1329, and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD DUDLEY or SUTTON DE DUDLEY) by writ 25 Feb. (1341/2), 16 Ed III. directed "*Johanni de Sutton de*

under 'CHERLETON' [see vol. ii, p. 219, note "a"]; and after much consideration the Editor [Nicolas] fully coincides with the position that the designation frequently added to the names of Barons in writs of sum. to Parl. before the reign of Hen. VI, never did, nor was it ever intended that they should, confer a title of dignity, but that it was generally used to distinguish Barons of the same name from each other, and was taken chiefly from their residence or possessions.

In the reign of Hen. VI, probably from the numerous political convulsions which characterize that period, frequent anomalies in cases of Peerage are to be found, as parties, when possessed of the unbounded temporary influence which generally attends some individuals in such disturbed times, obtained from the Crown concessions which can neither be reconciled with previous or subsequent practice, and of which the case of Lisle, which will hereafter be stated, affords a sufficient proof. It was under that monarch that instances are to be first discovered, when some designations added to the names in writs of summons indisputably implied the title of the Barony; but with the exceptions of the cases of Bergavenny and Grey of Powis, it was never even then pretended, when the addition was derived from territorial possessions, that such was the title of the dignity; but, with the two exceptions just cited, in every single example where such addition was the title of the personage to whose name it was affixed, it was derived from the name of the family from whom they inherited, or by marriage acquired the dignity. This assertion will be sufficiently established by the following instance. In the 33 Hen. VI John Bouchier was sum. to Parl. as '*Johanni Bouchier de Berners*,' he having m. the da. and h. of Richard Berners, who had the reputation of a Baron, temp. Hen. V, but who was never sum. to Parl.; at that period there was a William Bouchier who sat in Parl. as Lord FitzWarine, which title he acquired by marrying the heiress of the Baron of that name, and who was then and has ever since properly been considered as Lord FitzWarine; on the same principle this John Bouchier was sum. as Lord Berners, notwithstanding that his father-in-law was never a Parliamentary Baron. In the writs of Summons in which these instances occur (and several other precisely similar might be cited), Edmund Grey was sum. as '*Edmundo Grey de Ruthyn*,' Edward Grey as '*Edwardo Grey de Groby*,' Thomas Dacre as '*Thomæ Dacre de Gillesland*,' John Scrope as '*Johanni Scrope de Masham*,' Henry Scrope as '*Henrico Scrope de Bolton*,' &c.; but it cannot for an instant be pretended that either *Ruthyn* (which, as it has been already just observed, was decided in the negative by the House of Peers in 1640), *Groby*, *Gillesland*, *Masham* or *Bolton*, being all names of lands, were the titles of the Baronies.

The case of Bergavenny has been commented upon [see vol. i, p. 14, note "b"] and the conclusion there stated is that the title of Bergavenny was never that of the Barony until Edward Neville was sum. to Parl. as '*Domino de Bergavenny*,' 29 Hen. VI. With respect to that of Powis, which has also been noticed under CHERLETON, and will again be alluded to under GREY of Powis, it is only necessary to observe here, that that instance appears strongly to corroborate the position, that when the designation was taken from lands, it was solely a distinction, and never a title of dignity, excepting in the case of Bergavenny in the reign of Hen. VI, or when the title originated in a patent. To these observations it should be added that such descriptions are very similar to those since used in patents of creation; for example, '*Baron Montagu of St. Neots*,' '*Baron Howard of Effingham*,' '*Viscount Duncan of Camperdown*,' &c."

(c) See sub note to note "b" (p. 180) as to the possibility of this John Sutton having been sum. as a Baron by writ 30 Dec. (1324), 18 Ed. II.

(d) Edmondson asserts they were his daughters and heirs, and hence deduces the Barony from the writ of summons 1 Edw. II; but the escheats in both instances prove that his sisters were his [i.e., John, Lord Somery's] heirs." See "Nicolas."

(e) The peerage Barony of Somery is in this work treated of under that title. It is treated of, by "Nicolas" (followed by "Courthope"), under "*Dudley*" (of which John de Somery was doubtless feudal Lord) inconsistently with the treatment of "*Cherleton*" (feudal Lords of Powis) and the *dicta* thereunder laid down.

Duddeley" which writ^(a) tho' he lived 17 years afterwards, was never repeated. He *m.* before 1329, Isabella, da. of John (DE CHERLETON), LORD CHERLETON feudal LORD of POWIS, by Hawyse, sister and h. of Griffin AP OWEN styled DE LA POLE also feudal LORD of POWIS. He *d.* 23 Nov. 1359. *Inq. post mortem* 10 and 14 Jan. 1359/60, and 10 May 1360. His widow *m.* before 1360 Sir Richard DUDLEY, who, by the courtesy of England, styled himself (1360) "*Seigneur de Dudley*" and who was living 1377. She *d.* at an advanced age 10 April 1397, having outlived both her son and grandson. *Inq. post mortem* 6, 14, and 24 Feb. 1400/1.

II. 1359. 2. SIR JOHN SUTTON, *de jure*, apparently, LORD DUDLEY OR SUTTON DE DUDLEY, s. and h., was of full age at his father's death. He was never sum. to Parl.^(b) He was living June 1369 but *d.* soon afterwards. He *m.* firstly before 1361 Catharine.^(c) He *m.* secondly Joan,^(c) widow of Sir John de MOUNTFORT, of Coleshill, co. Warwick, da. and h. of John CLINTON, of Coleshill, afsd. He *d.* in or before 1370. His widow *m.* before 1371 Sir Henry GRIFFITH and was living 1407.

III. 1370? 3. SIR JOHN SUTTON, *de jure*, apparently, LORD DUDLEY OR SUTTON DE DUDLEY, only s. and h. by 1st wife, *b.* 6 Dec. 1361, at Coleshill in Arden, co. Warwick, and *bap.* there. He likewise was never sum. to Parl.^(b) He *m.* firstly Alice, probably a da. of Philip LE DESPENCER, of Carlington, his Guardian. She *d.* (16 Ric. II.), 1392. He *m.* secondly Joan.^(d) He *d.* 10 March 1395/6. *Inq. post mortem* 12 April 1397 and 1401. His widow had livery of dower 23 May 1402. She died in Lent term 1408. *Inq. post mortem* 2 Nov. 1408.

IV. 1396. 4. SIR JOHN SUTTON, *de jure*, apparently, LORD DUDLEY OR SUTTON DE DUDLEY, s. and h., *b.* about 1380, being 17 in 1397 at the inquest on his father's death and 21 in 1401 at that on the death of his great grandmother Isabella, abovenamed, at whose demise he inherited Dudley Castle.^(b) He like his two predecessors was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron. He *m.* before 10 Dec. 1401, Constance, da. of Sir Walter BLOUNT, of Barton, co. Derby (slain 1402), by Donna Sanchia DE AYALA, his wife. He *d.* 29 Aug. 1406, in his 26th year. *Inq. post mortem* 13 Sep. and 16 Nov. 1406. His widow *d.* Sep. 1432. *Inq. post mortem* 15 Oct. 1432.

V. 1406. 5. JOHN (SUTTON, *alias* DUDLEY), LORD DUDLEY OR SUTTON DE DUDLEY, s. and h., *b.* 25 Dec. 1400, and *bap.* at Barton under Needwood, co. Derby; carried the Standard at the funeral of Henry V. in 1422; Lord Lieut. of Ireland, 1428-30; was in the wars with France; and was sum.

(a) "As a single writ of summons, without a proof of sitting under it, has been held not to constitute an hereditary dignity, it seems most probable in the event of the abeyance of this Barony being terminated, that it will be considered to have originated in the writ of summons to John Sutton in the 18 Hen. VI." See "Courthope."

(b) The possession of the Castle of Dudley was from 1359 to 1397 vested in Isabella, widow of the first Lord. Mr. Grazebrook, in his valuable work (see p. 180, note "a"), considering "the Barony of Dudley, at this date, as a territorial dignity" holds that this possession "had a great deal to do with the issue or non-issue of a writ." This may be so, but it is to be noticed that John Sutton, who was sum. by writ in 1342, was, tho' in full possession of the Castle for seventeen years afterwards, never again summoned. See Sir H. Nicolas' observations on the writ of 16 Ed. III. p. 180, note "b."

(c) Beltz in his "Memorials of the Garter," p. 195, states his wife to have been Margaret, da. of Thomas (Beauchamp), Earl of Warwick, who *d.* 1401. See, however, Grazebrook's "Barons of Dudley," p. 59, note "4."

(d) He is said in Baker's "Northamptonshire" and elsewhere to have *m.* firstly Joan, the mother of his heir, and secondly "Margaret, da. of Roger Mortimer of Wigmore," while Alice Le Despencer is given as a first wife to his son, to whom Constance Blount is given as a second. The match with Mortimer is, however, not borne out by the pedigrees of that family.

to Parl. as a Baron by writs directed "*Johanni de Sutton de Duddeley, Militi*," from 15 Feb. (1439/40), 18 Hen. VI.^(a) to 1 Sep. (1387), 3 Hen. VII. He was one of those whom the Commons petitioned in 1451 to be removed from the councils of the King, with whom, on 23 May 1455, he was taken prisoner at the battle of St. Albans and on whose side he was wounded at Blore Heath 23 Sep. 1459. He was el. **K.G.** before 23 April 1459. He was, however, much favoured by the new King by whom in 1473 he was made Constable of the Tower. He *m.* Elizabeth, widow of Edward (CHERLETON), LORD CHERLETON DE POWYS (who *d.* 1421), da. of Sir John BERKELEY, of Beverstone, co. Glouc., by Elizabeth, da. of Sir John BETTESHORNE. She who was living 20 July 1455, *d.* before 1479, and was *bur.* in St. James Priory, Dudley. He *d.* 30 Sep. 1487, in his 87th year, and was *bur.* there, his "goodly monument" being removed to St. Edmund's, Dudley. Will ("*John Dudley, Knt., Lord Dudley*") dat. 14 Aug. 1487, and *pr.* 1487. *Inq. post mortem* 23 Nov. 1487.^(b)

VI. 1487. 6. EDWARD (SUTTON *alias* DUDLEY), LORD DUDLEY, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir Edmund DUDLEY, by his 1st wife Joyce, sister (whose issue became heir) of John, EARL OF WORCESTER, 3d and yst. da. of John (DE TIPTOFT), LORD TIPTOFT, by his 2d wife, Joyce, 2d and yst. da. and coheir of Edward (CHERLETON), LORD CHERLETON DE POWYS,^(c) which Sir Edmund Dudley was s. and h. ap. of the last Lord but *d. v.p. tho' alive* 6 July 1483. He was *b.* about 1459, being 26 in (1485-86), 1 Hen. VII, when he was found cousin and coheir of Edward (Tiptoft), Earl of Worcester.^(d) He was knighted 25 Nov. 1487, at the Coronation of Elizabeth the Queen Consort, soon after his accession to the peerage. He was *sum.* to Parl. from 12 Aug. (1492), 7 Hen. VII. to 3 Nov. (1529) 21 Hen. VIII.^(e) He was el. **K.G.** 18 and *inst.* 21 May 1509. He *m.* Cicely,^(f) da. of Sir William WILLOUGHBY, by Joan, da. and coheir of Thomas STRANGEWAYS. He *d.* 31 Jan. 1531/2.^(g)

(a) See p. 182, note "a," as to the probability of this being the first writ that could be held valid as to the creation of this dignity. There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(b) The historic Dudleys (Earls of Warwick, *Queen Elizabeth's* Earl of Leicester, &c.), derive from his second son, John Dudley, of Atherington, in Climping, Sussex, Sheriff of Surrey and Sussex 1484-5, who *m.* Elizabeth, da. and h. of John (or William) Brumshot, Lord of the manors of Gatton, Calbourne, and Whitwell, in the Isle of Wight. His will as "Esquier" dat. 1 Oct. 1500, is *pr.* 26 June 1501, and he was *bur.* under a costly monument in Arundel Church. That this John was father of Edmund Dudley and grandfather of John, the notorious Duke of Northumberland (as is *positively stated* by Sir Philip Sidney, their descendant in his reply, *circa* 1584, to "*Leycester's Commonwealth*") is proved (*inter alia*) by his own will in which he mentions his brothers (1) William late (1476-83) Bishop of Durham, *decd.*, and (2) Oliver Dudley, *decd.*, and by the will of the said Oliver dat. 22 July and *pr.* 29 Nov. 1469, in which he is described as "Oliver de Dudley, son of the most noble Lord, Sir John Dudley, Knt." The story of Erdeswick ("*Staffordshire*," edit. 1844, p. 338) that the Duke's grandfather was a *carpenter* in the employ of the monks of Lewes who called him "John of Dudley" merely because he was *born* in Dudley town seems only to have been a mere invention prompted by spite and occasioned by the unpopularity of this branch. Dugdale in his "*Warwickshire*" (ed. 1765, p. 301) gives it some countenance but in his "*Baronage*" unhesitatingly sets forth the descent of the Duke from John, Lord Dudley, **K.G.**, as above.

(c) Through this alliance the quartering of Plantagenet (*i.e.* that of Edmund of Woodstock, Earl of Kent, yst. s. of King Edward I), came, through the families of Holand, Cherleton and Tiptoft, to the Dudley family.

(d) Edward, 2d Earl of Worcester, *d. unm.* 1485, being only s. and h. of Edward, the 1st Earl (beheaded, but not, apparently, attainted in 1470), who was only br. of Dame Joyce Dudley, mother of this Lord Dudley. Through this alliance the Lords Dudley became coheirs of the Baronies of Tiptoft (*cr.* 1426) and of Cherleton (*cr.* 1313); see vol. ii, p. 219, note "a," *sub* "Cherleton."

(e) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(f) See "*Coll. Top. et Gen.*," vol. i, p. 300, and *Visit. of co. York*, 1563.

(g) See as to his badge (1522-34) in "*Coll. Top. et Gen.*," vol. iii, p. 49.

VII. 1532. 7. JOHN (SUTTON, *alias* DUDLEY), LORD DUDLEY, s. and h., *b.* about 1495. He was knighted, 13 Oct. 1513. He was never sum. to Parl., but no sooner had he suc. to the estates that he began ("being a weak man of understanding") to alienate them. Before Feb. 1538, he had sold Dudley Castle, to his cousin Sir John Dudley, afterwards the well known Duke of Northumberland, and having to subsist on "the charity of his friends," was "commonly called *the Lord Quondam*,"^(a) He *m.* (betrothal before 30 Oct. 1501), Cicely, da. of Thomas (GREY), 1st MARQUESS OF DORSET, by Cicely, *suo jure* BARONESS HARRINGTON AND BONVILLE. He *d.* at Westminster and was *bur.* 18 Sep. 1553, at St. Margaret's, Westm. Funeral celebrated with heraldic honours on 21st. His widow, was *bur.* there (under her maiden name^(b)) as "*the Lady Cyslye Gray*", 23 April 1554.

VIII. 1553. 8. EDWARD (SUTTON, *alias* DUDLEY), LORD DUDLEY, s. and h. He was, *v.p.*, in the Scotch wars, 1547, under the Protector Somerset, and was made Gov. of Hume Castle after its surrender. He was sum. to Parl. from 12 Nov. (1554), 1 and 2 Phil. and Mary, to 15 Oct. (1586), 23 Eliz. By letters patent, dated 31 Dec. 1555,^(c) "the whole Castle of Dudley" was restored to him, other lands having been so restored, 4 Nov. 1554, all of which had vested in the Crown, by the forfeiture of John (Dudley), Duke of Northumberland. He was made Lieut. of Hampnes Castle, in Picardy. Queen Eliz. paid him a visit at Dudley Castle in Aug. 1575. He *m.* firstly, in or before, 1555, Katharine, da. of John (BRYDGES), 1st BARON CHANDOS OF SUDELEY, by Elizabeth, da. of Edmund (GREY), LORD GREY DE WILTON. She, who was Gentlewoman to the Queen [Mary], *d.*, *s.p.m.*, and was *bur.*, 28 April 1566, at St. Edmund's, Dudley. He *m.* secondly, Jane, da. of Edward (STANLEY), 3d EARL OF DERBY, by Dorothy, da. of Thomas (HOWARD), DUKE OF NORFOLK. She, was *bur.*, 4 Sep. 1569, at St. Edmund's Dudley. He *m.* thirdly, Mary, sister of Charles, 1st EARL OF NOTTINGHAM, da. of Charles (HOWARD), 1st BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, by his 2d wife, Margaret, da. of Sir Thomas GAMAGE. He was *bur.*, 12 Aug. 1586 (with his parents), at St. Margaret's, Westm. Will dat., 8 July 1585, *pr.* next year. His widow, *m.* Richard MOMPESON (who survived her), and *d.* 21, being *bur.*, 23 Aug. 1600, at St. Margaret's Westm. M.I.

IX. 1586. 9. EDWARD (SUTTON, *alias* DUDLEY), LORD DUDLEY, s. and h., by 2nd wife, *bap.* 17 Sep. 1567, at St. Edmunds, Dudley; *matric.* at Oxford (Lin. Coll.) 24 July 1580. Of him, writes Dugdale, that he "betook himself wholly to a concubine, on whom he begot divers [eleven] children, and so wasted his estate in the support of her and them that he left not much of that fair inheritance which descended to him, and it so clogged with debts that, for the disengaging thereof, he married Frances, his granddaughter and heiress to Humble Ward, the only son of William Ward, a wealthy goldsmith in London, jeweller to the late Queen." As early, however, as 1593, the estates were in the hands of sequestrators. He appears to have been a person of infamous conduct^(d). He, however, on 28 Feb. 1639 expresses his willingness to attend the King, tho' not "in such sort as is required," inasmuch as he had "*passed over*" his estate to Mr. Warde for payment of debts. He *m.* Theodocia, da. of Sir James HARRINGTON, of Exton, co. Rutland, by Lucy, da. of Sir William SYDNEY, of Penshurst, co. Kent. He *d.*, *s.p.m.s.*, 23 and was *bur.* 24 June 1643, at St. Edmunds, Dudley^(e). His widow was *bur.* 12 Jan. 1649/50, at St. Margaret's, Westminster. Her will dat. 11 Sep. 1649, *pr.* 3 Feb. 1650/1.

(a) Dugdale.

(b) Her precedence *by birth* as the da. of a Marquess would be a great deal higher (*i.e.* next below that of a Countess) than that *by marriage* as wife of a Baron.

(c) Note that the summons to Parl. was *before* the restitution of the castle, militating against the theory of the Barony being a *territorial* peerage.

(d) The State Papers of the period contain an account of many of his misdemeanours.

(e) John Dudley *alias* Sutton of Sedgley Park only br. and heir *male* of the last Lord (*bap.* 30 Nov. 1569) survived him and was *bur.* 3 March 1644/5, at Sedgley, as "*Mr. John Dudley*." Of John's five children, all were dead in 1660, and only one had issue, *viz.*, Anne, *m.* Edward Gibson of York. Her eldest son, Edward Gibson, aged 18, in 1639 (Visit. of co. York) presented a petition, 26 June 1660, to the House of

X. 1643. 10. FRANCES ^(a), *suo jure* BARONESS DUDLEY, granddaughter and h., being only da. and h. of Sir Ferdinando SUTTON *alias* DUDLEY, **K.B.** (1610), by Honora, da. of Edward SEYMOUR, styled LORD BEAUCHAMP (s. and h. ap. of Edward, EARL OF HERTFORD), which Ferdinando was only s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, but *d. v.p.* 22 Nov. 1621, aged 33. She was *b.* 23 July at Dudley Castle, and *bap.* there 18 Aug. 1611; *reg.* at St. Thomas, Dudley. Being an orphan ^(b) at her age of 10, she was in her 17th year given in marriage (settl. 17 Feb. 1628) by her grandfather and guardian, to Humble WARD (then in his 15th or 16th year), only s. of William Ward of Cheapside, London, goldsmith, by Elizabeth, da. (whose issue became heir) of Richard HUMBLE, of Goosehays, in Hornchurch, co. Essex. She was raised to the rank of the da. of a Baron ("as if her father had been actually Lord Dudley") 24 June 1635, in the lifetime of her grandfather ^(c), on whose death, 23 June 1643, she inherited the family honours. Her husband was knighted the following day by the King at Oxford, and was, 23 March 1643/4, *cr.* BARON WARD OF BIRMINGHAM, co. Warwick, with rem. to the heirs male of his body by his said wife. ^(d) He *d.* 14 and was *bur.* 17 Oct. 1670 at Himley, co. Stafford. Will pr. Nov. 1690. The Baroness Dudley survived him nearly 27 years, being *bur.* at Himley 11 Aug. 1697, aged 86.

XI. 1697. 11. EDWARD (WARD), LORD DUDLEY, and BARON WARD OF BIRMINGHAM, s. and h., *b.* 1631, *suc.* his father 14 Oct. 1670, and took his seat in the House of Lords, 5 Dec. 1670, as Baron Ward of Birmingham; *suc.* his mother in Aug. 1697, taking his seat, 28 Jan. 1697/8, as Lord Dudley. He *m.* Frances, 1st sister and coheir [1673] of Sir Thomas Brereton, 2d Bart., of Honford, da. of Sir William BRERETON, 1st Bart. (the Parliamentary-General) by his first wife Susan, da. of Sir George BOOTH, Bart. She was *bur.* at Himley 21 Nov. 1676. He *d.* 3 Aug. 1701, aged 70, and was *bur.* the 8th at Himley. Will dat. 23 June to 31 July 1701, pr. 2 Nov. 1704.

XII. 1701. 12. EDWARD (WARD), LORD DUDLEY, and BARON WARD OF BIRMINGHAM, grandson and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. William WARD, by Frances, da. of William DILKE, of Maxstoke Castle, co. Warwick, which William Ward was 3d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, but *d. v.p.* 16 May 1692, aged 32. He was *bap.* 20 Dec. 1683, at Himley. He *m.* 9 April 1703, at St. Margaret's Westm. (Lic. Fac. off.) Diana, only da. and h. of Thomas HOWARD, of Ashtead, Surrey, Teller of the Exchequer, by Diana, da. of Francis (NEWPORT), 1st EARL OF BRADFORD. He *d.* of the small pox at Whitehall 28 March and was *bur.* 5 April 1704, at Himley. Will dat. 28 Jan. 1703, pr. 29 March 1704 and 10 July 1718. His widow *d.* 17 March 1709, in her 23rd year and was *bur.* at Ashtead M.I. Will pr. May 1709.

Lords claiming the Barony and Castle of Dudley as "grandchild and heir to John, Lord Dudley," and stating that in the reign of Queen Mary, "Dudley Castle with all its honours," &c., was entailed on the heirs male of the body of Edward Sutton, which were (1) Edward, Lord Dudley, who *d.* s.p.m. *temp.* Car. I, and (2) John, to whom "the Barony then came," who *d.* leaving two daughters, *viz.* (1), Elizabeth, who *d.* s.p., and (2) Anne, mother of the Petitioner. This petition was referred to the Committee for privileges, but no further proceedings are mentioned. The claim of one who was not heir male, tho' he was heir general, to succeed a person in a title whose only (alleged) right was that he (tho' not heir general to the title in question) was heir male, is not likely to have had much attention paid to it.

^(a) A most interesting table of the *trente-deux quartiers* of Frances, *suo jure* Baroness Dudley (without a blank therein) is given by Mr. Grazebrook in his "Barons of Dudley." See p. 180, note "a."

^(b) Her mother, Honora, had *d.* before Sir Ferdinando, and was *bur.* 23 March 1620 at St. Edmunds, Dudley; Sir Ferdinando himself was *bur.*, 23 Nov. 1621, at St. Margaret's Westm.

^(c) A very singular and apparently unique proceeding, she being only heir *presumptive* to her grandfather; very different from the case of a grandson and heir *apparent*.

^(d) His name appears in the House of Lords in the Parl. of 1661 (13 Car. II.) tho' it is to be observed that the Barony he held was less than a Barony granted to him and the heirs male of his body. So, also, Thomas (Villiers), Baron Hyde, appears to have sat in that House in right of a Barony (of similar nature) *cr.* 1756.

XIII. 1704. 13. EDWARD (WARD), LORD DUDLEY, and BARON WARD OF BIRMINGHAM, posthumous s. and h., *b.* 16 June 1704. He *d.* unm. 6 Sep. 1731, at Epsom, Surrey, and was *bur.* at Ashted. Will pr. Sep. 1731.

XIV. 1731. 14. WILLIAM (WARD), LORD DUDLEY and BARON WARD OF BIRMINGHAM, uncle and h., being yst. br. of the 12th Lord. He was *bap.*, 16 Oct. 168(—), at Himley. He took his seat, 2 May 1735. He *d.* unm., 20 May 1740, at Himley afsd. and was *bur.* there. Admon., 1 July 1740 and 26 May 1758. On his death the two Baronies separated, that of Ward, devolving on the *heir male of the body*^(a) of the grantee by his wife, Frances. (See "Ward of Birmingham," Barony, *cr.* 1644, under the 6th holder thereof), while that of Dudley devolved on the *heir general* as under.

XV. 1740, 15. FERDINANDO-DUDLEY (LEA), LORD DUDLEY, nephew to and h. being s. and h. of Frances, wife of William LEA (who *d.* 31 Jan. 1757. 1741 aged 64) of Halesowen Grange, Salop, which Frances was only sister of the last Lord and *d.* 24 Jan 1737, aged 50. He was *bap.* 14 Sep. 1710, at Halesowen, and took his seat in the house of Lords, 26 Nov. 1740. He *d.* unm. at Halesowen Grange, 21 and was *bur.* 26 Oct. 1757 in Halesowen church, when the *Barony of Dudley* fell into *abeyance* between his sisters and coheirs^(b). Will dat. 28 Oct. 1755, pr. 10 May 1758^(c).

^(a) The Castle and Lands of Dudley devolved on this *heir male*, who in 1763 was *cr.* "Viscount Dudley and Ward of Dudley, co. Worcester," a title which became extinct in 1833, but the Barony of Ward of Birmingham continuing, the 11th holder thereof was in 1860, *cr.* "Earl of Dudley of Dudley Castle, co. Stafford."

^(b) These were (I), Anne, who *m.* William Smith, and who assumed the style of "BARONESS DUDLEY" as stated in the text. Her 2nd, but 1st surv. s. and h., Ferdinando Smith, *d.* 16 Jan. 1794, leaving a s. and h., Lieut. Col. Ferdinando Smith, who *d.* 20 July 1841, aged 62, leaving a s. and h., Ferdinando-Dudley-Lea Smith of Halesowen Grange, *b.* 15 June 1834, High Sheriff for co. Worcester 1860. (II) Frances, *bap.* 12 April 1717 at Halesowen, *m.* 8 Dec. 1740 at Quatford, Salop, Walter Woodcock of Albrighton, Salop, J.P. for co. Salop, and *d.*, his widow, 9 March 1800, aged 82. Of her two sons, both *d.* s.p., and of her six daughters only four, Mrs. Smart, Mrs. Wilmot, Mrs. (John) Green, and Mrs. Hughes left issue. (III) Mary, *m.* Joseph Harvey, of Stourbridge, and *d.* (in child bed) at old Swinford, May 1742. *She is said to have had issue, Dr. Harvey of Birmingham, who appears to have left issue.* (IV) Catherine, *bap.* 8 Feb. 1726 at Halesowen; *m.* 16 Nov. 1744, at Old Swinford, Thomas Jordan, jun., of Birmingham, gunsmith, by whom she had three daughters, all of whom *m.* and had issue. *She m., secondly, Henry Turner, of Stovell, near Birmingham, by whom she had Daniel Turner, her s. and h., who (besides 3 sons who all d. s.p.) left 7 daughters, of whom (1) Catherine, the eldest (b. 13 July 1775), m., in 1802, George Jones of Broseley, Salop, and d. 1858, leaving John Jones, her s. and h., b. 2 April 1805, who d. 8 Oct. 1882, leaving issue (2), Phæbe, the 6th d. (b. 25 March 1790), m. John Barker and had issue.* (V) Elizabeth, *bap.* 23 Feb. 1728 at Kingswinford and *m.* there 14 July 1759, Rev. Benjamin Briscoe, Rector of Staunton, co. Worcester. Her only surv. issue was the Rev. William Lea Briscoe, D.C.L., Vicar of Ashton Keynes, Wilts, who *d.* s.p. 25 Aug. 1834, aged 74. The part of this note marked in *italics* is *ex-inform.* of Henry F. J. Vaughan as derived from the papers of the Rev. Thomas Hughes above mentioned; the rest is from Mr. Grazebrook's valuable work.

^(c) By this will he strictly entailed the whole of his estate (that of Halesowen) on the heirs of his eldest sister, Ann Smith, doubtless contemplating an early termination of the *abeyance* of the Barony in favour of her heir, and being desirous of *endowing* the title. The will gave offence, naturally, to the other sisters and coheirs, who unsuccessfully disputed it as made under undue influence.

[The title was assumed after his death (illegally, no termination having been made of its abeyance) as under.]

XVI. 1757, 16. ANNE, *suo jure* BARONESS DUDLEY, eldest sister to and coher of the last Lord, *hap.* 24 March 1714 at Halesowen; 1762. *m.* (settl. 18 May 1737) William SMITH, of Stoke Prior and Ridgacre, co. Worcester, who *d.* 19 May 1784, aged 71, and was *bur.* in Halesowen church. She *d.* 29 April 1762, and was *bur.* there, her death being announced in the "Gent. Mag." as "*The Right Hon. Anne Smith, Baroness Dudley, wife of William Smith, of Ridgacre, Shropshire, Esq.*" Ferdinando Smith, her 2nd but only surv. s. and h. (who *suc.* to the Halesowen estate on the death of his br., Harry-Grey Smith, 21 March 1760), does not appear to have assumed the title, tho' it has been attributed to him in one of the editions of Collins' Peerage. He *d.* 16 Jan. 1794,^(a) leaving issue.

DUDLEY.

Dukedom.

I. 1644,
to
1669.

"Alice, Lady Dudley," wife of Sir Robert Dudley, by a patent,^(b) dat. at Oxford, 23 May (1644), 20 Car. I. in which [*inter alia*] the creation as a *Duke of the Holy Empire* of her said husband (then settled at Tuscany) by the Emperor Ferdinand II. is recited, was *cr.* "DUCHESS DUDLEY, for her life, in England and other of our realms and dominions *with such precedencies*^(c) as she might have had, if she had lived in the dominions of the sacred empire as a mark of our favour unto her and out of our Prerogative Royal which we will not have drawn into dispute" with the grant to her daughters "Lady Katharine and Lady Anne" of "the places, titles, and precedencies^(c) of the said Duke's daughters, as from that time of their said father's creation," *i.e.*, 9 March 1620. This lady was the 2d da. of Sir Thomas LEIGH, 1st Bart., of Stoneleigh, by Katharine, da. of Sir John SPENCER, of Wormleighton, and was *m.* about 1596 (before 25 Sep. 1597) to the versatile Sir Robert DUDLEY, the "so-called base son"^(d) of Robert, EARL OF LEICESTER, by Douglas, Dow. BARONESS SHEFFIELD, da. of William (HOWARD), BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM. About this time Sir Robert tried to establish his legitimacy and his right to his ancestral titles, but in May 1605 the Star Chamber pronounced against him. He left England for Florence about 1608 and contracted a (so called) marriage abroad on the ground that having seduced Alice Leigh in the lifetime of a former wife the subsequent marriage with her was invalid. By diploma of the Emperor of Germany, 9 March 1620, he was *cr.* DUKE OF NORTHUMBERLAND, &c. See that title. He *d.* 6 Sep. 1649, aged 75. The foreign lady who, since 1620, had been received *abroad* as his Duchess predeceased him, probably dying before 1644, the date of the above recited patent. The Duchess Dudley *d.* s.p.m. 22 Jan'y. 1668/9, at Dudley House, St. Giles in the fields, aged 90, and was *bur.* at Stoneleigh, co. Warwick. M.L. On her death her *life peerage* became, of course, *extinct*. She left many charitable bequests. Will pr. 1669.

^(a) See p. 186, note "b."

^(b) This remarkable patent is given *in extenso* in "Dugdale," vol. ii, p. 225 ("ex autogr. penes Cath. D. Leveson, an. 1670") and allusion is made therein to the extraordinary order of the Star Chamber that the depositions of Douglas, mother of the said Sir Robert, that she was the lawful wife of the Earl of Leicester as also those of "divers persons of quality and credit who were present at the marriage" were "sealed up" and no copies allowed to be taken. The King goes on to say that his "dear father not knowing the truth of the lawful birth of the said Sir Robert granted away the titles of the said Earldoms [Leicester and Warwick] to others which we now hold not fit to call in question," tho' "having a very deep sense of the great injuries done to the said Sir Robert Dudley and the Lady Alice Dudley," &c.

^(c) This is the last case of a *warrant of precedency* of higher date than the creation of the Peerage. See vol. i, p. 229, note "b," *sub* "Banbury" as to Precedency of Peers by Royal warrant.

^(d) "Dugdale," vol. ii, p. 222.

DUDLEY AND WARD OF DUDLEY.

Viscounty. 1. JOHN (WARD), BARON WARD OF BIRMINGHAM
I. 1763. [1644], s. and h. of William Ward of Sedgley Park, co. Stafford, by

Mary, sister of Harry, 3rd EARL OF STAMFORD, da. of the Hon. John GREY of Enville, co. Stafford, was b. about 1700; M.P. for Newcastle-under-Lyne, 1727-34; suc. to the peerage by the death of his cousin, 5th Baron Ward, 21 May 1740, and was cr. 21 April 1763, VISCOUNT DUDLEY AND WARD OF DUDLEY,^(a) co. Worcester; Recorder of Worcester. He m. firstly, 26 Dec. 1723, Anna-Maria, da. of Charles BOURCHIER^(b) of Clontarf, co. Dublin, by Barbara, da. of Richard HARRISON of Ball's Park, in Ware, Herts. She d. 12 Dec. 1725 and was bur. at Wednesbury, co. Stafford. He m. secondly, 1 Jan. 1744/5, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Mary, da. and h. of John CARVER of that parish. He d. 6 May 1774, in Park lane, Hyde Park, Midx., and was bur. at Himley. Will pr. May 1774. His widow d. there 31 May 1782, and was bur. at Himley. Will pr. June 1782.

II. 1774. 2. JOHN (WARD), VISCOUNT DUDLEY AND WARD OF DUDLEY, &c. s. and h., being only s. by 1st wife, b. 22 Feb. 1724/5, at Wolverhampton; matric. at Oxford (Oriol Coll.) 7 Feb. 1742/3; cr. M.A. 10 Feb. 1745; M.P. for Marlborough, 1754-61; for co. Worcester, 1761-74; cr. LL.D. of Cambridge 3 July 1769. Recorder of Kidderminster. He m. 15 July 1788, at his house in Park lane (reg. at St. Geo. Han. sq.), Mary BAKER, widow, da. of Gamaliel FAIR, of Norfolk. He d. s.p. 10 Oct. 1788, aged 63, and was bur. at Himley. Will pr. Nov. 1788. His widow m., 14 Aug. 1790, Benjamin JENNINGS, who d. 1791. She m. thirdly, 9 Dec. 1791, John SMITH, Capt. R.N. She was bur. 24 May 1810 at Twickenham, Midx. Will pr. 1810.

III. 1788. 3. WILLIAM (WARD), VISCOUNT DUDLEY AND WARD OF DUDLEY, &c., br. of the half blood and h., being s. of the 1st Viscount by his 2nd wife. He was b. 21 Jan. 1750 at Himley asfd.; matric. at Oxford (Oriol Coll.) 14 March 1770; M.P. for co. Worcester, 1780-88. Recorder of Kidderminster. He m. 1 Aug. 1780, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Julia, 2nd da. of Godfrey BOSVILLE, of Guntwaite, co. York, by Diana, da. of Sir William WENTWORTH, 4th Bart., of Bretton. He d. 25 April 1823, aged 73, at Himley Hall. Admon June 1823. His widow d. 23 June 1833 in Bryanston sq. Midx. Will pr. Aug. 1833.

IV. 1823, 4. JOHN-WILLIAM (WARD), VISCOUNT DUDLEY AND
to WARD OF DUDLEY [1763] and BARON WARD OF BIRMINGHAM [1644],
1833. only s. and h., b. 9 Aug. and *bap.* 11 Oct. 1781, at St. Marylebone;
ed. privately, till he matric. at Oxford (Oriol Coll.), 17 Oct. 1799;
B.A. (as of Corpus Coll.), 1802; M.A., 1813. He was M.P. for
Downton, 1802-03; for co. Worcester, 1803-06; for Petersfield, 1806-07; for
Wareham, 1807-12; and for Bossiney, 1819-23; P.C., 1827, and Sec. for foreign
affairs (in Canning's administration) April 1827 to June 1828.^(c) He was cr. 5 Oct.
1827, VISCOUNT EDNAM^(d) of Ednam, co. Roxburgh, and EARL OF DUDLEY

^(a) He was not the representative of the ancient Barony of Dudley, which had been enjoyed by the *second* and subsequent Barons Ward, from whom he was not descended. In the issue of the *second* Baron, such representation is still vested; but the Viscount's grandfather, William Ward, was a *younger* son of Humble, *first* Baron Ward, by the *suo jure* Baroness Dudley. The Viscount appears, however, to have had possession of Dudley Castle.

^(b) See account of the family of Bouchier in "Her and Gen." VIII, p. 367.

^(c) He is said, in a fit of absence of mind, to have shortly before the battle of Navarino, directed a letter intended for the French ambassador to Prince Lieven, the ambassador from Russia. This, however, instead of working any mischief was positively beneficial, being, fortunately, considered by the latter as a "trap laid for him" and "one of the cleverest ruses ever attempted to be played off." Tho' a "man of powerful talents, varied accomplishments," his eccentricities had always been so great that his aberration of mind during the last year of his life was not surprising. See "Ann. Reg." for 1833.

^(d) This was an estate he had recently purchased. It was the birth place of Thomson the author of "The Seasons" and other poems.

OF DUDLEY CASTLE, co. Stafford; F.R.S., &c. He *d.* unm. 6 March 1833, at Norwood, Surrey, in his 52d year, when the *Earldom and Viscounty* became *extinct*, the Barony of Ward of Birmingham devolving on his 2d cousin and h. male, the heir male of the body of the grantee. Will pr. Sep. 1833.

DUDLEY OF DUDLEY CASTLE.

Earldom. JOHN WILLIAM (WARD), VISCOUNT DUDLEY AND WARD OF DUDLEY and BARON WARD OF BIRMINGHAM, was, 5 Oct. 1827, *cr.* VISCOUNT EDNAM of Ednam, co. Roxburgh, and EARL OF DUDLEY OF DUDLEY CASTLE, co. Stafford. He *d.* unm. 6 March 1833, when that *title* (as also the Viscounty of Dudley and Ward) became *extinct*. See fuller particulars next immediately above.

II. 1860. 1. WILLIAM (WARD), BARON WARD OF BIRMINGHAM [1644] was, 17 Feb. 1860, *cr.* VISCOUNT EDNAM of Ednam, co. Roxburgh, and EARL OF DUDLEY of Dudley Castle, co. Stafford. He was 1st s. and h. of William Humble (Ward), 10th Baron Ward of Birmingham (by Susanna, da. of (—) Beecroft), who was 2d cousin and h. male of John William (Ward), Earl of Dudley of Dudley Castle, &c., abovenamed. He was *b.* 27 March 1817, at Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk; *ed.* at Eton; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 4 June 1835, whence he removed to Trin. Coll. but never took any degree. He suc. his father in the Barony of Ward, 6 Dec. 1835, but tho' well known as a patron of the arts^(a) he never held any office save that of Col. Com. of the Worcestershire Yeomanry 1854, of which, in 1871, he became Hon. Col. In 1860 he was raised to a Viscounty and Earldom as above. He *m.* firstly, 24 April 1851, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Selina-Constance, only child of Hubert DE BURGH, of West Drayton, Midx., by Marianne, 6th da. of John-Richard-Delap TOLLEMACHE, formerly HALLIDAY, Admiral, R.N. Lady Ward *d.* s.p. (a few months later), 14 Nov. 1851, at Schwalbach, in Germany, aged 22. He *m.* secondly, 21 Nov. 1855, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Georgiana-Elizabeth, 3rd da. of Sir Thomas MONCRIEFFE, 7th Bart. [S.], by Louisa, da. of Thomas-Robert (HAY), 10th EARL OF KINNOULL [S]. He *d.* 7 May 1885, aged 68, at Dudley House, Park lane afsd. Will dat. 12 June 1878, pr. 18 July 1885, over £1,026,000. His widow living 1890.

III. 1885. 2. WILLIAM HUMBLE (WARD), EARL OF DUDLEY OF DUDLEY CASTLE [1860], VISCOUNT EDNAM [1860] and BARON WARD OF BIRMINGHAM [1644], 1st s. and h., *b.* 25 May 1867, at Dudley House afsd., *styled* VISCOUNT EDNAM, till 1885; *ed.* at Eton.

Family Estates—These, in 1883, consisted of 14,698 acres in Worcestershire, 4,730 in Staffordshire (worth £68,460 a year), 4,472 in Merionethshire, 568 in Salop, and 1,086 in Roxburghshire. Total, 25,554 acres, worth £123,176 a year. *Principal Residence*—Witley Court, near Stourport, co. Worcester, an estate purchased in 1838 by Lord Ward for £900,000, being formerly the property of the family of Foley.

It will be seen by reference to vol. ii, p. 51, note "a" (*sub* "Buccleuch," *circa finem*), that, tho' Lord Dudley's acreage is not a quarter of most of the 28 noblemen therein given who possess 100,000 acres, his income is only exceeded by six (Buccleuch, Devon, Northumberland, Bute, Sutherland, and Fitzwilliam) of that number, which cause is attributable to the extensive coal-mines on his property.

DUDLEY OF PENSHURST.

See "DE L'ISLE AND DUDLEY OF PENSHURST, co. Kent," Barony (*Sidney*) *cr.* 1835.

(^a) His collection of pictures was a very fine one. Of these the famous "Grand Canal of Venice," by Turner, was sold, in 1889, by his son for £20,000 to Mr. C. Vanderbilt, of New York.

DUFFERIN, DUFFERIN AND CLANEBOYE OF BALLYLEIDY AND KILLYLEAGH, and DUFFERIN AND AVA.

Barony [I.] 1. DAME DORCAS BLACKWOOD, widow, was, 31 July 1800.^(a) *cr.* BARONESS DUFFERIN AND CLANEBOYE OF BALLYLEIDY AND KILLYLEAGH, co. Down [I], with rem. of that Barony to the heirs male of her body by her deceased husband.

She was 1st da. and coheir of James STEVENSON^(b) of Killyleagh afsd., by Ann, da. of Gen. Nicholas PRICE of Hollymount; was *b.* 1726; *m.* May 1751, Sir John BLACKWOOD, 2nd Bart [I. 1763], who was M.P., for Killyleagh (or for Bangor), 1761-97, who *d.* 27 Feb. 1799, aged 77, and for whose political services, apparently, his widow was raised to the Peerage as afsd. The *suo jure* Baroness *d.* 8 and was *bur.* 18 Feb. 1807, at St. Marylebone, Midx., aged 80. Will pr. Feb. 1807.

II. 1807. 2. JAMES STEVENSON (BLACKWOOD), BARON DUFFERIN AND CLANEBOYE, &c. [I.], 2nd but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 8 July 1755; *suc.* to the Baronety [I.] 27 Feb. 1799, on the death of his father; M.P. for Killyleagh 1788-1800 [I.]—for Helston 1807-12—and for Aldeburgh, 1812-18; *Gov.* of co. Down, and Col. of the North Downshire Militia; Aide-de-Camp to William IV; *REP. PEER* [I.] 1820-36. He *m.*, 15 Nov. 1801, Anne-Dorothea, da. of Margareta Amelia, *suo jure* VISCOUNTESS FERRARD [I.], by John (FOSTER), 1st BARON ORIEL OF FERRARD. He *d.* s.p. 8 Aug. 1836, aged 81. Will pr. Feb. 1837. His widow *d.* 28 March 1865, in her 92nd year at Glenghana, in Bangor, co. Down.

III. 1836. 3. HANS (BLACKWOOD), BARON DUFFERIN AND CLANEBOYE, &c. [I.], next surv. br. and h., *b.* Oct. 1758. He *m.* firstly, 19 June 1784, Mehetabel-Hester, 2nd da. and coheir of Robert TEMPLE of Fen Hills, Boston, in America, by Harriet, 4th da. of Lieut. Gen. William SHIRLEY. She *d.* 7 Feb. 1798. He *m.* secondly, 8 July 1801, Elizabeth, 1st da. and coheir of William-Henry FINLAY, of Gennetts, co. Meath. He *d.* 18 Nov. 1839, aged 81, at Ballyleidy House, co. Down. His widow *d.* July 1843.

IV. 1839. 4. PRICE (BLACKWOOD), BARON DUFFERIN AND CLANEBOYE, &c. [I.], 3rd, but 1st surv. s. and h. by 1st wife, *b.* 6 May 1794; Capt. R.N. He *m.* 4 July 1825 at St. Geo. Han. sq. Helen-Selina, 1st da. of Thomas SHERIDAN, by Caroline-Henrietta, da. of Col. James CALLANDAR, of Craigforth, co. Stirling. He *d.* on board ship off Belfast, 21 July 1841, aged 47. Will pr. Sep. 1841. His widow *m.* 13 Oct. 1862, at Dufferin Lodge, Highgate, Midx., George HAY, styled EARL OF GIFFORD (s. and h. ap. of the MARQUESS OF TWEEDDALE [S.]), who *d.* there shortly afterwards, 22 Dec. 1862, aged 40, after a painful illness of 16 months. She herself *d.* there 13 June 1867, aged about 62^(c).

^(a) This was one of 26 peerages conferred on commoners in that year (1800) being the last year before the Irish Union. See vol. i, p. 166, note "a," *sub* "Ashtown."

^(b) He was s. of Hans Stevenson by Ann, da. and eventually sole h. of James Hamilton of Neilsbrook, co. Antrim, who was nephew of (his issue becoming heir to) James Hamilton, *cr.* Viscount Claneboye [I.] in 1622, hence the title of Claneboye was added to that of Dufferin; tho' why this double-barrelled title was *again* doubled by the addition "*of Ballyleidy and Killyleagh*" is not so clear. The *length* of a title, however (whatever it may add to its dignity) adds nothing to the expense thereof.

^(c) She was an authoress of considerable power and was perhaps the cleverest and most witty of three sisters well known for beauty and accomplishments in the world of fashion. Of the other two (1) the well known poetess, the Hon. Caroline Norton, mother of the 4th Baron Grantley, (she *m.* secondly, three months before her death, Sir William Stirling-Maxwell, Bart.) *d.* 15 June 1877, aged about 68; (2) Jane, Duchess of Somerset (the *Queen of Beauty* at the Eglinton tournament) *d.* 14 Dec. 1884, aged about 74.

V. 1841.

Earldom.

I. 1871.

Marquessate.

I. 1888.

5 and 1. FREDERICK-TEMPLE (BLACKWOOD, afterwards HAMILTON-TEMPLE-BLACKWOOD), BARON DUFFERIN AND CLANBOYE OF BALLYLEIDY AND KILLYLEAGH [I.], only s. and h., b., 21 June 1826, at Florence; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; matric., 16 Oct. 1844; one of the Lords-in-Waiting, 1849-52 and 1854-58; *cr.*, 22 Jany. 1850, BARON CLANDEBOYE,^(a) of Clandeboye, co. Down [U.K.]; Spec. Commissioner to Syria, 1860-61; **K.C.B.**, 18 June 1861; **K.P.**, 28 Jany. 1864; Lord Lieut. co. Down, 1864; Under Sec. for India, 1864-66; for War, Feb. to June, 1866; P.C., 1868; Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and Paymaster Gen., 1868-72; *cr.*, 13 Nov. 1871, VISCOUNT CLANDEBOYE, of Clandeboye, co. Down and EARL OF DUFFERIN in the said county of Down; Gov. Gen. of Canada, 1872-76; **G.C.M.G.**, 26 May 1876; AMBASSADOR to St. Petersburg, 1879-81; to Constantinople, 1881-82; Spec. Commissioner to Egypt, Nov. 1882; **G.C.B.**, 15 June 1883. VICEROY OF INDIA, 1884-88, being *cr.* (on his return) 17 Nov. 1888. EARL OF AVA^(b), in the province of Burma, and MARQUESS OF DUFFERIN AND AVA., in the co. of Down and in Burma *afsd.*; **G.C.I.E.**, 1887; **G.C.S.I.**, 1888; AMBASSADOR to Rome, 1888; Chancellor of Dublin Univ., 1889; Lord Rector of St. Andrew's Univ., 1889. He was also *cr.* LL.D. of Havard Univ. (Americia), June 1878; LL.D. of Dublin, 21 Jany. 1879; D.C.L. of Oxford, 18 June 1879. Having *m.*, 23 Oct. 1862, at Killyleagh Castle, co. Down, Harriet-Georgina, 1st da. of Archibald ROWAN-HAMILTON, of that place, he by royal licence 1862, took the name of *Hamilton*, to which he subsequently added that of *Temple*, before his patronymic of *Blackwood*. In 1889, the Marchioness received the 3d class of the **V. and A.**

[ARCHIBALD-JAMES-LEOFRIC-TEMPLE HAMILTON-TEMPLE-BLACKWOOD, b. 28 July 1863, *styled*, 1871-88. VISCOUNT CLANDEBOYE and from 1888, EARL OF AVA, 1st s. and h. ap. Lieut. 17th Lancers; Aide-de-Camp to his father when Viceroy of India.]

Family Estates—These, in 1883, consisted of 18,238 acres in co. Down, worth £21,043 a year. *Principal residence*, Clandeboye House, near Belfast.

DUFFRYN.

See "ABERDARE OF DUFFRYN, co. Glamorgan," Barony (*Bruce*); *cr.* 1873.

DUFFUS.

Barony [S.]

I. 1650.

1. ALEXANDER SUTHERLAND, of Duffus, co. Moray, s. and h. of William S. of the same, *suc.* his father 21 Oct. 1626, being then under age, was one of the committee of estates 20 March 1647, and one of the Colonels for arming the Kingdom 15 Feb. 1649, and was *cr.* by King Charles II. 8 Dec. 1650,^(c) LORD DUFFUS [S.] He was Gov. of Perth for the King but was compelled to surrender it to Cromwell in 1651, by whose act "of grace" (1654) he was fined £1,500. He *m.* firstly Jean, widow of John SINCLAIR, Master of Berriedale (who *d.* Sep. 1639), 2d da. and coheir of Colin (MACKENZIE), 1st EARL OF SEAFORTH [S.] by Margaret, da. of Alexander (SETON), 1st EARL OF DUNFERMLINE [S.] She *d.* in childbed 31 March 1648, s.p.s. He *m.* secondly (—), 5th da. of Sir Robert INNES, Bart. [S.], of Innes. She *d.* s.p. He *m.* thirdly, Margaret, 2d da. of James (STEWART), EARL OF MORAY [S.], by Margaret, da. of Alexander (HOME), 1st EARL OF HOME [S.] He *m.* fourthly Margaret, da. of

^(a) "*Claneboy* or *Clandeboy*" is, according to the *Parliamentary Gazetteer of Ireland* (1849), "a quondam territorial name of part of the counties of Antrim and Down." It seems a pity that the spelling of the peerage titles taken (1800, 1850 and 1871) therefrom, should not have followed one consistent mode of spelling.

^(b) Ava the ancient capital of Burma was chosen as in commemoration of the grantee's Vice-Royalty of India. See as to this class of Peerage-title, vol. i, p. 79, note "a," *sub.* "Amherst of Montreal."

^(c) The patent appears to be lost and was never recorded. It is, therefore, impossible to conjecture what was the limitation of the dignity beyond the acknowledgement thereof in 1826 to the heir male of the body of the grantee.

William (FORBES), 11th LORD FORBES [S.], by his first wife Jean, da. of Sir John CAMPBELL. He *d.* 31 Aug. 1673 or 1674. Fun. entry in Lyon office. His widow m. Sir Robert GORDON, Bart. [S.], of Gordonstoun.

II. 1674. 2. JAMES (SUTHERLAND), LORD DUFFUS [S.], only s. and h., by 3d wife, P.C., 1686. He killed in a provoked quarrel, in 1688, Ross of Kindace. He m. Margaret, 1st da. of Kennet (MACKENZIE), 3d EARL OF SEAFORTH [S.], by Isabel, da. of Sir John MACKENZIE, of Tarbat. He *d.* 1705.

III. 1705, 3. KENNETH (SUTHERLAND), LORD DUFFUS [S.], 1st s. to and h., took his seat in Parl. [S.] 28 Oct. 1706, and voted for the Union; was a Capt. R.N. and taken prisoner by the French 29 June 1711, after a desperate resistance. He joined the rising in behalf of the House of Stuart in 1715 and was accordingly by act 1 George I. *attainted*(*) 30 June 1716, being sent from Hamburg to England where in Aug.

(*) For the insurrection of 1715 no less than 19 *Scotch Peerages*, together with the Earldom of DERWENTWATER, the Barony of WIDDINGTON, and the Dukedom of ORMOND in England (which last, however, was held with the Barony of Dingwall [S.], and so is included among the 19 *Scotch Peerages* abovenamed) were *forfeited* by attainder. This, however, in ten cases (those marked with an * asterisk) was reversed by acts of Parl. in 1824, 1826 and subsequently, while in one case, that of Sinclair, it came to an end. This list [S.] is (alphabetically arranged) as under:—

- * AIRLIE (*Ogilvie*), Earldom; after death [1717] of the then [1715] Earl. *Restored* 26 May 1826.
- * BALFOUR OF BURLEIGH (*Balfour*), Barony. *Restored* 19 March 1869.
- * CARNWATH (*Dalzell*), Earldom. *Restored (nominatim)* 26 May 1826.
- * DINGWALL (*Butler*), Barony, held, in 1715, with the Dukedom of Ormond [E.] *Restored* 31 July 1871.
- * DUFFUS (*Sutherland*), Barony. *Restored (nominatim)* 26 May 1826; *dorm. or ex.* 30 Jan. 1827.
- * KENMURE (*Gordon*), Viscounty. *Restored (nominatim)* 17 June 1824; *dorm. or ex.* 1 Sep. 1847.
- KILSYTH (*Livingston*), Viscounty. The Grantee's heirs male of body *ex.* 12 Jan. 1733.
- KINGSTON (*Seton*), Viscounty; *ex.* about 1726.
- LINLITHGOW and CALENDAR (*Livingston*), Earldom. The Grantee's heirs male of body *ex.* 25 April 1723.
- * MAR (*Erskine*), Earldom. *Restored (nominatim)* 17 June 1824, and, again, 6 Aug. 1885.
- MARISCHAL (*Keith*), Earldom. The Grantee's heirs male of body *ex.* (apparently) 28 May 1778.
- * NAIRNE (*Nairne*), Barony. *Restored (nominatim)* 17 June 1824.
- NITHSDALE (*Maxwell*), Earldom. *The attainder reversed* 9 June 1848, as far as relates to the issue of the forfeited Earl, whereby the Barony of HERRIES OF TERREGLES, held therewith in 1715, was *restored* to the heir general.
- PANMURE (*Maule*), Earldom. The Grantee's heirs male of body *ex.* 4 Jan. 1782.
- * PERTH (*Drummond*), Earldom; after death [1716] of the then [1715] Earl. *Restored* 28 June 1853.
- SEAFORTH (*Mackenzie*), Earldom. The Grantee's heirs male of body *ex.* 11 Jan. 1815.
- SINCLAIR (*Sinclair*), Barony. The effect of the attainder came to an end 30 Nov. 1762, and the Peerage was allowed accordingly.
- * SOUTHESK (*Carnegie*), Earldom. *Restored* 2 July 1855.
- WINTOUN (*Seton*), Earldom. The Earl *d. s.p.* 19 Dec. 1749.

The holders of five of these peerages—Carnwath, Kenmure, Nairne, Nithsdale and Wintoun, together with the English Lords, Derwentwater and Widdington, were condemned to death. Derwentwater and Kenmure were beheaded 24 Feb. 1715/6, Nithsdale having effected his escape the previous day. Carnwath, Nairn, and Widdington were respited till preserved by the act of indemnity, while Wintoun, on 4 Aug. 1716, also effected his escape. "A large breadth of land was forfeited by special

he was imprisoned in the Tower of London but set free 4 Oct. 1717, without having ever been tried (c). After this he became a Flag officer in the Russian Navy. He *m.* in or before 1710, Charlotte-Christina, da. of Eric DE SIOBLADE, Gov. of Gottenburgh in Sweden. He *d.* early in 1734.

IV. 1734. 4. ERIC SUTHERLAND, only s. and h., *bap.*, 29 Aug. 1710, at Twickenham, Midx. His claim, 18 March 1733 to the title, on the ground of his father's surrender, was heard, 3 April 1734, but disallowed. He was an Ensign in Disney's Regiment, 1731, and a Capt. in Sutherland's Regiment, 1759. He *m.* Elizabeth, 3d da. of his paternal uncle, the Hon. Sir James DUNBAR, formerly SUTHERLAND, Bart., by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir William DUNBAR, 1st Bart. [S.], of Hempriggs, co. Caithness. He *d.* 28 Aug. 1768, in his 58th year, at Skelbo. His admn. as "the Hon. Erick Sutherland, Esq., commonly called Lord Duffus," of Wick, co. Caithness, 15 March 1769, was under £300. His widow *d.*, 21 July 1800, at Edinburgh.

V. 1768. 4. JAMES SUTHERLAND, 1st and only surv. s. of Eric S. and Elizabeth, his wife abovenamed, being grandson and h. of Kenneth the *attainted* LORD DUFFUS [S.] He was *b.*, 8 June 1747, at Skelbo, co. Sutherland; was an officer in the Army. By act of Parl, 25 May 1826, he was as "James Sutherland, Esq.," restored "to the honours, dignities and titles of LORD DUFFUS" [S.], as were all "other persons who would be entitled to succeed after him." (b) He *d.* unm., 30 Jany. 1827. Will pr. Feb. 1827.

[On his death the question arose as to whether the limitation of the dignity was to *heirs general*, (c) *heirs male of the body* or any other destination. On the most probable supposition that it was to the second it was assumed as under.]

V. 1827. 5. BENJAMIN (DUNBAR), LORD DUFFUS [S.], cousin and h. male, being yst. and only surv. s. of Sir William DUNBAR, 2d Bart., of Hempriggs, by his 3d wife, Henrietta, da. of Hugh ROSE, of Kilarvock, which William was only surv. s. and h. of the Hon. Sir James DUNBAR, formerly SUTHERLAND, 1st Bart., 2d s. of James, 2d Lord Duffus abovenamed. He was *b.* 28 April 1761; suc. his father in the estate of Hempriggs Castle, co. Caithness,

statutes passed for attainting the Lords Mar, Tullibardine [s. and h. ap. of the Duke of Athole], Linlithgow, Drummond [s. and h. ap. of the Earl of Perth], Marischal, Southesk, Seaforth, and Panmure." "The epoch of a change of dynasty is not an appropriate time for a sanguinary retaliation," and "there was a palliation on this occasion which did not attend the subsequent rebellion of 1745." The celebrated Duncan Forbes, Lord Advocate [S.], truly "predicted that excessive penalties and forfeitures following the first outbreak against the Hanover succession would infallibly lay the foundation of another." See J. H. Burton's "Scotland," *sub* "1716-18." This, accordingly, took place some 30 years later, when 7 other peerages [S.] were forfeited (Balmerinoch, Cromarty, Forbes of Pitsligo, Kilmarnock, Lovat, Strathallan, and Wemyss) of which, however, three (those last mentioned) have (since 1824) been restored. See fuller particulars of the forfeitures of 1746 under "Forbes of Pitsligo."

(a) The act required the persons named to deliver themselves up to justice on or before 30 June 1716. Lord Duffus left Sweden on the 2d with intent so to do, but by stress of weather was detained. He, however, surrendered himself to the British Minister at Amsterdam on the 29th, but this was held in April 1734 not to have been a sufficient performance of the condition required.

(b) See vol. ii, p. 48, note "b" (*sub* "BUCCLEUCH"), for a list of such restorations during the last 200 years, returned to the House of Lords, 15 June 1835.

(c) The dignity was in fact claimed, as *heir of line* by the Rev. Eric Rudd, of Thorne, near Doncaster, s. and h. of the Rev. James Rudd, Rector of Newton Kyme, co. York, by Elizabeth, eldest sister of James, *the restored* Lord Duffus.

and as 3d Bart. [1706] in 1792. He, on the death of his cousin in 1827, assumed the title of Lord Duffus and claimed to vote as such at the election of Scotch Peers in 1830 as heir male of the body of the grantee. In June 1838 both he and the heir general petitioned (directly) the house of Lords as to their respective right to this Peerage, but no further proceedings were taken. He *m.* 10 Dec. 1784, at Bighouse, Janet, da. of George MACKAY, of Bighouse, afsd. He *d.* Feb. 1843, aged 82. His widow *d.* at Hempriggs Castle 15 March 1857, aged 89.

VI. 1843, 6. SIR GEORGE-SUTHERLAND-DUNBAR, 4th Bart. [S. to 1706] 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 6 Jany. 1799. He never assumed the title of LORD DUFFUS [S.] tho' in June 1838 he petitioned for that dignity. He *d.* unm. 28 Aug. 1875, at Ackergill Tower, near Wick, co. Caithness, when the Baronetcy [S.] became extinct. By his death the issue male of the grantee of the *Barony of Duffus* [S.] and probably therefore the dignity itself (if so limited) became extinct.

DULEEK.

See "BELLEW OF DULEEK, co. Meath," Barony [L.] (*Bellew*), *cr.* 1686 ; *cr.* 1770.

DUMBARTON, see DUNBARTON.

DUMBLANE, see DUNBLANE.

DUMFERMLINE, see DUNFERMLINE.

DUMFRIES.

Earldom [S.] I. WILLIAM (CRICHTON), LORD CRICHTON OF SANQUHAR I. 1638. [S. 1488], s. and h. of John Crichton of Ryhill, by his 1st wife Mary, da. of Sir John CARMICHAEL (which John Crichton was 2d s. of Robert, the 2d Lord) *suc.* to that title 29 June 1612, on the death of his cousin Robert, the 6th Lord (who was hanged for murder) to whom he was served heir 15 July 1619 ; was by patent dat. at Newmarket 2 Feb. 1622, *cr.* LORD OF SANQUHAR and VISCOUNT OF AIR [S.] and was by a subsequent patent dat. at Dunglass 12 June 1633, *cr.* LORD CRICHTON OF SANQUHAR AND CUMNOCK, VISCOUNT OF AIR and EARL OF DUMFRIES with a *spec. rem.* (as to this last creation) to heirs male bearing name and arms of Crichton. He *m.* Euphemia, da. of James SETON, of Touch. He *d.* in or before 1659. Admon. 12 Feb. 1658/9.

II. 1659? 2. WILLIAM (CRICHTON), EARL OF DUMFRIES, &c. [S.], 1st s. and h. He was P.C. to Charles II. He resigned his honours to the Crown 10 Sep. and obtained a new grant [with the former precedency] of the same, 3 Nov. 1690, with rem. to his grandson and h. ap. William, Lord Crichton, in tail male, rem. to the four daughters of his decd. son Charles, Lord Crichton, and to the heirs of their bodies respectively succeeding to the family estates, rem. to the nearest heirs of the said Charles, Lord Crichton. He *m.* Penelope, da. of Sir Robert SWIFT, of co. York. He *d.* 1691.

[ROBERT CRICHTON, *styled* LORD CRICHTON, 1st s. and h. ap. He *d.* v.p. in infancy.]

[CHARLES CRICHTON, *styled* LORD CRICHTON, 2nd, yst., and only surv. s. and h. ap. He *m.*, before 1681, Sarah, 3rd da. of James (DALRYMPLE), 1st VISCOUNT STAIR [S.] He was living 4 Oct. 1686, but *d.* v.p. before 1691.]

III. 1691. 3. WILLIAM (CRICHTON), EARL OF DUMFRIES, &c. [S.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of Charles Crichton, *styled* Lord Crichton and Sarah, his wife abovenamed. He *d.* unm. 28 Feb. 1694. Funeral entry at Lyon office.

IV. 1694. 4. *PENELOPE*, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF DUMFRIES, &c. [S.] eldest sister and heir of line, who, under the limitation of 1690, inherited the family honours. She *m.*, 26 Feb. 1698, her cousin, the Hon. William DALRYMPLE, of Glenmure, Col. in the Army, and M.P. for co. Ayr. (2nd s. of John, 1st EARL OF STAIR [S.], br. to Sarah, Lady Crichton abovenamed), who *d.* 3 Dec. 1744. The Countess *d.* at Clackmannan, 6 March 1742. Funeral entry at Lyon office.

V. 1742. 5. WILLIAM (DALRYMPLE-CRITCHON) EARL OF DUMFRIES &c. [S.], 1st s. and h. He served 26 years, 1721-47, in the Army, being aide-de-camp to his uncle the Earl of Stair [S.] at the battle of Dettingen, 26 June 1743. On the abolition of heritable jurisdictions in 1747 he got £2,400 (in full of his claim of £17,000) for the Sheriffship of Clackmannan, &c.; **K.T.**, 1752. By the death of his yr. br., 13 Nov. 1760, he *suc.* him as 4th EARL OF STAIR, &c. [S.] He *m.* firstly, in or before 1734, Anne, da. of William (GORDON), 2nd EARL OF ABERDEEN [S.] by his 1st wife, Mary, da. of David (LESLIE), EARL OF LEVEN AND MELVILLE [S.] She *d.* at Edinburgh, and was *bur.* 15 April 1755, in Cumnock church, co. Ayr. Funeral entry in Lyon office. He *m.* secondly, 19 June 1762, Anne, da. of William DUFF, of Crombie, Advocate, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Robert DALRYMPLE, of North Berwick. The Earl of Dumfries and Stair *d.* s. p. s., 27 July 1768, at Dumfries house in Ayrshire, when the *Earldom of Stair*, and the titles [S.] he had inherited therewith, devolved on his cousin and h. male. See that dignity. His widow *m.*, 26 July 1769, at Edinburgh, Hon Alexander GORDON, one of the Lords of Session [S.] 1788-92, under the style of *Lord Rockville* (*Rockville* being his estate in co. Haddington), who *d.* 13 March 1792 in his 53rd year.

[WILLIAM CRITCHON, styled LORD CRITCHON, only s. and h. ap. by 1st wife, *b.* 12 Dec. 1734. He *d.* v. p. in his 10th year, at school at Marylebone, Midx., 9 Sep. 1744.]

VI. 1768. 6. PATRICK (MACDOWALL-CRITCHON), EARL OF DUMFRIES, &c. [S.], nephew and h. of line, being s. and h. of John MACDOWALL^(a) of Freugh, co. Wigton, by Elizabeth, eldest sister of William, the late Earl. He was *b.* 15 Oct. 1726; was an officer in the 3rd Foot Guards, 1762. REP. PEER [S.] 1790-1803. He *m.*, 12 Sep. 1771, Margaret, da. of Ronald CRAUFORD, of Restalrig, co. Edinburgh. She *d.* in Upper Grosvenor street, Midx., 5 May, 1799. He *d.*, s. p. m., 7 April 1803, in his 77th year, in Charlotte sq., Edinburgh.

VII. 1803. 7. JOHN (STUART, afterwards CRITCHON-STUART), EARL OF DUMFRIES [1633], VISCOUNT AIR [1622 and 1633], LORD CRITCHON OF SANQUHAR [1488], LORD SANQUHAR [1622] and LORD CRITCHON OF SANQUHAR AND CUMNOCK [1633], all in the peerage of Scotland, grandson and h. of line, being s. and h. of John STUART, styled VISCOUNT MOUNT-STUART, by Elizabeth-Penelope, only surv. da. of Patrick, last EARL OF DUMFRIES, &c. [S.], and Margaret, his wife next abovenamed, which Elizabeth *d.* v. p. 25 July 1797, in her 25th year. He was *b.* 10 Aug. 1793 and by royal lic., 26 Aug. 1805, took the name of *Crichton* before that of *Stuart*. By the death of his paternal grandfather, 16 Nov. 1814, he *suc.* as 2nd MARQUESS OF BUTE, &c. See "BUTE," Marquessate of (*cr.* 1796) with which this Earldom then became and still continues united.

DUMFRIES-SHIRE.

i.e., "DUMFRIES-SHIRE," Marquessate of [S.] (*Douglas*), *cr.* 1684 with the DUKEDOM OF QUEENSBERRY [S.], which see.

DUNALLEY OF KILBOY.

Barony [I.] 1. HENRY PRITIE, of Dunalley Castle, or Kilboy, co. Tipperary, s. and h. of Henry P. of the same, by Deborah, da. of Benjamin NEALE, Archdeacon of Leighlin, was *b.* 3 Oct. 1743; M.P. for Banagher, 1767-76; for co. Tipperary, 1776-90; and for Carlow,

(^a) An account of the family is in Nisbet's Heraldry, Appendix II, 250-256.

1795-1800; was *cr.* 31 July 1800,^(a) BARON DUNALLEY OF KILBOY, co. Tipperary [I.]. He *m.* 6 Jan. 1766, Catherine, widow of John BURY, 2d da. and coher of Francis SADLEIR, of Sopwell House, co. Tipperary, by Catherine, da. of William WALE, of co. Waterford. He *d.* 3 Jan. 1801. Will *pr.* 1805. His widow *d.* 26 Feb. 1821, at Bath, Somerset. Will *pr.* 1821.

II. 1801. 2. HENRY-SADLEIR (PRITIE), BARON DUNALLEY OF KILBOY [I.], 1st s. and h., *b.* 3 March 1775, at Kilbo. M.P. for Carlow [I.], 1800-01; for Okehampton, 1819-24. REP. PEER [I.], 1828-54. He *m.* firstly, 10 July 1802, Maria, da. of Dominick TRANT, of Dunkittle, by Eleanor, sister of John, 1st EARL OF CLARE [I.], 3d da. of John FITZ GIBBON, of Mount Shannon, co. Limerick. She *d.* 15 Oct. 1819. He *m.* secondly 10 Feb. 1826, at Hayes, co. Kent, Emily-Maude, 18th child of Cornwallis (MAUDE), 1st VISCOUNT HAWARDEN [I.], being his da. by his 3d wife, Anne-Isabella, da. of Thomas MONCK. He *d.* s.p. 19 Oct. 1854, at Kilbo, afsd., in his 80th year. Will *pr.* April 1855. His widow *d.* 10 Feb. 1884, aged 89, at Belgrave square, in Monkstown, co. Dublin.

III. 1854. 3. HENRY (PRITIE), BARON DUNALLEY OF KILBOY [I.], nephew and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. Francis-Aldbrough Prittie, by his 2d wife Elizabeth, da. of the Rt. Hon. George PONSONBY, Lord Chancellor [I.], which Francis was 2d s. of the 1st Baron and *d.* 8 March 1853, aged 73. He was *b.* Jan. 1807 at Ely place, Dublin; ed. at Trin. Coll. Cambridge. He *m.* 10 May 1841, Anne-Maria-Louisa, da. of Cornelius (O'CALLAGHAN), 1st VISCOUNT LISMORE OF SHANBALLY [I.], by Eleanor, da. of John (BUTLER), EARL OF OSSORY AND ORMONDE [I.]. She who was *b.* 12 Dec. 1811, *d.* 6 July 1867. He *d.* suddenly 10 Sep. 1885, at Kilbo.

IV. 1885. 4. HENRY-O'CALLAGHAN (PRITIE), BARON DUNALLEY OF KILBOY [I.], only s. and h., *b.* 21 March 1851; ed. at Harrow and at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; B.A., 1872; sometime Lieut. Rifle Brigade. He *m.* 22 Aug. 1876, Mary-Frances, da. of Major-Gen. Reginald-Onslow FARMER (Royal Artillery), of Mortlake, Surrey.

Family Estates...These, in 1883, consisted of 21,081 acres in co. Tipperary worth £7,162 a year. *Principal residence.* Kilbo, near Nenagh, co. Tipperary.

DUNAMORE.

i.e., "SHEFFIELD OF DUNAMORE, co. Meath," Barony [I.] (*Sheffield*), *cr.* 1781. See "SHEFFIELD" Earldom of [I.], *cr.* 1816.

DUNBAR^(b) afterwards (1290-1435) MARCH.

[*Memorandum.* The origin of this dignity as a *Scotch Earldom* is extremely obscure; the grantee of the *lands of Dunbar* (*circa* 1072) is usually considered as the first Earl (and, accordingly, is sonumbered below) tho' his age (he was *b.* 1040-48) renders it unlikely that he could survive to a period when Scotch Earldoms

^(a) He was one of the 26 commoners ennobled in that year, being the year of the Irish Union. See vol. i, p. 166, note "a," *sub* "Ashtown."

^(b) See "Earldom of March (anciently Dunbar) until 1433," by Alexander Sinclair in the "Her. and Gen." vol. vi, pp. 289-311, and see three articles by "Anglo-Scotus" *viz.*, two in the "Her. and Gen." (vol. v, pp. 243-250, and vol. vii, pp. 36-41) and one in "N. and Q.," 3d S. xii, p. 231. See also Surtees "Durham," and, more especially, see Stodart's *Scottish Arms* (1881) vol. ii, pp. 6-18; as also an able article, by Capt. A. H. Dunbar, on these Earls (with pedigree) in the "Proceedings of the Antiquaries of Scotland," vol. xxii, p. 187, from which last, as well as from his own most extensive resources, this article, has kindly been corrected by Joseph Bain, F.S.A., [S.], who summed up (with some additions thereto) Capt. Dunbar's researches, in vol. iv, of *Scotch Calendars*, preface, pp. xxi, xxiii. The filiation of Earl George [1368-1416] a most important feature in the family history, appears to have been entirely misconceived by all previous writers. DUNBAR is one of the 12 families in Drummond's "Noble British Families," see vol. i, p. 77, note "a."

(as distinct from the ancient Mormaerships) could, properly, be held to exist. See some remarks in vol. i, p. 88 (*sub* "Angus") on the "*Seven Earldoms of Scotland*," among which, for many centuries, was Dunbaras late as 1244, not, however, being included therein in 1297 when, for the last time, they appear.]

Earldom [S.] 1. GOSPATRIC,^(b) s. of MALDRED,^(c) by Ealdgyth, da. and I. 1072.^(a) h. of Ugtred, PRINCE OF NORTHUMBERLAND (and Elgiva, da. of ETHELRED, King of England), was *b.* between 1040 and 1048; is styled "a noble youth" when visiting Rome in 1061, in company with Tostig the br. of King Harold II.; joined the Danes in an invasion of the north of England, but making peace with King William was at Christmas 1067 *cr.* EARL OF NORTHUMBERLAND. Being, however, deprived of that Earldom in Oct. or Nov. 1072, he fled to Scotland receiving from Malcolm III. [S.] "*Dunbar* with the adjacent lands in Lothian." He *d.* probably before 1115^(d) and most likely is the "Gospatricus Comes" *bur.* at Durham. M.I.

II. 1115? 2. GOSPATRIC DE DUNBAR, EARL [S.], 2d s. of the above, being yr. br. of Dolfin (expelled 1092 from Carlisle) was (apparently unless, indeed, it was his *father*^(d) and not himself) one of the nine signatories^(e) to the charter of Scone (*circ.* 1115) as also about a year later (under the style of *Gospatricus, frater Dolfini*) to the "*Inquisitio Davidis*."^(f) In a charter, confirmed 16 Aug. 1139, (after his death) to the monks of Durham^(g) he is styled "*Gospatricus Comes*,"⁽ⁱ⁾ *frater Dolfini*," being, in the heading thereof, called "*Gospatricus secundus*"^(h) *Comes frater Dolfini*." This Earl is doubtless the "*summus dux Lodonensium*" (the leader of the men of Lothian) slain at the battle of the Standard 22 Aug. 1138.⁽ⁱ⁾

III. 1138. 3. GOSPATRIC DE DUNBAR, EARL [S.], s. and h., who, as "*Gospatricus Comes*" witnesses a charter of 1140. He was founder of the Cistercian nunneries at Coldstream and Eccles, co. Berwick. He *m.* Derdere. He *d.* 1166. He, probably, is the Earl said to be *bur.* in the church of Norham.^(k)

IV. 1166. 4. WALTHEOF DE DUNBAR, EARL [S.], s. and h. He was (*circ.* 1175) one of the hostages for the release of King William I. [S.] from imprisonment. He *m.* Alina who *d.* 1179. He *d.* 1182.

(^a) This date must be taken as the grant of the lands of Dunbar rather than that of the origin of a Scottish Earldom.

(^b) "*Gospatric*" is pure Celtic (Skene's "*Celtic Scotland*") for "the servant of Patrick; the word "*Gwas*" meaning "servant." Mr. Bain finds the word as "*Qwaspatricius*" in an inquisition. *Cal. of Doc. [S.]* vol. i, No. 1712.

(^c) Maldred was probably br. to Duncan, King of Scotland, 1034-40, who was s. of Crinan Abbot of Dunkeld, which Crinan is conjectured (by Skene) to be the same as Crinan Tein, the father of this Maldred. *Gospatric* was thus cousin (*paternally*) to the Scotch and (*maternally*) to the English Kings.

(^d) See "*Memorandum*" at head of this article.

(^e) He is the only one of the nine persons by whose consent the charter was granted, whose name is appended thereto *without* the designation of "*Comes*" or of "*Episcopus*," whence it might be fairly conjectured that he was *not* an Earl at that date, tho' possibly the word "*Comes*" may have been omitted (accidentally) by the scribe, who *certainly* omits the word "*frater*" before "*Dolfini*."

(^f) "From this period till the rise of the [house of] Douglas under Bruce, the heads of this princely house held the *foremost rank* [though, perhaps, not far ahead of that of the house of Cumyn] in Scotland. After that era their vacillating policy [perhaps partly owing to their *English* possessions which compelled them to do homage to the King of that hostile dominion] hastened their downfall." See articles in "*N. and Q.*" abovenamed, p. 196, note "b."

(^g) Raine's "*North Durham*."

(^h) Here is a valid recognition (if such heading is that of the original document) of the second *Gospatric* having been an Earl and also if the word "*secundus*" is to be taken with "*Comes*" (instead of with "*Gospatricus*" of his having been the *second* Earl, and, consequently, of his *father* having been the *first* Earl.

(ⁱ) "*Scriptores decem*" (1652), p. 1,027; also Lappenberg's "*England under the Normans*" 1867), p. 386.

(^k) See "*Dugdale*," vol. i, p. 54, where, however, the *first* *Gospatric* is indicated.

V. 1182. 5. PATRICK (DE DUNBAR), EARL OF DUNBAR [S.], being the first of his race who assumed (from his Castle of Dunbar) the territorial style of *Earl of Dunbar*, s. and h., Justiciary of Lothian and Keeper of Berwick. He attended King William the Lion [S.] to Lincoln, in 1200, to do homage for his lands in England, as also King Alexander II [S.] to York, in June 1221, on occasion of that King's marriage with the Princess Joan, sister to Henry III. He founded a monastery of the Red Friars, at Dunbar, in 1218. He m. firstly, in 1184, Ada, illegit. da. of King William, the Lion [S.] aisd. She d. 1200. He m. secondly before 4 Dec. 1214, Christina, widow of William de BRUCE, of Annandale. He d. 31 Dec. 1232, having recently become a monk, and was bur. at Eccles.

VI. 1232. 6. PATRICK (DE DUNBAR), EARL OF DUNBAR [S.], s. and h. by first wife. He was in command of the army sent in 1235 against the Bastard of Galloway, whom he subdued; was guarantee of a treaty with England in 1237, and again in 1244. He joined the Crusade under Louis IX, King of France. He m., in or before 1213, Euphemia, da. of Walter (FITZALAN *alias* STEWARD) LORD HIGH STEWARD [S.] He d. 1248, at Marseilles. His wife survived him.

VII. 1248. 7. PATRICK (DE DUNBAR), EARL OF DUNBAR [S.], s. and h., aged 35, when served heir to his father's lands in England, 13 Dec. 1248. He was one of the English faction in 1255, in which year he rescued King Alexander III [S.] from the power of the Comyn family, and was nom., in Sep. 1255, REGENT [S.] and Guardian of the King and Queen. He was in command against the Norwegians, at Largs, in 1263; was a signatory to the treaty, 6 July 1266, for the cession of the Hebrides and the Isle of Man to Scotland; as also to the marriage contract of Margaret of Scotland with Eric of Norway, 25 July 1281; and again in Feb. 1284, to the succession of the "Maiden of Norway" to the throne of Scotland. He m., 1242, Cecilia,^(a) da. of John. He d. at Whittingham, 24 Aug. 1289, aged 76, and was bur. at Dunbar.

VIII. 1289. 8. PATRICK (DE DUNBAR), EARL OF DUNBAR [S.], who first of his race, is called EARL OF MARCH [S.],^(b) s. and h., aged 47 in 1289. He was one of the Competitors for the Crown of Scotland, making formal claim thereto, 3 Aug. 1291, at Berwick in right of his great grandmother, the Countess Ada, [illegit.] da. of King William [S.] as abovenamed. This claim, however, he soon withdrew, swearing fealty to King Edward I, on 13 June 1291, and taking the English side when hostilities began in 1296. In 1298 he was the King's Lieutenant for Scotland, and in 1300 was with his son Patrick, at the siege of Carlaverock (°). He m., circa 1282, before 1285, Marjory, da. of Alexander (CUMYRN), EARL OF BUCHAN [S.], Elizabeth, da. and coheir of Roger (DE QUINCI), EARL OF WINCHESTER. This Lady is said to have taken the opposite side from her husband, and to have held the Castle of Dunbar for the Scots till forced, 29 April 1296, to surrender it to Edward I. He d. 10 Oct. 1308, aged 66.

IX. 1308. 9. PATRICK (DE DUNBAR), EARL OF MARCH, OF DUNBAR [S.], b. 1284; was with his father in 1300 (when but 16) at Carla-

(^a) See chartulary of Coldstream, Nos. 1 and 9 and chartulary of Kelso, Nos. 77 and 81. She is conjectured to have been an heiress of the family of Fraser, in consequence of which alliance this Earl (4 Nov. 1261) bore (being the first of his race who did so) the roses (of the house of Fraser) in a bordure round the lion rampant of Dunbar. Christian Bruce (sister of Robert Bruce, the competitor, 1291-92, for the throne of Scotland) is the wife assigned to him in Wood's "Douglas," but erroneously. *Ex inform* A. H. Dunbar.

(^b) *i.e.*, of the Scotch Marches or border lands. The *Merse*, or March, was part of the lands in Berwickshire, granted in 1072, by Malcolm III [S.] to Earl Gospatric. It was not till the parl. at Brigham, in March 1290, that the Earl of Dunbar appears to have assumed the designation of Earl of March [*Comes de Marchia*], since which period these Earls were generally known as "*of March*." The Welsh Marches, similarly, gave the title of "*Earl of March*" to the House of Mortimer, 1328 to 1424.

(^c) He is there called "*Conte de Laonois*;" Laonia, or Lothian, being that country south of the Forth, which is not comprehended in Galloway and Strathclyde. The Earl was also styled "*Conte de la Marche D'Ecosse*."

verock. He was aged 24 in 1309. He, like his father, favoured the English faction, and after the defeat of King Edward II. at Bannockburn 24 June 1314, received him into his castle of Dunbar and enabled him to escape into England. After losing this unexampled opportunity of serving the Scots, he went over to their side and was in the Parl. at Ayr in April 1315 when the succession to the Crown [S.] was settled; was at the capture of Berwick, March 1318, being then Sheriff of Lothian; signed the letter 1320 to the Pope asserting the independence of Scotland; was at the defeat of Dupplin, 11 May 1332, and of Halidon Hill, 19 July 1333, at which time the fort of Berwick, of which he was Governor, was surrendered to Edward III. and he himself for the 2d time joined the English side, which he again, in the next year, deserted and assisted in some small skirmishes against them, while his gallant Countess maintained a nineteen weeks siege, from Jan. 1337/8, of the Castle of Dunbar by the English whom she forced to retire therefrom. He was at the defeat of the Scots in the battle of Durham, 17 Oct. 1346, and was one of the sureties for the release of King David II. [S.] from captivity in 1357, receiving from him various grants, the town of Dunbar being erected a free burgh in his favour. He m. firstly, 1303-4, Ermigarda. He m. secondly (disp. 16 Jan. 1323/4) Agnes, elder da. of Thomas (RANDOLPH), 1st EARL OF MORAY [S.], sometime REGENT [S.], by (probably) Isabel, da. of Sir John STEWART of Bonkill. This lady, usually known as "Black Agnes," the heroine (as before mentioned) of the siege of Dunbar, became (17 Oct. 1346) by the death of her br. John, 3d Earl of Moray [S.] a coheir of that family whose estates included the Isle of Man, the Lordship of Annandale, &c. Earl Patrick in her right had, 1357-8, a grant of the EARLDOM^(a) OF MORAY [S.] Both his sons^(b) being dead, s.p., he resigned his Earldom of March, or Dunbar, to the Crown who granted the same 25 July 1368, to his great nephew and h. male, George Dunbar and "his heirs."^(c) He d. soon afterwards, 11 Nov. 1368 (having possessed his Earldom 60 years), aged 84.

X. 1368. 10. GEORGE^(d) (DUNBAR), EARL OF MARCH, OF DUNBAR [S.], great nephew and heir male, being s. and h. of Sir Patrick Dunbar, by Isabel, yst. da. of Thomas (RANDOLPH), EARL OF MORAY [S.] abovenamed, which Patrick (who was at the battle of Poitiers 19 Sep. 1356, but who d. that year in Candia) was s. and h. of John Dunbar, next br. to the late Earl of March, or Dunbar. He was b. about 1336; was one of the Wardens of the Marches, 1372; was at the Parl. at Scone, 1373, when the succession to the throne [S.] was settled; accompanied Douglas in his raid into England, after whose death at Otterburn, in 1388, the command of the Scots devolved on him. His da., Elizabeth, having been betrothed to the Duke of Rothsay [S.], the h. ap. to the Crown [S.], and that prince, disregarding such contract, (having m. Marjorie Douglas in Feb. 1399/40), the Earl renounced his allegiance and joined the English^(e), whose King (Henry IV)

(a) The Earldom of Moray [S.] as conferred on Sir Thomas Randolph in 1314 was a male fief. It was, however, again conferred 9 March 1371/2, on John de Dunbar, next br. of Earl George (who apparently was *heir of line*), both being sons of Sir Patrick Dunbar, by Isabel, yst. da. of Thomas (Randolph), Earl of Moray abovenamed.

(b) Their names were Patrick, who was b. 1304 and d. before 5 Sep. 1351, and John, living 5 Sep. 1351, and 5 Oct. 1354, who d. before (this date) July 1368.

(c) This is the first record of any charter settling the title. In it the Earl is designed "*Patricius Dunbarr*, miles, *ultimus Comes ejusdem*," referring to the words "*totum comitatum marchie*" which appear in the line above. *Ex inform.* A. H. Dunbar.

(d) This seems a very early occurrence of the Christian name "George," not, perhaps, very usual in England till the birth, in 1449, of George Plantagenet, Duke of Clarence, 1461-78.

(e) In his very curious letter, 18 Feb. 1399/400, from Dunbar to Henry IV he writes (claiming cousinship with that King), "If dame Alice the Bewmont was your *Graunde-dame* dame Marjory Comyn, her full sister, was my *Graunde-dame* on the other side." The writer's great grandmother, Marjory Cumyn (Countess of March, or Dunbar, abovenamed) was *aunt* (not sister) to Alice, Lady Beaumont (*nee* Cumyn) whose daughter, Isabel, Duchess of Lancaster was (*maternal*) grandmother to Henry IV, to which King, therefore, the writer was third cousin once removed. It must be noted that the word "*Graunde-dame*" means *Great Grandmother*. (See Jamieson's Scott. Dict.) The word "*Gudame*" would have been used for *Grandmother*. The letter is in facsimile in the Nat. MSS. [S.], Part ii, No. 53.

granted him the forfeited estates of the Lord Bardolf, he having assisted at the battles of Homeldon Hill, 14 Sep. 1402, and of Shrewsbury, 23 July 1403. After the death of Robert III [S.], in 1406, he treated with the Regent Albany [S.] for restoration to Scotland. This, however, was not effected without his resigning, to the all powerful Earl of Douglas, the Lordship of Annandale, the Castle of Lochmaben, &c., by charter 2 Oct. 1409. In 1411 he was one of the Commissioners for a truce with England. He *m.* Christian, da. of Alan DE SETON (formerly WINTOUN), by Margaret, da. and h. of Sir Alex. SETON, of Seton. He *d.* about 1416 or [1420], aged about 80.

XI. 1416 ? II. GEORGE (DUNBAR), EARL OF MARCH, or DUNBAR [S.], s. and h., b. about 1370, being about 50 in 1420. He, who was knighted at the coronation of King James I [S.], consented in 1435 (with his father) to the alienation of the Lordship of Annandale to the Earl of Douglas. He was employed in negotiating the freedom of James I [S.], whom he met at Durham, in 1424, on his return to Scotland. He was arrested with the Duke of Albany [S.] but sat on his trial in May 1425; was in frequent embassies to England, and was, in 1430, one of the Sponsors to Prince James, afterwards James II [S.] In 1434, however, the King, on the pretence of his holding an Earldom and estates which had been forfeited by his father's treason, whose pardon being by a *Regent* only (not an actual King) was alleged to be invalid, seized his lands, had the case referred to Parl., by which it was declared at Perth, 10 Jan. 1434/5, that the *Earldom and estates were forfeited* (a). The Earl fled to England, retaining only the Barony of Kilconquhar, co. Fife, held from the Archbishop of St. Andrews. He *m.* Beatrice. On 7 Aug. 1421 he had lic. to marry Alicia, da. of Sir William HAY, of Yester, but it is uncertain if this marriage ever took place. He was living in 1454 but died in 1457, having since 9 April 1449 (when he was styled "*Comes Marchiarum et Dominus de Kilconquhar*") an annuity of 400 marks out of the revenues of the Earldom.

[PATRICK DUNBAR, of Kilconquhar, co. Fife, s. and h., who, even after his father's attainder, was styled "MASTER OF THE MARCH," *m.* Isabel (living 1452), and was living 1457. He was father of another Patrick, who *m.* before 1474, Janet, da. and coheir of Patrick DUNBAR, of Mochrum, co. Wigton (descended from David Dunbar, probably a yr. br. of George, the 10th Earl), by whom half of the Mochrum estate came into the family. These were great great grand-parents of Patrick Dunbar, of Kilconquhar (whose father, grandfather and great grandfather, all named Patrick, were of the same), who *m.* in 1520, and who was *suc.* by his only s., Andrew Dunbar, of Kilconquhar and Loch of Mochrum. This Andrew Dunbar, who is said, by Riddell, to have been "*indisputably the representative*" of the Earls of March, *d. s.p.*, Nov. 1564, leaving four sisters of whom Elizabeth *d. unm.* 1569. Among the descendants of the other three such representation still remains.(b)]

Barony [S.] ROBERT (STUART), EARL OF LENNOX [S.], was, on I. 1580, resigning that Earldom, *cr.*, 5 March 1579/80, EARL OF MARCH and LORD OF DUNBAR [S.],(c) which creation was confirmed by royal charter, 5 Oct. 1582. He *d. s.p.*, 29 March 1586, when all his honours became *extinct*. See fuller particulars under "MARCH," Earldom of [S.], *cr.* 1580; *ex.* 1586.

(a) There can be no doubt that the conduct of these Earls—"as pre-eminent in their power, as precarious in their loyalty"—had made the King resolve to compass their annihilation. James I. [S.] had, indeed, small scruple in doing this, and other acts of a like nature, and paid the penalty thereof in being, but two years later (1437) murdered for his unjust seizure of the Earldom of Strathern [S.] from the right heir.

(b) The *second* of these three sisters, Margaret, *m.* William Macdowall whose descendant and heir of line, Elizabeth, da. and h. of Patrick (Crichton, formerly Macdowall), Earl of Dumfries [S.], *m.* 1792, John Stuart, styled Viscount Mountstuart, ancestor of the Marquesses of Dute, but whether or no any issue remains from the eldest da., who of course, as heir of line, would inherit in preference to the issue of Margaret is doubtful. See as to the family of Macdowall p. 195, note "a."

(c) It is very probable that a (peerage) BARONY OF DUNBAR [S.] was conferred

Earldom [S.] I. "GEORGE HOWME, Knt., High Treasurer of Scotland " was on 7 July 1604, *cr.* "BARON HUME (Howme), OF BERWICK" [S.], with rem. to *his heirs* for ever.^(a) Shortly afterwards he was as "Lord Home of Berwick in England" [*sic* but query] by patent dat. at Windsor, 3 July 1605, *cr.* EARL OF DUNBAR [S.], with rem. to *his heirs male*.^(b) He was 4th and yst. s. of Alexander HOME, or HUME,^(c) of Manderston, co. Berwick, by Janet, da. of George HOME, or HUME, of Spot; was a Gent. of the Bed-chamber to King James VI [S.], in 1585, by whom he was Knighted, in 1590; Master of the Wardrobe, 1590, and High Treasurer [S.], 5 Sep. 1601. Attending the King into England, he was made P.C., in 1603, and in the next year *cr. a Peer* as above stated. Chancellor of the Exchequer [S.]; High Commissioner to the general assembly [S.], 1606-10, being employed by the King for the restoration of episcopacy in Scotland; *el. K.G.* 23 April and inst. 18 May 1602. He *m.* Catharine, da. of Sir Alexander GORDON, of Gight, by Mary, da. of Cardinal David BETOUN, Archbishop of St. Andrew's [S.] He *d.* s.p.m. at Whitehall somewhat suddenly^(d) 29 Jan. 1611/2, since which time *his honours* have remained *dormant*.^(e) He was *bur.* at Dunbar. M.I.

in 1454 or 1455, together with the *Earldom of March* [S.] on Alexander Stewart, 2d s. of King James II. [S.], soon afterwards *cr.* DUKE OF ALBANY [S.]; see that title 1458-83. He was the *only* person who held the *Earldom of March* [S.] between the forfeiture of the Dunbar family (some 20 years previously) and this creation of 1580 when (as shewn in the text) the Barony of Dunbar was conferred with this Earldom of March. The Duke certainly held the feudal *Lordship and Castle of Dunbar*, which were part of his estates when forfeited in 1483.

(a) See "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records. There is no allusion therein to the remarkable clause in this creation (which, as it was never exercised came to an end at the death of the grantee), enabling the grantee to nominate any kinsman or relation "to have and hold the same dignity to him and his heirs." See vol. ii, p. 14, note "a," for a chronological list of this class of creations. The patent was directed to pass *also* under the great seal of Scotland, which shews it to be *certainly* a Scotch (even if it was *also* an English) dignity. The following note thereto is given in "Hewlett," p. 39. "There appears to have been much uncertainty after the accession of King James VI [S.] to the throne of England, as to the manner in which *Peerages of Scotland* should be created. *These letters patent* [7 July 1604] and the *letters patent creating Lord Kinloss, Lord Bruce of Kinloss*, dated in the same year [*i.e.* the next day, 8 July 1604, on which day, also, Sir Thomas Erskine was *cr.* Baron Erskine of Dirletoun in Scotland], were directed to pass *under the Great Seals of the two Kingdoms*, and they are the only instances of grants made in such a form. Subsequently dignities were conferred under commissions addressed to the great Officers of State in Scotland, commanding them to inaugurate or invest the grantees with the honour to be conferred, and subsequently, towards the close of the reign of King James, by ordinary charters or letters patent passed in pursuance of warrants signed by the King himself in England or wherever he might be."

(b) See Wood's "Douglas," vol. ii, p. 675.

(c) The family of Hume or Home claimed descent in the male line from the ancient house of Dunbar, Earls of Dunbar [S.] thro' Patrick, 2d son of Earl Gospatric, the third of that name.

(d) His death is attributed to poison given him by Secretary Cecil. See a full account thereof in Scott's "Staggering State of Scots Statesmen." This is probably a calumny. He was, however, a cause of much jealousy. Archp. Spottiswoode describes him as "a man of deep wit, few words, and, in his Majesty's service, no less faithful than fortunate."

(e) The Barony of Home of Berwick [S.] being to heirs general would appear to be vested in the issue of his two daughters and coheirs. These were (1) Ann wife of Sir James Home, and mother of James, who in Feb. 1633 *suc.* as 3d Earl of Home [S.] being ancestor of the succeeding Earls (2) Elizabeth *m.* March 1611/2 (the preparations thereof having been made by her lately decd. father) Theophilus (Howard), 2d Earl of Suffolk, whose representative is the Lord Howard de Walden.

The right to the Earldom of Dunbar [S.], tho' unquestionably still remaining has never been fully recognised since the death of the grantee of 1605. It appears to be as under.^(a)

XIII. 1612. 2. JOHN (HOME), EARL OF DUNBAR [S.], next elder br. and (*more Scotico*) heir, being 3d s. of his father abovenamed. He *d. s.p.* 1614.

XIV. 1614. 3. DAVID HOME living 1571 (but who apparently *d. s.p.*) was the next eldest br. while ALEXANDER HOME, of Manderston, was the elder br. of the 1st Earl, but whether either of these were alive in 1614 is unknown. SIR GEORGE HOME, of Manderston, only s. and h. of the latter was living in 1631, and one of these three must, apparently, from 1614 have been *de jure* EARL OF DUNBAR [S.] On 6 Aug. 1634, the Lord Advocate [S.] certified to the King that that dignity "lawfully descended" to the above named Sir George Home, the collateral male heir, and failing him that it would devolve upon Sir Alexander Home, then at the Hague. The said George *d.* before 1651.

XV. ? 1651 ? 4? SIR ALEXANDER HOME heir male (probably s. and h. of the^(b) above); sometime in the service of the Princess of Orange at Hague. To him on 6 May 1651, Charles II. *confirmed the Earldom of Dunbar* [S.] He *d. s.p.m.* before 1689.

XVI. ? 1689 ? 5? ALEXANDER HOME, of Manderston afsd., Capt. of a troop of horse in the service of the States of Holland, nephew and h. male of the above. To him 14 Oct. 1689, King William III. *confirmed the Earldom of Dunbar* [S.] exemplifying the previous confirmation thereof by Charles II.

The family is said to have resided in Holland and to have there become *extinct* in the *male line* during the 17th century.^(c)

Viscounty [S.] 1. SIR HENRY CONSTABLE, of Burton in the West riding, co. York, only s. and h. of Henry C. of the same, by Margaret, da. of Sir William DORMER, of Elthorp, Bucks, *suc.* his father 1608, was knighted, 14 March 1614, at the Tower of

^(a) See especially Riddell's "Scotch Peerage Law" [1833], p. 16. See also "Hewlett."

^(b) Drummond's "Noble British families" where there appears to be the best pedigree of this branch of the family tho' one by no means *entirely* reliable.

^(c) In 1776 John Home, of the family of Wedderburn, descended from the *eldest* br. of Alexander Home (grandfather of the 1st Earl of Dunbar) was retoured heir male of the Earl of Dunbar, but this service was reduced by the Court of Session at the instance of Sir George Home, Bart., of Blackader, descended from the *next yst.* br. of the said Alexander. There appears, however, to be issue male in existence from Patrick Home, of Killknow, *son* of the said Alexander and uncle of the 1st Earl, which would have a preferable claim. Such issue was (1) the Baronets of Renton [S.] *cr.* about 1675; *ex.* 1788 (2) the Baronets of Lumsden [S.] *cr.* 1697; *ex.* 1784 (3) the house of Home of Kaimes represented by the well known Henry Home, a Lord of Session (as Lord Kaimes) 1752-82. His great grandson and h. male was (according to Drummond's "Noble British families," 1846) George Drummond of Blair Drummond, co. Perth, "*undoubtedly the male representative of the Earldom of Dunbar, cr. in 1604.*" Such claim, however, does not appear to have been made by the family itself; neither is the pedigree of Home of Kaimes free from suspicion. It may be observed that they omit this claim in the Red Book of Menteith and seem to notice chiefly their Drummond ancestry.

London, and was, by pat. dat. at Newmarket, 14 Nov. 1620, *cr.* VISCOUNT OF DUNBAR and LORD CONSTABLE [S.] with rem. to his heirs male, bearing the name and arms of Constable. Tho' said to have been "a man of parts and learning" he appears to have been a great gambler, losing (1635-36) £3,000 at one sitting. He *m.*, about 1615, Mary, sister of Nicholas, 1st EARL OF THANET, da. of Sir John TRFON, 1st Bart., by his second wife Christian, da. and coheir of Sir Humphrey BROWN, Justice of the Common Pleas. He *d.* 1645, being slain at Scarborough Castle.^(a) His widow *d.* about 1659. Her will pr. 1659.

II. 1645. 2. JOHN (CONSTABLE), VISCOUNT DUNBAR, &c. [S.], s. and h., aged 50 at the Heraldic visit. of Yorkshire, 1665. He *m.*, about 1658, Mary, da. of Thomas (BRUDENELL), 1st EARL OF CARDIGAN, by Mary, da. of Sir Thomas TRESHAM. He *d.* about 1666.

III. 1666? 3. ROBERT (CONSTABLE), VISCOUNT DUNBAR, &c. [S.], 2nd, but 1st surv. s. and h., aged 14 in 1665. He *m.* firstly, in or before 1672, Mary, da. of John (BELAYSSE), 1st BARON BELAYSSE OF WORLABY, by his first wife, Jane, da. and h. of Sir Robert BOTELER. He *m.* secondly, before 1711, Dorothy, widow of Charles (FANE), 3d EARL OF WESTMORLAND (who *d.* Sep. 1691), da. of Robert (BRUDENELL), 2nd EARL OF CARDIGAN by his second wife, Anne, da. of Thomas (SAVAGE), 1st EARL RIVERS. He *d.* 23 Nov. and was *bur.* 2 Dec. 1714, at Westminster Abbey, in his 64th year. Will dat. 2 Jan. 1711/2, pr. 4 Dec. 1714. His widow, who *d.* 26 Jan., was *bur.* there 6 Feb. 1739/40 (as "Countess Dow. of Westmoreland"), aged 93. Will dat, 28 Dec. 1734 to 19 Aug. 1738, pr. 8 Feb. 1739/40.

IV. 1714, 4. WILLIAM (CONSTABLE), VISCOUNT DUNBAR and to LORD CONSTABLE [S.], only br. and h. male, aged 11 in 1665. He *m.* 1718. Elizabeth, 1st da. of Hugh (CLIFFORD), 2nd BARON CLIFFORD OF CHUDLEIGH, by Anne, da. and coheir of Sir Thomas PRESTON, Bart. He *d.* s.p. 15 Aug. 1718 at Burton afsd., when the issue male of the grantee became extinct and the title became *dormant* ^(b). Will dat. 30 Aug. 1717. His widow *m.* 17 Nov. 1720, Charles Gregory FAIRFAX, of Gilling, co. York, afterwards (1738-1741) 10th VISCOUNT FAIRFAX OF ELMLEY [I.] and *d.* s.p. 25 of the small pox being *bur.* 27 April 1721, at Bath Abbey. Admon. 15 May 1721.

DUNBAR.

1721. The HON. JAMES MURRAY (elder br. of William, 1st EARL OF MANSFIELD), 2d s. of David, 5th VISCOUNT STORMONT [S.], by Margery, da. and h. of David SCOTT, *b.* about 1690; admitted an Advocate [S.] 1710; M.P. for Elgin 1710-14 and one of the Commissioners for settling the trade with France, having joined the party of the exiled Stuarts was by the *titular* King James III. (to whose eldest son he was "Governor") *cr.* in 1721 EARL OF DUNBAR [S.], and, in 1725, made **K.T.** He *d.* s.p. at Naples 6 Oct. 1728.^(c)

DUNBARTON or DUMBARTON.

Earldom [S.] I. 1675. 1. LORD GEORGE DOUGLAS, 4th s. of William, 1st MARQUESS OF DOUGLAS [S.], being his 2d s. by his second wife, Mary, da. of George (GORDON), 1st MARQUESS OF HUNTLY [S.], was *b.* about 1635; was Page of Honour to Louis XIV., King of France, and

^(a) See "The Loyalists' Bloody Roll," vol. i, p. 194, *sub* "Aubigny."

^(b) There are probably numerous male descendants existing of the ancestor of the grantee, some one of whom would be entitled to this Viscounty. The estates passed to Cuthbert Tunstall, nephew, by the sister, of the last Viscount and thence into the family of Clifford, being that of the last named gentleman's wife.

^(c) *Hist. Reg.*

serving in several of the French campaigns, became Major Gen. in his army. After the treaty of Nimeguen, 1673, he came to England and was *cr.* 9 March 1675, EARL OF DUNBARTON and LORD DOUGLAS OF ETRICK [S.] On the accession of James II. he was made Commander in Chief [S.] defeating the invasion of the Earl of Argyll. He was *nom.* on 29 May 1687, **K. T.**, being one of the eight orig. Knights of that Order.^(a) He accompanied James II. as a Lord of the Bedchamber into France. He *m.* (—) sister to the Duchess of Northumberland, da. of Thomas WHEATLEY, of Brecknoll, Berks. She *d.* before him. He *d.* at St. Germain, in France, 1692. Admon. 23 Feb. 1709/10.

II. 1692, 2. GEORGE (DOUGLAS), EARL OF DUNBARTON and LORD
to DOUGLAS OF ETRICK [S.], s. and h. He was Lieut. Col. in Dubourgay's Foot in the British service, 1715, and was Envoy to the Czar of
1738. Muscovy, April 1716. Having been long absent from England he *d.*
at Douay in Flanders Jany. 1737/8,^(b) s.p., when *his honours* appear
to have become *extinct*.

DUNBLANE or DUMBLANE.

Viscounty [S.] SIR THOMAS OSBORNE, Bart., of Kiveton, co. York, was
I. 1673. *cr.* 2 Feb. 1672/3, VISCOUNT OSEBURN [i.e., OSBORNE] OF
DUNBLANE [S.] In June 1673 he was made Lord High Treasurer
of England and on 15 Aug. 1673, was *cr.* BARON OSBORNE OF
KIVETON and VISCOUNT LATIMER of Danby, co. York, in which month he
appears to have surrendered the Scotch Viscounty in favour of his second s.,
Peregrine Osborne, mentioned below. He was *cr.* on 27 June 1674, EARL OF
DANBY; on 9 April 1689, MARQUESS OF CARMARTHEN, and on 4 May 1694,
DUKE OF LEEDS. See fuller particulars of him under that title. He *d.* 26 July
1712, aged 81.

II. 1674. 2. PEREGRINE (OSBORNE), VISCOUNT OSBORNE OF DUN-
BLANE [S.], 2d s. of the above, in whose favour a resignation of that
dignity was made which was confirmed to him 5 Dec. 1674. In Jany. 1688/9, on the
death of his eldest br., he was *styled* EARL OF DANBY, till on his father's elevation to
a Dukedom, in May 1694, he was *styled* MARQUESS OF CARMARTHEN. He *suc.* his
father 26 July 1712, as DUKE OF LEEDS, &c. See "LEEDS" Dukedom of, *cr.* 1694.

DUNBOYNE.

Barony [I.] 1. SIR EDMOND BUTLER, of Dunboyne^(c), co. Meath, s.
I. 1541. and h. of James B. of the same, by Joan, da. of Pierce (BUTLER), EARL
OF OSSORY AND ORMONDE [I.], *suc.* his father, 15 Jan. 1538, and was
cr. 11 June 1541, BARON^(d) OF DUNBOYNE, co. Meath [I.] He *m.* Cecilia, da. of
Cormac Oge MACARTHY, of Muskerry.

II. 1566. 2. JAMES (BUTLER), BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], s. and h.,
was *sum.* to Parl. [I.] 11, 12, and 13 Eliz., and 11 Jac. 1. He *m.*
firstly, about 1580, Margaret, da. and h. of Barnaby (FITZPATRICK), 2nd BARON UPPER
OSSORY [I.], by Joan, da. of Rowland (EUSTACE), VISCOUNT BALTINGLASS [I.]. He *m.*
secondly, Margaret, da. of Connor (O'BRIEN), 3rd EARL OF THOMOND [I.], by his
second wife, Owyne, da. of Turlogh MAC-I-BRIEN-ARA. He *d.* 18 Feb. 1624. His
widow *d.* 20 and was *bur.* 27 Feb. 1636, at St. Patrick's, Cashel.

^(a) See a list of these Knights, vol. i, p. 187, note "d," *sub* "Athole."

^(b) *Hist. Reg.*

^(c) The Lordship of Dunboyne, anciently held by the family of Le Petit, was acquired in marriage with the heiress thereof by Sir Thomas Butler, who was slain, 1329. His descendants, feudal Barons thereof, was frequently *sum.* to the Irish Parl., the 9th in descent from him being Edmund, who was *cr.* a Lord of Parl. [I.] in 1541 as above stated. See also vol. i, preface, *sub* "Dunboyne," p. xiv (misprinted xvi), note "a."

^(d) See vol. i, p. 172, note "f," as to his style of "*Baro*" instead of "*Dominus*."

- III. 1624. 3. EDMOND (BUTLER), BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], grandson and h. being s. and h. of the Hon. John BUTLER, by Joan, da. of Florence (FITZPATRICK), 3rd BARON UPPER OSSORY [I.], which John was s. and h. ap., by his 1st wife, of the last Baron, but *d.*, v.p., 1602, being slain by Richard Grace. He *m.* firstly, Margaret, da. and h. of Thomas (BUTLER), BARON CAHER [I.], which Margaret was aged 21 in 1627 on the death of her father, and *d.* in Dublin, 1632. He *m.* secondly, Ellen, widow of Sir Robert CRESSY, relict, formerly, of Sir Douglas O'CONNOR, da. of Gerald Fitz-James (FITZ-GERALD), EARL OF DESMOND [I.] by his 2nd wife Eleanor, da. of Edmond (BUTLER), 1st BARON DUNBOYNE [I.] abovenamed. He *d.* 17 May 1640. His widow *d.* 1660, and was *bur.* in Long Abbey.
- IV. 1640. 4. JAMES (BUTLER), BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], s. and h. by 1st wife. M.P. for co. Tipperary 1639. He *m.* Ellen, da. of Pierce (BUTLER), 1st VISCOUNT IKERRIN [I.], by Ellen, da. of Walter (BUTLER), EARL OF OSSORY AND ORMOND [I.] He appears to have been *outlawed* and *attainted* in the Irish rebellion of 1641. He *d.* s.p.m.^(a) in 1662.
- V. 1662. 5. PIERCE (BUTLER), BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], cousin and h. male, being only s. and h. of Edmond BUTLER, of Curragh (who *d.* 1641), by Honora Gould, da. of William O'MULRYAN, which Edmond was 1st. s. and h. of Pierce B. of Balldroghid, co. Tipperary (who *d.* 1626), s. of James, the 2d Baron by his 1st wife. He also was *attainted*, probably in 1641, but certainly in 1691. He seems, however, to have been considered^(b) a Peer (though "a very sad" one) some years after the Restoration.^(c) He *m.* Catharine, da. of Sir Thomas HURLY, 1st Bart. [I.], of Knocklong, co. Limerick, by Joanna, da. of John BROWN.^(d) He *d.* 3 May 1690.
- VI. 1690. 6. JAMES BUTLER, usually called BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], only s. and h. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Sir Redmond EVERARD, 2d Bart. [I.], of Fethard, co. Tipperary. He *d.* Jany. 1701.
- VII. 1701. 7. PIERCE BUTLER, usually called BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], 1st s. and h. He *d.* unm.
- VIII. 1710? 8. EDMOND BUTLER, usually called BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], br. and h. He *m.* Anne, widow of Richard NAGLE, da. of Oliver GRACE, of Shanganagh, co. Tipperary, Ch Remembrancer of the Exchequer [I.] by Eliz. da. of John BRYAN, of Bawnmore. He *d.* Nov. 1732.
- IX. 1732. 9. JAMES BUTLER, usually called BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], s. and h. He *d.* s.p., 12 Dec. 1768.
- X. 1768. 10. PIERCE BUTLER, usually called BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], br. and h. He *m.* Maria, da. of George MACNAMARA. He *d.* 20 Aug. 1773, at Meath.^(e) His widow *m.* David WALSH.

(a) Margaret, his only da. and h., *m.* (as the second of his three wives) Barnaby (Fitzpatrick), 7th Baron of Upper Ossory [I.], who *d.* about 1695.

(b) The Duke of Ormonde writes from Clonmel, 12 Sept. 1666:—

"Here are many of the antient nobility in miserable condition, amongst the rest here is a very sad peere calld *the Lord of Dunboyne*, of my name and family. The place from whence hee derives his title was the gift of one of my auncestors, and so I have recovered it, but with a purpose to restore it, and the rather if, as hee says hee will, he lets mee have the breeding of his sonne, a youth of about 13 years old, as I take it. The reason why I tell you this is because, if I take him, I would have your assistance to place him where hee may bee bred a Protestant." etc. 11th Report *Hist. MSS.*, App. v, p. 14.

(c) The peerage was, however, considered as *non existent* (i.e. under forfeiture) by Lodge in his *Irish Peerage*, 1754 and 1789, as also in Beatson's "*Political Index*," 1806.

(d) See "Top. and Gen.," vol. iii, pp. 463-467.

(e) Died, 10 March 1770, "In Wardour Street, Soho, Lady Dunboyne, lady of Lord D. who is now in Ireland." *Ann. Reg.* Perhaps this was a first wife.

XI. 1773. 11. PIERCE EDMOND CREAGH BUTLER, usually called BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], only s. and h. He *d.* unm., Dec. 1785.

XII. 1785. 12. JOHN BUTLER, usually called BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], uncle and h., being 3d son of the 9th Lord, *b.* about 1720; was nom., 16 April 1763, by Pope Clement XIII as (Roman Catholic) Bishop of Cork, being then, or afterwards, D.D. This See he resigned, 13 Dec. 1786, soon after he *suc.* to his right of peerage, demanding at the same time a dispensation to marry. This being refused by Pope Pius VII, he became a Protestant, his recantation being read at Clonmel, 19 Aug. 1787. He *m.* in 1787, at the age of nearly 70 (—), da. of (—) THEOBALD, of Wilford, co. Tipperary. He *d.* s.p., 7 May 1800,^(a) aged about 80, having reverted to his former faith, devising the Dunboyne estate, for the purpose of the education of the Irish Roman-Catholics to Maynooth College. His widow (who survived him 60 years), *m.* John Herbert MOORE, of Shannon Grove, King's County, Barrister-at-Law, and *d.* Aug. 1860, aged 96.

XIII. 1800. 13. JAMES BUTLER, usually called, since 1800, and or legally acknowledged, since 1827, BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], cousin and 1827. h. male, being only s. and h. of James Butler, of Cragnagowra, co. Clare (who *d.* 22 May 1784), by Bridget, da. of Bartholomew SHEEHY, which last named James was only s. and h. of Michael B. (who *d.* 15 Aug. 1776), 2d s. (b.) of Edward B. of Clare, co. Tipperary, s. and h. of James B. who was s. and h. of Edward Butler both of Clare, afsd., which Edward was a younger s. of James, 2d Baron Dunboyne [I.] by his second wife, Margaret, *née* O'Brien. He was *b.* 25 July 1780. Having proved his pedigree as heir to the grantee he "*was confirmed in that Peerage*" (*i.e.*, the BARONY OF DUNBOYNE [I.]) "by reversal of the outlawries which affected the title, in the Court of King's Bench in Dublin in Michaelmas term 1827, by virtue of His Majesty's warrant dat. at Windsor 26 Oct. 1827, authorizing and requiring his Attorney Gen. [I.] to fiat writs of error for the examination of the records and process of the outlawries [*i.e.*, those of the 4th and 5th Baron] to confess the errors therein and to consent to the reversal thereof." (c) He *m.* firstly 17 Aug. 1799, Eleanor, da. of David O'CONNELL, of Cork. She *d.* 15 March 1817. He *m.* secondly 19 Dec. 1843, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Mary Anne Vincent VAUGHAN, of Belle Hatch House, Henley, Oxon. She *d.* 1847. Will pr. June 1847. He *d.* 6 July 1850, in his 70th year, at Chateau Echinghen, Pas de Calais. Will pr. Nov. 1851.

XIV. 1850. 14. THEOBALD FITZWALTER (BUTLER), BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], s. and h., by first wife, *b.* 11 Feb. 1806, at Waterville, co. Kildare. His right to the Barony was confirmed by the committee for privileges of the House of Lords, 10 Aug. 1860. REP. PEER [I.] 1867-81. He *m.* 14 Nov. 1832, Julia Celestina Maria, 2d da. of William BRANDER, of Morden Hall, co. Surrey. He *d.* 22 March 1881, at Knoppogue Castle, co. Clare. His widow living 1890.

XV. 1881. 15. JAMES FITZWALTER (BUTLER, afterwards CLIFFORD-BUTLER), BARON DUNBOYNE [I.], s. and h., *b.* 20 May 1839, in Dublin; ed. at Winchester school; Lieut. Col. 2nd Monmouth Rifle Vols., 1867-72. He *m.* 12 June 1860, at All Saints', Knightsbridge, Midx., Marion, only da. of Col. Henry Morgan CLIFFORD, of Llantilio Croseny, co. Monmouth, by Catherine Harriet, da. of Joseph YORKE, grandson of Philip, 1st EARL OF HARDWICKE, and, in consequence thereof, by royal lic. 13 Nov. 1860, took the name of *Clifford* before that of *Butler*.

i.e., "DUNBOYNE OF DUNBOYNE, co. Meath," Barony [I.] (*Grimston*), *cr.* 1719 with the VISCOUNTCY OF GRIMSTON [I.], which see.

(a) The Barony was claimed shortly after his death as a *Barony in fee*, by his great nephew and h. general William O'BRIEN-BUTLER, grandson and h. of his sister, Catharine, by William O'Brien.

(b) James Butler, D.D., Archbishop of Cashel, eldest br. to this Michael, *d.* unm. 1774.

(c) Debrett's Peerage, 1849, ed. by "Henry Collen, Esq."

DUNCAN.

i.e., "DUNCAN OF CAMPERDOWN," Viscounty; and "DUNCAN OF LUNDIE, co. Perth," Barony (*Duncan*), both *cr.* 30 Oct. 1797, see under "CAMPERDOWN."

DUNCANNON.

See under "DUNGANNON," Barony [*L.*] (*O'Neil*), *cr.* 1587.

i.e., "DUNCANNON of the fort of Duncannon, co. Wexford," Viscounty [*L.*] (*Ponsonby*), *cr.* 1723; see "BESSBOROUGH," Barony [*L.*], *cr.* 1721.

i.e., "DUNCANNON OF BESSBOROUGH, co. Kilkenny," Barony (*Ponsonby*), *cr.* 1835. See "BESSBOROUGH," Barony [*L.*], *cr.* 1721; Earldom [*L.*] *cr.* 1739; under the 5th Baron and 4th Earl.

DUNCOMBE PARK.

See "FEVERSIAM OF DUNCOMBE PARK, co. York," Barony, (*Duncombe*) *cr.* 1826.

DUNCRUB.

See "ROLLO OF DUNCRUB, co. Perth," Barony [*S.*] (*Rollo*), *cr.* 1651.

DUNDAFF.

i.e., "DUNDAFF," Viscounty [*S.*] (*Graham*), *cr.* 24 April 1707, with the Dukedom of Montrose [*S.*], which see.

DUNDALK.

See "GORGES OF DUNDALK, co. Louth," Barony [*L.*] (*Gorges*), *cr.* 1620; *ex.* 1712.

i.e., "DUNDALK" Barony [*L.*] (*Schulenberg*), *cr.* 1716, with the DUKEDOM OF MUNSTER [*L.*]; see "KENDAL" Dukedom of, *cr.* 1719; all honours *ex.* 1743 by the death of the grantee.

DUNDAS OF ASKE.

Barony.
 I. 1794. 1. SIR THOMAS DUNDAS,^(a) 2d Bart., only s. and h. of Sir Laurence Dundas, of Upleatham, co. York, Bart. [so *cr.* 23 Nov. 1762], Commissary Gen. and Contractor to the Army [1748-59], by Margaret, da. of Alexander BRUCE, of Kennet, was *b.* 16 Feb. 1741, and *bap.* at Edinburgh; was M.P. for Richmond, 1763-68; for co. Stirling (in five Parls.), 1768-94. He *suc.* his father in the family estates in the counties of Stirling and York and in the Baronetcy, 21 Sep. 1781, and was on 13 Aug. 1794, *cr.* BARON DUNDAS OF ASKE, co. York. He was Councillor of State to the Prince of Wales; Lord Lieut. and Vice Admiral of Orkney and Shetland. He *m.* 14 May 1764, in Grosvenor street, St. Geo. Han. sq., Charlotte, 2d da. of William (Fitzwilliam), 1st EARL FITZWILLIAM (3d Earl in Ireland) by Anne, da. of Thomas (WATSON-WENTWORTH), MARQUESS OF ROCKINGHAM. He *d.* 14 June 1820, aged 79, at Aske Hall, co. York. Will *pr.* Nov. 1820. His widow, who was *b.* 25 July 1746, *d.* 11 Feb. 1833. Will *pr.* Feb. 1833.

II. 1820. 2. LAWRENCE (DUNDAS), BARON DUNDAS OF ASKE, s. and h.; *b.* 10 April 1766. He was, 2 July 1833, *cr.* EARL OF ZETLAND. See that dignity.

^(a) Dundas is one of the twelve families given in Drummond's "Noble British Families." See vol i, p. 77, note "a," *sub* "Alvanley."

DUNDEE.

Earldom [S.] JOHN (SCRIMGEOUR), 3d VISCOUNT DUDHOPE [S.], was I. 1661, at the Restoration, *cr.* in 1661 EARL OF DUNDEE, VISCOUNT OF DUDHOPE, LORD SCRIMGEOUR AND INNERKEITHING to 1668. [S.], but the limitations of these dignities are not known. He *d. s.p.* at Dudhope 23 June 1668, since which time all his honours, if not extinct, have remained *dormant*. See fuller particulars under "Dudhope" Viscounty [S.], *cr.* 1641, *sub* the 3d Viscount.

Viscounty [S.] I. JOHN GRAHAM of Claverhouse, s. and h. of Sir William G. of the same, by Jean, 4th da. of John (CARNEGIE), 1st EARL OF NORTHESK [S.], was educated at the Univ. of St. Andrews; served in the army of France, but subsequently (1672) in that of Holland, distinguishing himself at the battle of Seneff, Aug. 1674. By Charles II. he was made Capt. of one of the troops of Horse raised against the Nonconformists, in which capacity he obtained the name of "*Bloody Clavers*." Sheriff of Wigton, 1682, having, in 1684, a grant of the Castle of Dudhope and constabulary of Dundee. P.C. both to Charles II and James II; Major Gen. in the Army, 1688, being, 12 Nov. 1688,^(a) *cr.* VISCOUNT OF DUNDEE^(b) AND LORD GRAHAME OF CLAVERHOUSE [S.], with rem. to the heirs male of his body, whom failing, to his other heirs male.^(c) He was then with the King in London, and endeavoured to dissuade him from retreating thence, offering himself to drive out the Dutch forces. In Jan. 1688/9 he was at the Edinburgh convention. He called a parl. at Stirling for King James, and, raising the clans, defeated King William's General (Mackay), who lost above 2,000 men, 17 June 1689, at the pass of Killiecrankie, but was himself mortally wounded in that action, and died a few hours later. He was *bur.* in the church of Blair. With him perished the Stuart cause in Scotland.^(d) He had *m.*, in 1684, Jean, 3rd da. of William COCHRANE, styled LORD COCHRANE, (s. and h. ap. of William, 1st EARL OF DUNDONALD [S.]), by Catharine da. of John (KENNEDY), 6th EARL OF CASSILLIS [S.]. She survived him and *m.* (as his 1st wife) William (LIVINGSTON) 3rd VISCOUNT KILSYTH [S.] (who was *b.* 1650, *suc.* 1706, *attainted* 1715, and *d.* 1733), and is said to have been killed by a fall of a house in Holland, and to have been *bur.* at Kilsyth.

II. 1689. 2. JAMES (GRAHAM), VISCOUNT OF DUNDEE, &c. [S.] only s. and h. He *d.* an infant Dec. 1689.

III. 1689, 3. DAVID (GRAHAM), VISCOUNT OF DUNDEE AND LORD to GRAHAM OF CLAVERHOUSE [S], uncle and h. being only br. of the 1st 1690. Viscount, and, as heir male, entitled to the succession. He was at the battle of Killiecrankie with his said brother, against whom, on 13 June 1690, "a decret of forfaiture was pronounced by the description of John, late Viscount of Dundee," whereby *all his honours became forfeited*. In 1692 he joined the court of the deposed King, James II, at St. Germain, by whom he was, in 1708, made **K.T.** He *d. s.p.* 1700.

^(a) He was one of the six persons on whom a hereditary Scotch Peerage was conferred by James II. These were (1) Hon. John Drummond, *cr.* Viscount Melfort, 1685 and subsequently, 1686, Earl of Melfort; (2) Sir George Mackenzie, *cr.* Viscount Tarbat; (3) Hon. Robert Spencer, *cr.* Viscount Teviot; (4) Lord Charles Murray, *cr.* Earl of Dunmore; (5) Hon. William Drummond, *cr.* Viscount Strathallan; and (6) John Graham, *cr.* Viscount Dundee. See as to *English* peerages conferred by that monarch, p. 78, note "a," *sub* "Derwentwater"; and as to *Irish* Peerages so conferred see vol. iv, under "Galway," Viscounty [I], *cr.* 1687.

^(b) He was descended from John Graham of Balargus, co. Forfar, by Matilda, his wife, da. of Sir James Scrimgeour, Constable of Dundee, which James was ancestor of the Viscounts Dudhope [S.] and of the *Earl of Dundee* [S.] of that family.

^(c) See p. 179, note "b," *sub* "Dudhope," as to a saying of his having been two years before (*viz.* in 1686) *cr.* LORD DUDHOPE [S.]

^(d) "Undauntedly brave, and steadily faithful to his Prince, he sacrificed himself in the cause of James when he was deserted by all the world."

IV. 1700. 4. DAVID GRAHAM, of Duntrooa, co. Forfar, cousin and h. male, who as collateral h. male of the grantee, would, but for the forfeiture, have been VISCOUNT OF DUNDEE, &c. [S.], and who so styled himself. He was s. and h. of Walter G., of Duntroon, by Elizabeth, sister of Alexander GUTHRIE, which Walter, was second son of Sir William Graham, of Claverhouse, and younger brother of George, the grandfather of the 1st Viscount. He d. Jany. 1706.

V. 1706. 5. WILLIAM GRAHAM, of Duntroon afsd., s. and h. and, but for the forfeiture, VISCOUNT OF DUNDEE, &c. [S.] He was in the insurrection of 1715, and was consequently *attainted* in 1716.

VI. 1730? 6. JAMES GRAHAM, of Duntroon afsd., s. and h., and, but for the forfeitures, [1690 and 1746], VISCOUNT OF DUNDEE and LORD GRAHAM OF CLAVERHOUSE [S.] He sold Duntroon, before 1735, to his uncle, Alexander Graham.^(a) Engaging in the insurrection of 1745, he also was *attainted*, as "James Graham, late of Duntroon *taking on himself the title of Viscount of Dundee.*" He had a company in Lord Ogilvy's Regiment in the French service and d. (apparently s.p.) at Dunkirk in 1759. Since that date the title appears never to have been assumed.^(b)

DUNDONALD.

Barony [S.] 1. SIR WILLIAM COCHRANE, of Cowdon, 2d s.^(c) of I. 1647. Alexander BLAIR, afterwards COCHRANE, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of William COCHRANE, of Cochrane, co. Renfrew, had charters of the Barony of Cochrane, 19 Dec. 1642; was M.P. for co. Ayr, 1644; and was by patent dat. at Carisbrook Castle, 27 Dec. 1647, *cr.* LORD COCHRANE OF DUNDONALD [S.], with rem. to the heirs male of his body. He acquired in 1653, the Lordship of Paisley, where he lived in great splendour, being fined by Cromwell's "act of grace," no less than £5,000, afterwards reduced to £1,666. At the restoration, he was made P.C. and one of the Commissioners of the Treasury, being *cr.*, 12 May 1669, EARL OF DUNDONALD, and LORD COCHRANE OF PASELEY AND OCHILTRIE [S.], with rem. of those dignities to the heirs male, which failing to the eldest heirs female, *without division*, of his body, and the heirs male of such heirs female, bearing the name and arms of Cochrane ("*que semper tenebuntur*"), all which failing, to his nearest heirs whatsoever. He m. about 1630, Eupheme, da. of Sir William SCOTT, of Ardross, co. Fife, by Jean, da. of Sir John SKENE, of Curriehill. He d. 1686, and was *bur.* at Dundonald.

^(a) This Alexander settled the estate on his brother David Graham, who d. 1766, aged 79, leaving an only s. and h., Alexander Graham, of Duntroon, who d. 1782, leaving an only s. and h., another Alexander, who d. s.p. in 1802, leaving his sisters his coheirs. Of these only two married; the eldest, Amelia, who inherited Duntroon, marrying in 1781, Patrick Stirling, who took the surname and arms of Graham.

^(b) The issue male of Sir William Graham, of Claverhouse, the great grandfather of the 1st Viscount, appears to have failed in 1802 (see, *ante*, note "a"), but "there may be issue male from John Graham, the uncle of Walter, the first of Duntroon, and there appears to be male heirs now in existence, who derive their descent from Robert Graham, of Fintry, the elder brother of John Graham, the ancestor of the first Viscount Dundee." [Hewlett, p. 139.]

^(c) His elder brother Sir John Cochrane, a Col. in the army to Charles I, and an attendant on Charles II (when in exile 1650), d. s.p., before the Restoration. There were also five other brothers (seven sons in all), of whom no less than four were also in the Royal army, one of them, Col. Sir Bryce Cochrane losing his life therein in 1650.

[WILLIAM COCHRANE, *styled* LORD COCHRANE, 1st s. and h. ap. He *m.*, in 1653, Catharine, 2d da. of John (KENNEDY), 6th EARL OF CASSILLIS [S.] He *d.* v.p. at Paisley 25 Aug. and was *bur.* 25 Sep. 1679, in Dundonald church.^(a) Fun. entry at Lyon office.]

II. 1686. 2. JOHN (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD, &c. [S.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of William COCHRANE, *styled* LORD COCHRANE, and Catharine, his wife, abovenamed. He who was *styled* LORD COCHRANE 1679-86 *m.* in 1684 Susan, da. of William (HAMILTON, *formerly* DOUGLAS), DUKE OF HAMILTON [S.], by Anne, *suo jure* DUCHESS OF HAMILTON [S.] He *d.* 16 and was *bur.* 29 May 1690, in Dundonald church. Fun. entry at Lyon office. His widow *m.* Charles (HAY), 3d MARQUESS OF TWEEDDALE [S.], who *d.* 17 Dec. 1715. She *d.* 7 Feb. 1737, at Edinburgh.

III. 1690. 3. WILLIAM (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD, &c. [S.], s. and h., who, v.p., was *styled* LORD COCHRANE. He *d.* unm. 22 Nov. 1705. Fun. entry at Lyon office.

IV. 1705. 4. JOHN (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD, &c. [S.], br. and h.; a minor at the election of Scotch Rep. Peers, 17 June 1708, when his votes were, consequently, set aside. Col. of the 4th Horse Guards, 1713-19. REP. PEER [S.], 1713. He *m.* firstly, 4 May 1706, at Cramond, Anne, 2d da. of Charles (MURRAY), 1st EARL OF DUNMORE [S.], by Catharine, da. of Robert WATTS. She *d.* 1711. He *m.* secondly, 15 Oct. 1715, Mary, Dow. DUCHESS OF BEAUFORT, yst. da. of Peregrine (OSBORNE), 2d DUKE OF LEEDS, by Bridget, da. and h. of Sir Thomas HYDE, Bart. He *d.* 5 June 1720. His widow *d.* s.p. in Scotland, 4 Feb. 1721/2. Will pr. May 1722.

V. 1720. 5. WILLIAM (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD, &c. [S.], only s. and h. by first wife. He, who v.p. was *styled* LORD COCHRANE, *d.* unm. 27 Jany. 1724/5, in his 17th year.^(b) Will pr. Nov. 1726.

VI. 1725. 6. THOMAS (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD, &c. [S.], cousin and h. male, being only s. and h. of William COCHRANE, of Kilmarnock, by Grizell, 3d da. of James (GRAHAM), MARQUESS OF MONTROSE [S.], which William was next br. to John the 3d Earl. He, who was *b.* 1702, *m.* Catharine, da. of Lord Basil HAMILTON, by Mary, granddaughter and h. of Sir David DUNBAR, Bart. [S.], of Baldoon, co. Wigton. He *d.* 28 May 1737, in his 35th year at Paisley Abbey. His widow *d.* at Bath 13 April 1779.

VII. 1737. 7. WILLIAM (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD, &c., [S.], s. and h., who, v.p., was *styled* LORD COCHRANE. He was an officer in the army in 1745, but, in 1750, was in the service of the states of Holland; in 1757 he was Capt. in the 17th Foot. He *d.* unm., being killed at the siege of Louisbourg in America, 9 July 1758.

VIII. 1758. 8. THOMAS (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD, &c. [S.], cousin and h. male, being 7th but 1st surv. s. and h. male of William COCHRANE, of Ochiltree, by Mary, da. of Alexander (BRUCE), EARL OF KINCARDINE [S.], which William was s. and h. of the Hon. Sir John Cochrane, 2nd son of the 1st Earl of Dundonald. He was a major in the army; was M.P. for co. Renfrew, 1722-27; Commissioner of Excise [S.] 1730-61. He *m.*, firstly, Elizabeth, da. of James KER, of Morristoun, co. Berwick. She *d.* s.p.m.s. 1743. He *m.* secondly,

(a) An absurd accusation was in 1684 brought against his father for keeping for him, when dying, a Chaplain who prayed for the success of the rebels in the west.

(b) Of his sisters and coheirs, Ann, the eldest, was mother of James, 6th Duke of Hamilton [S.], who *suc.* to the untailed part of the Dundonald property. He apparently and the heir of his body would, in the event of failure of the heirs male of the body of the grantee, be entitled to the Earldom of Dundonald, &c., under the spec. rem. in the grant of its creation.

6 Sep. 1744, at Edinburgh, Jean, 1st da. of Archibald STUART, of Torrence, co. Lanark, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Andrew MYRTON, Bart. [S.], of Gogar. He *d.* at La Mancha, co. Peebles, 27 June 1778. His widow *d.* in Portman square, Midx., 21 March 1808, in her 86th year.

IX. 1778. 9. ARCHIBALD (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD, &c. [S.], 2nd but 1st surv. s. and h. by second wife; *b.* 1 Jan. 1748/9, styled LORD COCHRANE, 1749-78; he served in the Army (Cornet, 3rd Dragoons, 1764) and the Navy, but early relinquished both services for scientific pursuits of great ingenuity, but (in his lifetime) of little practical result.^(a) He *m.* firstly, 17 Oct. 1774, at Annesfield, co. Lanark, Anne, 2nd da. of James GILCHRIST, Capt. R.N. She, who was *b.* 1755, *d.* at Brompton, Midx., 13 Oct. 1784, aged 29. He *m.* secondly, 12 April 1788, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Isabella, widow of John MAYNE, of Tefont, Wilts, da. of Samuel RAYMOND, of Belchamp Hill, Essex, where she *d.* Dec. 1808. Will pr. 1809. He *m.* thirdly, April 1819, Anna Maria, 1st da. Francis PLOWDEX. She *d.* 19 Dec. 1822 at Hammersmith, Midx. Will pr. 1823. He *d.* in great poverty at Rue Vaugirard, Paris, 12 July 1831, aged 82. Admon. July 1841 and Oct. 1843.

X. 1831. 10. THOMAS (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD, &c. [S.], s. and h. by first wife; *b.* 14 Dec. 1775, and *bap.* 1 Jan. 1776 at Hamilton, in Annesfield, co. Lanark; styled [and well known as] LORD COCHRANE 1775-1831; Capt. 106th Foot, 1794, but soon quitted the Army for the Navy, serving firstly under Lord Keith. His brilliant naval career can here be only slightly indicated; when Capt. of the brig "Speedy" (158 tons) he captured, 6 May 1800, a Spanish frigate of above 600 tons, the prisoners being 8 times the number of their captors; in the "Impérieuse," in 1808, in the struggle between France and Spain, the destruction caused by him was terrific; but, besides the defence of Rosas, in 1809, his greatest work was his vast destruction of the French ships (then blockaded by Admiral Lord Gambier) in the Basque roads, in 1809, which shattered for ever the maritime force of Napoleon. For this he was nom. **K.B.**, and inv. 26 April 1809. He had been M.P. for Honiton in 1806, and was M.P. for Westminster 1807 to 1814, in which capacity he opposed the vote of thanks proposed to Lord Gambier, who, he stated, had neglected to destroy the French fleet when well able to do so. The vote was, however, carried. Early in 1814 he was convicted (tho' certainly not personally guilty) of a fraud on the Stock Exchange; was expelled the House of Commons (tho' immediately re-elected), struck off the Navy list, and from the order of the Knights of the Bath, fined £1,000, and imprisoned for a year, being released 20 June 1815. In May 1817 he assisted the Chilians in establishing their independence from Spain, effecting the hazardous capture of Valdivia and the cutting out of the Spanish frigate "Esmeralda" from under the fortifications of Callao, being *cr.* KNIGHT OF THE ORDER OF MERIT OF CHILL. In 1823 he entered the service of Brazil, establishing the Naval superiority of that Empire, and being *cr.* MARQUIS OF MARANHAM and GRAND CROSS OF THE CRUZERO OF BRAZIL^(b). He afterwards had the command of the Greek Navy till the end of the war, at Navarino, in Oct. 1827, being *cr.* KNIGHT OF THE SAVIOUR OF GREECE. He returned to England in 1829; *suc.* his father in the Scotch peerage, 1831; received "free pardon" 2 May 1832, becoming finally, 23 Oct. 1854, Rear Admiral. He was re-instated in the order of the Bath 22 and gazetted 25 May 1847, **G.C.B.**; was Com. in Chief on the West Indian and North American Station 1848-51. He *m.* secretly,^(c)

^(a) His son writes—"His discoveries, now of national utility, ruined him, and deprived his posterity of their remaining paternal inheritance." See Stephen's "*Nat. Biogr.*"

^(b) He was author of "Narrative of Services in the Liberation of Chili, Peru, and Brazil, from Spanish and Portuguese Dominion" (1859); as also of "Autobiography of a Seaman" (1860-61), which was completed (1869) by his son, the 11th Earl.

^(c) So secretly that it appears to have been unknown to himself when, some six years later, he swore to the allegation (21 June 1818) for his marriage licence that he was a "Bachelor." The marriage of 1812 was, however, found good, by the House of Lords, chiefly on the testimony of the Countess herself, whose eloquent (if somewhat stilted) language ("such an imputation on such a man!—such a God of a man!—a man who could have ruled the world upon the sea!")—&c.) had a great effect on Lord Brougham and others of their (legal) Lordships. There was also produced a paper,

8 Aug. 1812, at Annan, co. Dumfries, and, openly, 22 June 1818, (he as a *bachelor*, she as a *spinster*) at Speldhurst, co. Kent, Katherine-Frances-Corbett, da. of Thomas BARNES, of Romford, co. Essex. He *d.* 31 Oct. 1860 at 12, Queen's Gate, Midx, aged 84, and was *bur.* in Westminster Abbey. His widow *d.* 25 Jan. 1865, at Boulogne-sur-mer, in her 69th year. Will pr. 9 Feb. 1866.

XI. 1860. 11. THOMAS BARNES (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD, &c. [S.], s. and h., *b.* at 13, Green Street, 28 April, and *hap.*^(a) 22 May 1814, at St. George, Hanover Square, *styled* LORD COCHRANE, 1831-69; Capt. 18th Reg. and sometime Quarter-Master-Gen. and Com-in-Chief of the Forces in China; REP. PEER [S.], 1879. He *m.*, 1 Dec. 1847, at the British Embassy at Paris, Louisa Harriet, da. of William Alexander MACKINNON, of Mackinnon, by Emma, da. and h. of Joseph PALMER, of Palmerstown, co. Mayo. He *d.*, 15 Jany. 1885, aged 40, at 4, Hyde Park Place, Midx. Will p., 26 Feb. 1885, above £7,000. His widow living 1890.

XII. 1885. 12. DOUGLAS-MACKINNON-BAILLIE-HAMILTON (COCHRANE), EARL OF DUNDONALD [1669], LORD COCHRANE OF DUNDONALD [1647] and LORD COCHRANE OF PASELEY AND OCHILTRIE [1669] in the peerage of Scotland, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 29 Oct. 1852, at Auchintoul House, Scotland, *styled* LORD COCHRANE, 1860-85: ed. at Eton; an Officer in the 2d Life Guards, since 1879, serving in the Nile expedition, 1884-85; Lieut.-Col., 1889. REP. PEER [S.], 1886. He *m.*, 18 Sep. 1878, at Llanddulas, co. Denbigh, Winifred, only surv. child of Robert BAMFORD-HESKEITH, of Gwrych Castle, by (—), da. of Jones BATEMAN, of Pentre-Mawn.

[THOMAS-HESKEITH-DOUGLAS-BLAIR COCHRANE, *styled* LORD COCHRANE, 1st s. and h. ap., *b.* 21 Feb. 1886.]

Family Estates.—These in 1883, were under 2,000 acres.

DUNDRUM.

See "DE MONTALT OF DUNDRUM, co. Tipperary," Earldom (*Mande*) *cr.* 1886.

DUNFERMLINE, or DUMFERMLINE.

Earldom [S.] 1. ALEXANDER (SETON), 4th s. of George, 5th LORD I. 1605. SETON [S.], by Isabel, da. of Sir William HAMILTON, was ed. at Rome; made a Lord of Session [S.] extraordinary, 27 Jany. 1585; ordinary (under the style of LORD URQUHART), 16 Feb. 1587; Lord President, 28 May 1593, being in Jany. 1595, one of the "Octavians" of the Treasury [S.] He was, 4 March 1597/8, *cr.* LORD FVYIE [S.], with rem. failing heirs male of his body, to his next elder brother Sir John Seton, of Barns, in like manner; was High Chancellor [S.], 1604 [till his death 1622] and was, 4 March 1604/5, *cr.* EARL OF DUNFERMLINE [S.] to him and his heir male. He was Commissioner to the Parl. [S.] of 1612. He *m.* firstly, about 1590, Lilius, 2d da. of Patrick (DRUMMOND), 3d LORD DRUMMOND [S.], by his first wife, Elizabeth, da. of David (LINDSAY), 9th EARL OF CRAWFORD [S.] She *d.* s.p.m., 8 May 1601, in co. Fife. Will pr., 16 Jany. 1609, at Edinburgh. He *m.* secondly, Grizel, sister of the half-blood to John, EARL OF

witnessed, it was said, at Annan by the valet and lady's maid of the parties (both of whom had been dead some 30 years), stating that Lord Cochrane acknowledged and received the said Miss Barnes as his "lawful wife." Why, however, these two natives of Marylebone did not contract a *bonâ fide* marriage (if such was intended), even if a *secret* one at Marylebone, or elsewhere in London, does not appear, for the alleged cause, *i.e.*, that of secrecy (one of the bridegroom's uncles, Basil Cochrane, disapproving of the match) would have been equally, if not better effected thereby.

(^a) His baptism is entered as son of Sir Thomas Cochrane, Lord Cochrane and "Catherine Corbet Barnes."

ROTHES [S.], da. of James LESLIE, Master of Rothes, by his first wife, Margaret, da. of Patrick (LINDSAY), LORD LINDSAY OF BYRES [S.] She *d.*, 6 Sep. 1606. Will confirmed, 9 Feb. 1609, at Edinburgh. He *m.* thirdly, Margaret, sister of John, 1st EARL OF TWEEDDALE [S.] da. of James (HAY), LORD HAY OF YESTER [S.], by Margaret, da. of Mark (KERR), EARL OF LOTHIAN [S.] He *d.*, 16 June 1622, at Pinkie, near Musselburgh, and was *bur.* at Dalgety, co. Fife. Fun. entry in Lyon Office. Will dat., 4 March 1620, to 12 June 1622, pr., 30 Sep. 1625, at Edinburgh. His widow, *m.* (contract, 1633), James (LIVINGSTON), 1st EARL OF CALENDAR [S.], who *d.* s.p. 1672. She was *bur.*, 20 Jan. 1669, at Dalgety *afsd.*

[CHARLES SETON, *styled* LORD FYVIE, s. and h. ap., by 2d wife, *d.* young and v.p.]

II. 1622. 2. CHARLES (SETON), EARL OF DUNFERMLINE, &c. [S.], *yst.* and only surv. s. and h. by third wife, *styled* v.p. LORD FYVIE. He took an active part for King Charles I.; was High Commissioner to the gen. assembly of the church [S.], July 1642; was with the King at Newcastle, July 1646, &c. At the Restoration was made P.C.; an extraordinary Lord of Session [S.], 2 Nov. 1669, and Privy Seal [S.], 1671-73. He *m.* Mary, 3d da. of William (DOUGLAS), EARL OF MORTON [S.], by Ann, da. of George (KEITH), EARL MARISCHAL [S.] She *d.* at Fyvie about 1659. He *d.* about 1673, before 14 Jan. 1673/4.

III. 1673. 3. ALEXANDER (SETON), EARL OF DUNFERMLINE, &c. [S.], s. and h., *styled*, v.p., LORD FYVIE. He *d.* s.p. shortly after 1673.

IV. 1675? 4. JAMES (SETON), EARL OF DUNFERMLINE [1605] and to LORD FYVIE [1598] in the peerage of Scotland, br. and h. He served 1690. abroad under the Prince of Orange, but, returning home, adhered to the cause of King James II., being in command of a troop of Horse at the famous battle of Killiecrankie, 17 June 1689. For this he incurred "a decret of forfeiture" by the Parl. [S.] of 1690 whereby *all his honours* became forfeited. He followed King James to France who is said to have made him **K.T.** He *m.* Jean, da. of Lewis (GORDON), 3d MARQUESS OF HUNTLY [S.], by Mary, da. of Sir John GRANT, of Frenchie. He *d.* s.p. at St. Germain, in France, 1694, and with him the issue male of the grantee became extinct.^(a)

Barony.

I. 1839. 1. The Rt. Hon. JAMES ABERCROMBY, late Speaker of the House of Commons, was, 7 June 1839, *cr.* BARON DUNFERMLINE of Dunfermline, co. Fife. He was 3d s. of Mary Anne, *suo jure* BARONESS ABERCROMBY OF ABOUKIR AND TULLIBODY, by the celebrated Sir Ralph Abercromby, the hero of Alexandria. He was *b.* 7 Nov. 1776; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 27 Oct. 1794; Barrister (Linc. Inn) 8 Feb. 1800; Commissioner of Bankruptcy; Auditor to the estates of the Duke of Devonshire; M.P. for Midhurst, 1807-12; for Calne, 1812-30, and for Edinburgh, 1832-39; Judge Advocate General in Canning's Ministry, 1827; Chief Baron of the Exchequer [S.], 1830-32; Master of the Mint and a member of the Cabinet, 1834; and finally

^(a) The issue male of Sir William Seton, the *yst.* br. of the 1st Earl, having apparently failed on the death of his two sons, the heir male of the grantee is, apparently, in the issue of Sir John Seton, the next elder br. of the Earl. Should it here exist such heir would be entitled "*without any reversal of the attainder* to the dignity of LORD FYVIE [S.], as the heir male of the substitute named in the charter of creation," and *with such reversal* to the dignity of Earl of Dunfermline. See "*Hewlett*," p. 141. If, however, the issue male of Sir John has failed there remains but the eldest br., *viz.*, Robert, 1st Earl of Wintoun [S.] to whom, in 1840, the Earl of Eglintoun [S.] was served heir male general, tho' to whose *Peerage Dignities* he did not establish his right.

Speaker of the House of Commons,^(a) 1835 to 1839, when, on retirement, he was (with a pension of £4,000 a year) raised to the Peerage as above stated. He was *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 5 July 1810, and Dean of Faculty in the Univ. of Glasgow in 1841. He *m.* 14 June 1802, Mary Anne, 1st da. of Egerton LEIGH, of High Leigh, co. Chester, by Elizabeth, da. and coheir of Francis JODRELL, of Twemlow, in that co. He *d.* 17 April 1858, in his 82d year, at Colinton House, Midlothian. His widow *d.* there 2 Aug. 1874.

II. 1858, 2. RALPH (ABERCROMBY), BARON DUMFERMLINE, only
to s. and h., *b.* 6 April 1803; was Attaché, &c., at several foreign courts,
1868. 1821-35; Minister at Florence, 1835-39; at Turin, 1840-51; and at
the Hague 1851-58. **K.C.B.**, 1 March 1851. He *m.* 18 Sep. 1838,
Mary Eliza, 1st d. of Gilbert (ELLIOT), 2nd EARL OF MINTO, by Mary, da. of Patrick
BRYDONE. He *d.* s.p.m. 12 July 1868, at Colinton House afsd., when the Barony
became *extinct*. His widow, who was *b.* 14 Feb. 1811, *d.* 10 April 1874, at Rome.

DUNFRIES, see "DUMFRIES."

DUNGAN OF CLANE.

i.e., "DUNGAN OF CLANE, co. Kildare," Viscounty [L.] (*Dungan*), *cr.*
14 Feb. 1661, with a spec. rem. See "LIMERICK," Earldom [L.] *cr.* 1685; both
forfeited 1691; *ex.* 1715.

DUNGANNON.

Barony [L.] MATTHEW O'NEILL, *styled* "FEARDORAGH," illegit. son of
I. 1542. Con (O'NEILL), EARL OF TYRONE [I.], by Alison, wife of a Blacksmith
at Dundalk, was, 1 Sep. 1542, *cr.* BARON OF DUNGANNON [I.]
"to hold the dignity during the life of his father with limitation to the heir ap. of the
Earldom"^(b). His father was at the same time (on renouncing the *style* of "THE
O'NEILL") *cr.* EARL OF TYRONE [I.] for life with rem. to him, the said Matthew, and
the heirs male of his body.^(c) He *m.* Joanna, da. of Constantine MAGUIRE, by whom he
was father of Hugh, the celebrated EARL OF TYRONE [I.], 1587-1612. He was killed by
his legit. br. Shane O'Neill. His widow *m.* Henry O'NEILL, of the Fews.

II. 1587. 1. HUGH O'NEILL, s. and h. ap. of Hugh, the celebrated
EARL OF TYRONE [I.] by his 2d wife, Judith, da. of Manus
O'DONNELL, was *cr.* 10 May 1587, "BARON OF DUNCANNON,^(d) OR DUN-
GANNON" [I.], during the life of his father with limitation to the heir apparent
of his father's Earldom, the [said] Earldom of Tyrone [I.] being regranted to his
father (with divers rems.) by confirmation of the letters patent of 1 October^(e) 1542.
He *d.* unkm. and v.p. at Rome in 1609, and was *bur.* in San Pietro Montorio there.

(*) His election by 316 votes against 310 (for the late speaker, Manners-Sutton) was a triumph of the Whig party. His short career, however, as Speaker "was marked by no incidents which called for the exercise or display of those qualities by which the office acquires importance in peculiar emergencies."—[*Annual Reg.* 1858.]

(b) See "Creations 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D. K. Pub. Records.

(c) The words in the patent are "Ac, post decessum predicti Conacii, probatissimo viro, subdito nostro, Matheo, alias Ferdoraghe, O'Nele, filio predicti Conacii, ac heredibus masculinis de corpore predicti Mathei remanere."

(d) See "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records. "*Dungannon*," seems to be a now obsolete way of spelling "*Dungannon*," and clearly refers to Dungannon in co. Tyrone and not to Duncannon in the south of Ireland.

(e) *Sic*, though on the patent roll of 34 Hen. VIII, the date is 1 September.

- III. 1609, 2. HENRY O'NEILL,^(a) next br. to the above, would to as h. ap. to the Earldom of Tyrone [I.], be BARON OF DUNGANNON 1612. [I.] under the patent of 1587. He was Col. of an Irish Reg. in the service of the Archduke in Spain, where he *d.* unm. shortly before 1626.^(b) But by the attainder of his father, the Earl, in 1612, *this Barony*, with the Earldom, which it attended, was *forfeited*.

Viscounty [I.] 1. MARCUS TREVOR, supposed to have been of the family of Trevor, of Brynkinalt, co. Denbigh, having distinguished himself, when Col. of a Regiment in the service of Charles I, at Marston Field and elsewhere, was, after the restoration, made P.C. [I.] and was, 28 Aug. 1662, *cr.* BARON TREVOR OF ROSE TREVOR, co. Down, and VISCOUNT DUNGANNON, co. Tyrone [I.] He *m.* firstly, before 1664, Frances, da. and coheir of Sir Marmaduke WHITECHURCH, of Loughbrickland. He *m.* secondly, Ann, widow of John OWEN, of Orielson, co. Pembroke, da. and h. of John LEWIS. He *d.* before Dec. 1684.^(c)

II. 1680? 2. LEWIS (TREVOR), VISCOUNT DUNGANNON, &c. [I.], s. and h., by second wife. He *m.* Ann. He *d.* in Spring Gardens, Midx., and was *bur.* at Kensington, 3 Jany. 1692. His widow was *bur.* there 5 Oct. 1692. Admon., 23 Feb. 1692/3 to her son the third Viscount.

III. 1693, 3. MARCUS (TREVOR), VISCOUNT DUNGANNON, and to BARON TREVOR OF ROSE TREVOR [I.], s. and h. He *m.*, about May 1700, Arabella Susanna, widow of Sir John MAGILL, Bart. [I.], da. of Hugh (HAMILTON), 1st BARON HAMILTON, OF GLENAWLY [I.], by Susanna, da. of Sir William BALFOUR, of Pitcullo, co. Fife. He *d.* s.p.m. in Spain, 8 Nov. 1706, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. Admon., 13 March 1709/10, to a creditor. His widow, who was *bap.* at St. Margaret's, Westm., 7 Feb. 1666/7. *m.* (thirdly), 17 July 1708, at St. Mary Wolnoth, London, the Hon. Henry BERTIE (who *d.* Dec. 1735, aged 60), and *d.* 10, being *bur.*, 15 Dec. 1708, in Westm. Abbey. Admon., 24 Dec. 1704.

i.e., "DUNGANNON," Marquessate and Earldom [I.] (*Schulenberg*), *cr.* 1716 with the DUKEDOM OF MUNSTER [I.] See "KENDAL," Dukedom of, *cr.* 1719; all honours becoming *ex.* 1743 by the death of the grantee.

i.e., "VANE OF DUNGANNON, co. Tyrone," Barony [I.] (*Vane*), *cr.* 1720 with "VANE," Viscounty [I.], which see; *ex.* 1789.

Viscounty [I.] 1. ARTHUR HILL-TREVOR, of Belvoir, co. Down, and Brynkinalt, co. Denbigh, yr. br. of Trevor, 1st VISCOUNT HILLSBOROUGH [I.], being 2d s. of Michael Hill,^(d) of Hillsborough, co. Down, by Ann, da. and h. of Sir John TREVOR, of Brynkinalt, afsd., Master of the Rolls; was M.P. for Hillsborough, 1715-27; for co. Down,

^(a) John O'Neill, next brother to Henry, survived his father (1616) and was called *Et Conde de Tyrone*, in Spain, where he was a Lieut.-General. He was killed in Catalonia. Bryan O'Neill, the next br., was a Page to the Archduke; he was murdered at Brussels, and *bur.* 16 Aug. 1617, at Louvain. Con O'Neill, the yst. br. was ed. at Eton College, but sent a prisoner to the Tower of London, 12 Aug. 1622. All these apparently *d.* unm.

^(b) Meehan's "*Earl of Tyrone*," &c. (1868), pp. 456-459.

^(c) See mar. lic. at Vic. Gen. Office, 31 Dec. 1684, of his da. the Hon. Mrs. Frances Trevor, Spinster, about 21, *her parents dead*, &c.

^(d) This Michael Hill was s. and h. of William Hill by his first wife, Eleanor, da. of Lord Chancellor Boyle [I.] and br. of the half blood to Marcus Hill, whose mother Mary was 1st da. of Marcus (Trevor), 1st Viscount Dungannon [I.] This Marcus Hill *d.* unm. 6 April 1751, leaving the property he had inherited from his mother's family (Trevor, Viscounts Dungannon), to the family of Hill, the issue of his half brother *ex parte paterna*, Michael Hill abovenamed.

1727, being Sheriff of that county, 1736; Keeper of the Records [I.], 1719-31; Register of Deeds, &c. [I.], 1734-49; P.C. [I.], 1750; Chancellor of the Exchequer [I.], 1754-55; and Commissioner of Revenue, 1755. Having inherited the estate of Brynkinalt abovenamed under the will of his maternal uncle, Arthur Trevor, he by act of Parl. Jan'y. 1759, took the name of *Trevor* and on 17 Feb. 1766, was *cr.* BARON HILL OF OLDERFLEET and VISCOUNT OF DUNGANNON [I.], taking his seat 23 Feb. 1766. He *m.* firstly Ann, 2d da. and coheir of Joseph DEANE, of Crumlin, co. Dublin, Chief Baron of the Exchequer [I.], by Margaret, sister of Henry, 1st EARL OF SHANNON [I.], da. of Henry BOYLE, of Castlemartyr, co. Cork. She *d.* s.p.s. a year after marriage at Gilgorm. He *m.* secondly, 12 Jan'y. 1737, Anne, da. and h. of Edmund Francis STAFFORD, of Brownstown, co. Meath, and of Portglenone, co. Antrim. He *d.* in Dublin 30 Jan'y. 1771, and was *bur.* at Beauvoir, co. Down. His widow, who was *b.* 25 Dec. 1715,^(a) *d.* 13 Jan'y. 1799.

V 1771. 2. ARTHUR (HILL TREVOR), VISCOUNT DUNGANNON, &c. [I.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. Arthur HILL-TREVOR, by Letitia, 1st da. of Hervey (MORRES), 1st VISCOUNT MOUNTMORRES [I.], which Arthur, last named, was only s. and h. of the late Viscount, by his 2d wife, but *d.* v.p. 19 June 1770, aged 31. He was *b.* 2 Oct. 1763. He *m.* 30 July 1795, in Stanhope street, St. Geo. Han. sq., Charlotte, 3d da. of Charles (FITZROY), 1st BARON SOUTHAMPTON, by Anne, da. and coheir of Vice Admiral Sir Peter WARREN, **K.B.** She, who was *b.* 3 July 1767, *d.* at Brynkinalt 22 Nov. 1828. He *d.* there 14 Dec. 1837, in his 75th year. Will *pr.* March 1838.

VI. 1837, 3. ARTHUR (HILL-TREVOR), VISCOUNT DUNGANNON and to BARON HILL OF OLDERFLEET [I.], 1st and only surv. s. and h., *b.* 1862. 9 Nov. 1798, in Berkeley square, Midx.; *ed.* at Ch. Ch. Oxford; **B.A.**, 1820; **M.A.**, 1825; **M.P.** for New Romney, 1830; for Durham 1831, as also 1835-41; Major North Salop Yeomanry Cavalry, 1850; High Sheriff of Flintshire, 1855; **REP. PEER** [I.] 1855-62; **F.A.S.**, &c. He *m.*, 10 Sep. 1821, at Leghorn, Sophia, 4th da. of Col. Gorges Marcus IRVINE, of Castle Irvine, co. Fermanagh, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Judge D'ARCY, of Dunmow Castle, co. Meath. He *d.* s.p. 11 Aug. 1862, aged 65, at 3, Grafton street, Midx. when all his honours became *extinct.*^(b) His widow *d.* 21 March 1880 at Folkestone.

i.e., "WELLES OF DUNGANNON, co. Tyrone," Barony [I.] *Knox*, *cr.* 1780; also "NORTHLAND OF DUNGANNON, co. Tyrone," Viscounty [I.] (*Knox*) *cr.* 1791. See "RANFURLY," Earldom of [I.], *cr.* 1831.

DUNGARVAN.

See vol. i, preface, p. xii, as to the ancient "*Seignior*y" of Dungarvan [I.]

JOHN (TALBOT) EARL OF SHREWSBURY, who, 17 July 1446, was *cr.* EARL OF WATERFORD [I]; is sometimes said to have been *cr.* at the same time BARON OF DUNGARVAN, co. Waterford [I.], but this does not seem capable of proof.

i.e., "DUNGARVAN, co. Waterford," Viscounty [I.] (*Boyle*) *cr.* 1620, with the EARLDOM OF CORK [I.], which see.

i.e., "BERESFORD OF ALBUERA AND DUNGARVAN, co. Waterford," Barony (*Beresford*) *cr.* 1814; see "BERESFORD OF BERESFORD, co. Stafford," Viscounty, *cr.* 1823; both *ex.* 1854.

^(a) Their da. Anne (*b.* 7 April 1740, *m.* 6 Feb. 1759, *d.* 10 Sep. 1831), Countess of Mornington [I.], was mother of *inter alios* the celebrated Duke of Wellington.

^(b) The Trevor estates (that of Brynkinalt, co. Flint, &c.) devolved on his kinsman, Lord Arthur Edwin Hill, who by Royal lic. took the name of *Trevor*, after that of *Hill*, and was *cr.*, in 1880, Baron Trevor of Brynkinalt.

DUNGLASS.

i.e., "DUNGLASS," Barony [S.] (*Home*), *cr.* 1605, with the EARLDOM OF HOME [S.], which see.

DUNHAM-MASSEY.

See "DELAMER OF DUNHAM-MASSEY, co. Chester," Barony (*Booth*), *cr.* 1661; *ex.* 1770.

See "DELAMER OF DUNHAM MASSEY, co. Chester," Barony (*Grey*), *cr.* 1796 with the Earldom of Warrington; *ex.* therewith, 1883.

DUNIRA.

i.e., "DUNIRA, co. Perth," Barony (*Melville*), *cr.* 1802 with the VIS-COUNTY OF MELVILLE, which see.

DUNKELD.

Barony [S.] I. SIR JAMES GALLOWAY, of Carnbie, co. Fife, s. and I. 1645. h. of Patrick Galloway, formerly minister of Perth, and subsequently (till his death in 1624) of Edinburgh, by Mary, da. of James LAWSON, also Minister of Edinburgh, was Master of the Requests to James I and Charles I; P.C.; Joint Sec. of State [S], 1640, and was, 15 May 1645, *cr.* LORD AND BARON OF DUNKELD [S.]^(a) He *m.* (—) da. of Sir Robert NORTER. He was *bur.* 2 Dec. 1660,^(b) at St. Margaret's Westm. Admon. 14 Dec. 1660 to his son, Thomas.

II. 1660. 2. THOMAS (GALLOWAY), LORD AND BARON OF DUNKELD [S.], s. and h., served heir 3 May 1662, and had a charter of the Barony of Carnbie 13 Jan. 1671. He *m.* Margaret, da. of Sir Thomas THOMPSON, Bart. [S.], of Duddingstone.

III. 1680? 3. JAMES (GALLOWAY), LORD AND BARON OF DUNKELD [S.], 1st s. and h.^(c) He was an officer in the army and was 1690. under Viscount Dundee at the battle of Killcrankie, 17 June 1689, for which he was outlawed, and his *peerage*, by a decret of forfeiture in the Parl. [S], was, in 1690, *forfeited*. He retired to the Court of King James II. at St. Germain, became a Colonel in the French Army, and was slain in battle.

IV. [.....] 4. JAMES GALLOWAY, who, but for the forfeiture would have been LORD AND BARON OF DUNKELD [S.], and who assumed that title, only s. and h. He became Lieut. Gen. in the French service, but *d. unm.*

DUNKELLIN.

i.e., "DUNKELLIN," Barony [I.] (*De Burgh*), *cr.* 1543 with the EARLDOM OF CLANRICARDE [I.], which see.

(a) The "letters patent are registered in the Register of the Great Seal but the description of the dignity on record is almost entirely illegible. The only portion of the destination which can now be deciphered is as follows—*Facimus, constituimus et creavimus prenominatum Dominum Jacobum Galloway ac here. . . . procreatos seu procreandos, Dominos et Barones de Dunkeld ac Dominos Parlamenti*," &c. The signature for the patent is not recorded, and it is not known if the original Letters Patent be in existence" [Hewlett.]

(b) "The Honble. James, *Lord Galloway*."

(c) There were two other sons of the 2nd Lord, *viz.*, John and Andrew, of whom nothing seems known, and who may have left issue.

DUNKERRON.

i.e., "DUNKERRON, co. Kerry," Viscounty [I.] (*Petty*), *cr.* 1719, with the EARLDOM OF SHELBURNE [I.], which see; both *ex.* 1751.

i.e., "DUNKERRON" Barony [I.] (*Fitz Maurice-Petty*), *cr.* 1751, with the VISCOUNTY OF FITZ MAURICE [I.]; see "SHELBURNE" Earldom of [I.], *cr.* 1753.

DUNLO.

i.e., "DUNLO OF DUNLO AND BALLINASLOE in the counties of Galway and Roscommon," Viscounty [I.] (*Trench*), *cr.* 1801 ;^a) see "CLANCARTY," Earldom of [I.], *cr.* 1803.

DUNLUCE.

i.e., "DUNLUCE, co. Antrim," Viscounty [I.] (*Mac-Donnell*), *cr.* 1618 ; see "ANTRIM" Earldom of [I.], *cr.* 1620 ; both *ex.* 1791.

i.e., "DUNLUCE," Viscounty [I.] (*Mac-Donnell*), *cr.* 1785 with the EARLDOM OF ANTRIM [I.], which see.

DUNMORE.

i.e., "DUNMORE, co. Kilkenny," Barony [I.] (*Preston*), *cr.* 1619 with the EARLDOM OF DESMOND [I.], which see; both *ex.* 1628.

Earldom [S.] I. LORD CHARLES MURRAY, 2d s. of John, 1st I. 1686. MARQUESS OF ATHOLE [S.], by Amelia Sophia, 3d da. of [whose issue became sole heir to] James (STANLEY), 7th EARL OF DERBY, was *b.* about 1661 ; was Lieut. Col. of (the Scots Greys) Dalzell's Dragoons in 1679 and Col. of that Reg. in 1685 and was, 16 Aug. 1686,^b) *cr.* EARL OF DUNMORE, VISCOUNT OF FINCASTLE, LORD MURRAY OF BLAIR, MOULIN, AND TILLEMOT [S.] Being suspected of adhering to his deposed Sovereign he was deprived of office and imprisoned in 1692 ; P.C. to Queen Anne, 4 Feb. 1703, and a steady supporter of the Union ; Governor of Blackness Castle, 1707. He *m.* Catharine, da. of Robert WATTS, of co. Hereford. He *d.* 19 and was *bur.* 24 April 1710, in the Chapel of Holyrood House. Fun. entry at Lyon office. His wife survived him a short time. Her admon. dat. 22 June 1710/1, revoked, and will pr. June 1714.

[JAMES MURRAY, *styled* VISCOUNT FINCASTLE 1686-1706 ; *d. v.p.* and unnm. 24 July 1706.]

II. 1710. 2. JOHN (MURRAY), EARL OF DUNMORE, &c. [S.] 2nd but 1st surv. s. and h. *b.* about 1685 ; *styled* VISCOUNT FINCASTLE, 1706-10 ; being, on 24 Jan. 1707, served heir to his elder br. abovenamed. He served (as Ensign) at the battle of Blenheim, 1704 ; at the capture of Vigo (as Brig. Gen.) 1719 ; in Flanders, 1732, and at the battle of Dettingen, 1743 ; becoming, finally, a Gen. in the Army. He was also Col. of the 3rd Reg. of Foot Guards, 1713-52 ; and Gov. of Plymouth ; a Lord of the Bedchamber, 1731-52 ; REP. PEER [S.], 1713-15, and 1727-52. He *d.* unnm. in London, 18 April 1752, in his 67th year and was *bur.* at Stanwell, Midx., having purchased the manor of Stanwell in 1720. Will pr. 1752.

^(a) This was one of the nine Viscounties which (with five Earldoms and four Marquessates) were bestowed on the holders of Irish Peerages of a lower grade on the last day before the Union. See vol. i, p. 208, note "c," *sub* "Avonmore."

^(b) See a list of the Scotch peerages *cr.* by James II, p. 208, note "a," *sub* "Dundee."

III. 1752. 3. WILLIAM (MURRAY), EARL OF DUNMORE, &c. [S.], next br. and h. *b.* about 1687; engaged in the insurrection of 1745, but having surrendered himself and pleaded guilty, 20 Dec. 1746, was pardoned. He *m.* Catharine, 3rd da. of his paternal uncle, William (NAIRNE, formerly MURRAY), LORD NAIRNE [S.], by Margaret, da. and h. of Robert (NAIRNE), 1st LORD NAIRNE [S.] He *d.* at Lincoln, 1 Dec. 1756.

IV. 1756. 4. JOHN (MURRAY) EARL OF DUNMORE, &c. [S.], s. and h. *styled v.p.*, VISCOUNT FINCASTLE, sometime Ensign and Lieut. (1755) in the 3rd Foot Guards; REP. PEER [S.] 1761-74, and 1776-90; Gov. of New York, 1769; Gov. of Virginia, 1770, till the declaration of independence (1776), recognised 1783; Gov. of the Bahama Islands, 1787. He *m.* 21 Feb. 1759, at Edinburgh, Charlotte, 6th da. of Alexander (STEWART) 6th EARL OF GALLOWAY [S.] He *d.* at Ramsgate, in March 1809. Admon. Feb. 1810. His widow *d.* 11 Nov. 1818. Will pr. Dec. 1818. Both *bur.* at St. Lawrence, in the Isle of Thanet, Kent, M.I.^(a)

V. 1809. 5 and 1 GEORGE (MURRAY), EARL OF DUNMORE &c. [S.], s. and h., *b.* 30 April 1762 in Edinburgh, and *styled* VISCOUNT FINCASTLE till 1802; M.P. for Liskeard, 1800-02. On 10 Sep. 1831, he *m.* 4 Aug. 1803, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Susan, da. of Archibald (HAMILTON), DUKE OF HAMILTON [S.], by Harriet, 5th da. of Alexander (STEWART), 6th EARL OF GALLOWAY [S.] He *d.* 11 Nov. 1836. Will pr. May 1837. His widow, who was *b.* 3 Aug. 1774, *d.* 24 May 1846, in her 72nd year, in Richmond Park, Surrey. Will pr. July 1846.

Earldom [S.] }
VI. }
Barony } 1836.
II. }

6 and 2. ALEXANDER EDWARD (MURRAY), EARL OF DUNMORE, &c. [S.], also Baron Dunmore, s. and h., *b.* 1 June 1804, *styled* VISCOUNT FINCASTLE, 1809-36. He *m.* 27 May 1836, at Frankfort on the Maine, Catherine, da. of George Augustus (HERBERT), 11th EARL OF PEMBROKE, by his second wife, Catherine, da. of Simon, COUNT WORONZOW in Russia. He *d.* 15 July 1845, and was *bur.* at Dunmore. Will pr. July 1847. His widow, who was *b.* 31 Oct. 1814, in Arlington street, Midx., and was sometime a Lady of the Bedchamber, *d.* 12 Feb. 1886, at Carbery Tower, Musselburgh, and was *bur.* at Dunmore.

Earldom [S.] }
VII. }
Barony } 1845.
III. }

7 and 3. CHARLES ADOLPHUS (MURRAY), EARL OF DUNMORE, VISCOUNT FINCASTLE, LORD MURRAY OF BLAIR, MOULIN AND TILLEMOT [1686] in the peerage of Scotland, also BARON DUNMORE [1831] U.K., only s. and h.; *b.* 24 March 1841, *styled* VISCOUNT FINCASTLE to 1845; sometime (1860) Lieut. Scots Fusileer Guards; a Lord in Waiting, 1874-80; Lord Lieut. of co. Stirling, &c. He *m.* 5 April 1866, Gertrude, 3d da. of Thomas (CORE), 2d EARL OF LEICESTER OF HOLKHAM, by his first wife, Juliana, da. of Samuel Charles WHITBREAD. She was *b.* 5 July 1847.

^(a) Lady Augusta Murray, their 2nd da., *m.* at Rome, 4 April 1793, and at St. Geo. Han. sq. 5 Dec. following, H.R.H. Augustus-Frederick, Duke of Sussex, but both such marriages being held (Aug. 1794) to be invalid (under "the Royal marriage act" of 1772) she took, by royal lic., 13 Oct. 1806, the name of de Ameland. She *d.* 4 March 1830, leaving issue (1) Col. Sir Augustus-Frederick D'ESTE, K.G.H., *b.* 13 Jan. 1794; *d.* unm. 18 Dec. 1848; and (2) Augusta-Emma (Mlle. D'ESTE), afterwards (1845) Baroness Truro, *b.* 11 Aug. 1801, *d.* s.p. 21 May 1866. Both these, with their mother, are *bur.* at St. Lawrence, in the isle of Thanet. See "*Her, and Gen.*," vol. ii, pp. 258-261, and 373-374.

^(b) This was one of the "Coronation Peerages" of William IV. See a list thereof, vol. ii, p. 312, note "a," sub "Cloncurry."

[ALEXANDER-EDWARD MURRAY *styled* VISCOUNT FINCASTLE, s. and h. ap., b. 22 April 1871, the Prince of Wales being one of his sponsors.]

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 74,000 acres in co. Inverness (valued at £2,339 a year) and 4,620 in co. Stirling. Total 78,620 acres worth £10,411 a year, exclusive of shooting rents and of £4,000 for minerals. *Principal Residence*; Dunmore (formerly Elphinstone) Park, near Falkirk, co. Stirling.

DUNNING.

i.e., "DUNNING OF DUNNING AND PITCAIRNS, co. Perth," Barony (*Rollo*), cr. 1869; see "ROLLO," Barony [S.], cr. 1651, *sub* the 10th Lord.

DUNOON.

i.e., "ORANSAY, DUNOON, AND ARASE," Baronies [S.] (*Campbell*), cr. 1706, with the EARLDOM OF ILAY [S.]; which see; *ex*. 1761.

DUNRAVEN AND MOUNT EARL.

- Earldom [I.]** I. 1822. 1. VALENTINE-RICHARD QUIN^(a), of Adare, co. Limerick, s. and h. of Windham^(b) Quin, of the same, by Frances, da. of Richard DAWSON, of Dawson's Grove, co. Monaghan, was b. 30 July 1752; matric. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.) 31 May 1769; *suc.* his father April 1789; cr. a BARONET 24 March 1781; M.P. for Kilmallock, 1799-1800: raised to the peerage, 31 July 1800^(c), being cr. BARON ADARE of Adare [I.] He was subsequently, 5 Feb. 1816, cr. VISCOUNT MOUNT-EARL [I.], and, finally, 5 Feb. 1822, VISCOUNT ADARE, and EARL OF DUNRAVEN^(d) and MOUNT-EARL [I.] He *m.* firstly, 24 Aug. 1777, Frances Muriel, da. of Stephen (FOX-STRANGWAYS), 1st EARL OF ILCHESTER, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Thomas HORNER. She, who was b. Aug. 1755, d. (as Baroness Adare) May 1814. He *m.* secondly 26 Feb. 1816, Margaret Mary, widow of Col. Arthur BLENNERHASSET, relict, formerly, of George L'ESTRANGE, da. of James COGLAN, of Claghan House, King's county. She d. (as Viscountess Mount-Earl) 6 Nov. 1821 in the Circus, Bath. He d. 24 Aug. 1824, aged 72. Will pr. 1824.^(e)
- II. 1824. 2. WINDHAM HENRY (WYNDHAM-QUIN), EARL OF DUNRAVEN AND MOUNT-EARL, &c. [I.], s. and h., b. 24 Sep. 1782; ed. at Eton and at Mag. Coll., Oxford, where he matric. 28 May 1799; M.P. for co. Limerick, 1806-20; *styled* VISCOUNT ADARE, 1822-24. Having m. 27 Dec. 1810, Caroline, da. and h. of Thomas WYNDHAM, of Dunraven Castle, co. Glamorgan (by

^(a) Some account of the families of O'Quin or Quin is in the "Her and Gen." vol. iii, pp. 490-498 in a review of the "*Memorials of Adare Manor*."

^(b) The christian name of "Windham," given to him (as well as to his 2d son and to his grandson, the 3d Earl) possibly represented that of "Widenham"; his mother having been a coheir of the family of Widenham, of the Court, co. Limerick. The marriage of the 2d Earl with the heiress of *Wyndham* of Dunraven, in 1810, appears to be the first connection of that family with the race of Quin.

^(c) He was one of the 26 commoners ennobled in that year, being the year of the Irish Union. See vol. 1, p. 166, note "a," *sub*. "Ashtown."

^(d) The title of "*Dunraven*" was in honour of the possession of his son's wife, the heiress of Dunraven Castle, co. Glamorgan. See a similar instance of a peerage title taken from the estate of a da. in law, when in 1616, Lord Chancellor Ellesmere was cr. Viscount Brackley, vol. ii, p. 2, note "b."

^(e) It is difficult to understand why the services conferred by this gentleman were rewarded with a Baronetcy, a Barony, two Viscountcies, and an Earldom. They appear to have rendered in the short time (1799-1800) when he was M.P. [I.] for which the *Barony* conferred in 1800 would seem to have been an equivalent. See note "c," *ante*.

Anna Maria Charlotte, da. of Thomas ASHBY, of Isleworth), which lady, in 1814, inherited her father's estates, he by royal lic., 7 April 1815, took the name of *Wyndham* before his patronymic of *Quin*. REP. PEER [I.], 1839-50; Custos Rot. of co. Limerick. He *d.* at Adare Abbey, co. Limerick, 6 Aug. 1850, in his 68th year. Will pr. Jany. 1851. His widow *d.* 26 May 1870, in her 81st year at Clearwell Court, near Coleford, co. Gloucester. Will pr. 23 July 1870, under £90,000.

III. 1850. 3. EDWARD RICHARD WINDHAM (WYNDHAM-QUIN), EARL OF DUNRAVEN AND MOUNT-EARL, &c. [I.], s. and h., *b.*, 19 May 1812, in London, styled VISCOUNT ADARE, 1824-50; M.P. for co. Gloucester, 1837 to Feb. 1851. **K.P.**, 13 March 1866. On 12 June 1866, he was *cr.* BARON KENRY, co. Limerick [U.K.] He *m.* firstly, 18 Aug. 1836, Augusta, 3d da. of Thomas GOOLD, of Merrion Square, Dublin, a Master in Chancery [I.], by Elizabeth, da. of Rev. Brinsley NIXON, Rector of Painstown, co. Meath. She *d.*, 22 Nov. 1866, at Buckingham Gate, Midx. He *m.* secondly, 27 Jany. 1870, in the Roman Catholic Church, Warwick Street, Midx., Anne, da. of Henry LAMBERT, of Carnagh, co. Wexford, sometime M.P. for that county. He *d.*, 6 Oct. 1871, aged 59, at the Imperial Hotel, Great Malvern, co. Worcester. Will pr., 11 Jany. 1852, under £100,000, in England.^(a) His widow *m.*, as his second wife, 26 April 1879, at Rome, Hedworth-Hylton (JOLLIFFE), 2d BARON HYLTON and was living 1890.

IV. 1871. 4. WINDHAM THOMAS (WYNDHAM-QUIN), EARL OF DUNRAVEN AND MOUNT-EARL [1822]; VISCOUNT MOUNT-EARL [1816]; VISCOUNT ADARE [1822] and BARON ADARE [1800], in the peerage of Ireland, also BARON KENRY [1866] U.K., only s. and h., *b.*, 12 Feb. 1841; styled VISCOUNT ADARE 1850-71; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 20 Oct. 1858; Lieut. 1st Life Guards, 1865-67; A.D.C. to the Lord Lieut. of Ireland, 1868; **K.P.**, 13 May 1876; Under Sec. for the Colonies, 1885-86 and 1886-87. He *m.*, 29 April 1869, Florence Elizabeth, 2d da. of Lord Charles Lennox KERR, by Charlotte Emma, da. of Col. Thomas HAMMER. She was *b.*, 23 Oct. 1841.

Family Estates—These in 1883, consisted of about 24,000 acres in England, worth about £24,000 a year (formerly Wyndham property) and about 15,000 in Ireland (formerly Quin property), worth about £11,000 a year; *viz.*, 23,752 acres in co. Gloucester and 537 in co. Glamorgan, besides 14,298 in co. Limerick, 1,005 in co. Kerry and 164 in co. Clare. Total 39,755 acres, worth £35,478 a year. *Principal Residences*, Adare Manor, co. Limerick; Dunraven Castle, co. Glamorgan, and Kenry House, Putney Vale, Surrey.

• DUNSANDLE AND CLANCONAL.

Barony [L] I. JAMES DALY, of Dunsandle, co. Galway, s. and h. of the Right Hon. Denis Daly, of the same, Muster-Master-Gen. [I.], by Henrietta, da. and h. of Robert (MAXWELL), EARL OF FARNHAM [I.], was *b.*, 1 April 1782; M.P. for Galway, 1805-11; for co. Galway, 1812-34, and was, 6 June 1845, *cr.* BARON DUNSANDLE AND CLANCONAL of Dunsandle, co. Galway [I.] He *m.*, 5 March 1808, Maria Elizabeth, 2d da. and coheir of the Right Hon. Sir Edward Skeffington SMYTH, Bart., by Margaret, da. of Hyacinth DALY, of Dalystown. He *d.* of typhus fever, 7 Aug. 1847, at Dunsandle afsd.^(b) Admon. Dec. 1848. His widow *d.*, 2 Nov. 1866, in Dublin.

II. 1847. 2. DENIS ST GEORGE (DALY), BARON DUNSANDLE AND CLANCONAL, [I.], s. and h., *b.* 10 July 1810, in Dublin; sometime Capt. 7th Dragoons; REP. PEER [I.], 1851. He *m.*, in 1864, Mary, da. of William BRODERICK. She *d.* 6 Dec. 1868.

Family Estates—These, in 1883, consisted of 33,543 acres in co. Galway and 3,514 in co. Tipperary. Total 37,057 acres, worth £17,193 a year. *Principal Residence*, Dunsandle, near Loughcrea, co. Galway.

^(a) He was a great archæologist and antiquary and well-known for his Celtic and mediæval knowledge.

^(b) His younger brother Robert Daly, was Bishop of Cashel, 1843 to 1872.

DUNSANY.

[The origin of this Peerage is obscure ; the precedence usually assigned to it is next after^(a) that of Trimleston, a Barony [I.] *cr.* by patent 4 March (1461/2) 2 Ed. IV, at which same date (according to some) the Barony of Portlester [I.] was granted to Rowland FitzEustace, and this Barony of Dunsany [I.] to Sir Chris. Plunkett. The opinion of [Walter Burgh and Jehn FitzGibbon] the Chief Law Officers [I.], in their report, 26 April 1782, on the claim to this title, states "that the evidence of the claimant's ancestors having sat and voted as Peers of Ireland from 9 Hen. VII to the commencement of the reign of William and Mary was clear, and that from the precedence appearing, from the journals of the House of Lords, to have been taken by the LORDS DUNSANY, there was strong reasons to conclude that the *said title and honours existed in the claimant's family so early as the reign of Edward IV.*"]

- Barony [I.]** 1. **SIR CHRISTOPHER PLUNKETT**, of Dunsany, co. Meath, I. 1462? 2d s. of Christopher (PLUNKETT), 1st LORD KILLEEN, [I.] by Joan, da. and h. of Sir Lucas CUSACK, of Killeen and Dunsany, was *b.* about 1410 ; was, in the lifetime of his parents, (1438-39), 17 Hen. VI, styled "*Dominus de Dunsany*," having already acquired that estate and was,^(b) probably in 1462, *cr.* LORD DUNSANY [I.] He *m.* firstly, Anne, da. and h. of Richard FITZGERALD, of Ballysonan, co. Kildare. He *m.* secondly, Elizabeth, sister of Robert, 1st VISCOUNT GORMANSTON [I], da. of Sir Christopher PRESTON, of Gormanston, by Jane, da. of Sir Jenico D'ARTOIS. He *d.*, probably in 1462, or 1463. Will, in which he describes himself as "Sir X^{phor} Plunket, Knt," and directs his burial to be at Killeen, dat. 1 Aug. 1462 (St. Peters-ad-Vincula, 2 Ed. IV), at Lambeth. His second wife living Aug. 1462.
- II. 1463? 2. **RICHARD (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.]**, s. and h., by first wife. He *m.* Joan, da. and coheir of Rowland (FITZ-EUSTACE), BARON PORTLESTER [I.], by Margaret, da. of Sir Jenico D'Artois.
- III. 1480? 3. **JOHN (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.]**, s. and h., *suc.* before 1482 ; was one of the knights of the Irish Order of St. George. He was one of the 15 Irish Peers^(c) sum. by Hen. VII. to Greenwich in 1489 ; sat in the Parl. [I.] of 1490 and 1493 being fined 40s. for his absence in that of 1498. He *m.* Catharine, da. of [—] HUSSEY, territorial Baron of Galtrim. He *d.* about 1500.
- IV. 1500? 4. **EDWARD (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.]**, s. and h. He *m.* Anne, da. and h. of Philip DE BERMINGHAM, by Ellen, da. and coheir of Nicholas STRANGWAYS, Chief Remembrancer of the Exchequer [I.] He *d.* 24 Jany. 1520/1, being slain while fighting against the rebels O'Carroll and O'Connor, and was *bur.* in the church at Dunsany. M.I. *Inq. p. mortem* taken at Duleek.
- V. 1521. 5. **ROBERT (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.]**, s. and h. He sat in the Parl. of 1541. He *m.* firstly Eleanor, da. of Sir William DARCY, of Platten, by [—], da. of Christopher (ST. LAWRENCE), LORD HOWTH [I.] She was living 1516. He *m.* secondly Genet, widow of Alderman

(a) It is so placed in 1489, being the lowest of the nine Baronies, whose holders were sum. in that year by Henry VII, to Greenwich. See vol. i, preface, p. iii, note "a." See also vol. i, p. 171, note "c," *sub* "Athenry," as to the approximate date of the early Irish Baronies. In the Parl. of 1541 this Barony is placed next immediately after that of Killeen, and consequently before that of Howth (both *cr.* probably about 1430) and Trimleston, but, on the other hand, in almost all the other Parls. (including that of 1629, when the *ranking* appears to have been particularly attended to) the Barony of Dunsany is *postponed* to that of Trimleston, of which latter the creation was undoubtedly in 1461/2.

(b) Camden, in his "*Hibernia*," says that this Christopher "*titulum BARONIS DUNSANY, suâ virtute, consequutus erat*," while of his father he says that "*erectus fuerat ad dignitatem BARONIS KILLIN, quod [i.e., "quod" manerium, not, of course, "quod" dignitas] per uxorem, e stirpe Cusakia hæredem, ipsi obvenerat.*"

(c) See a list of these vol. i, preface iii, note "a."

Robert SHILLENFORD, da. of William SANSFIELD, Alderman of Dublin. He *d.* 1559. His widow *m.* James LUTTRELL (yst. s. of Sir Thomas L., of Luttrellstown) who *d.* before her. She *m.* subsequently Sir Thomas CUSACK and, on his death, she *m.* before 1579 (for her 5th husband) Sir John PLUNKETT, of Dunsoghly, who *d.* May 1583. She survived him.

VI. 1559. 6. CHRISTOPHER (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. male.^(a) He was present at the Parl. [I.] of 1559-60 and was living Aug. 1561. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Sir Christopher BARNEWALL, of Crickstown, by Catharine, da. of Christopher (FLEMING), LORD SLANE [I.] He *d.* about 1564.

VII. 1564? 7. PATRICK (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.], s. and h. whose wardship, being a minor, was granted, 1 July 1565, to Sir Christopher BARNEWALL, of Turvey, whose 11th and yst. da. Mary (by Marion, da. of Patrick SHERLE, of Shallon, co. Meath), he *m.* He was a person of great learning and was one of the Masters of the Guild of the Virgin Mary of Killeen. He sat in the Parl. [I.] of 1585 and received from the Queen a grant of 20 horsemen and other privileges. He *d.* 17 March 1601. Inq. taken at Drogheda 23 July 1504.^(b)

VIII. 1601. 8. CHRISTOPHER (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.], only s. and h. He *m.*, before 1595, Maud or Madeline, da. of Henry BABINGTON, of Dethick, co. Derby, by his 1st wife, Frances, da. of Sir John MARKHAM. He *d.* 15 and was bur. 20 Dec. 1603, at Dunsany.^(c) His widow *d.* 19 March 1609, having been murdered.^(d)

IX. 1603. 9. PATRICK (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.], s. and h., aged 8 years and 9 months, at his father's death. He sat in the Parl. [I.] of 1634 and 1639; was imprisoned by the Lords Justices [I.] 1642, in Dublin Castle, but released at the Restoration, when he again took his seat, down to 1666.^(e) He *m.* before 1634, Jane, da. of Sir Thomas HENEAGE, of Hainton, co. Lincoln, by Barbara, da. of Sir Thomas GUILFORD. He was living, May 1668.

X. 1670? 10. CHRISTOPHER (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of Edward PLUNKETT, by Catherine 4th da. of Randal (McDONNELL), EARL OF ANTRIM [I.], which Edward was s. and h. ap. of the last Lord and *d.* v.p., May 1668. He had a pension of £100 a year on the establishment [I.], 1 Jany. 1687. He sat in the Parl. [I.] of 1689, sum. by James II (after his expulsion from England) and *d.* unm. 1690.

XI. 1690. 11. RANDALL (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.], br. and h. He also adhered to James II and was, in consequence *out-lawed*, 16 April 1691, but being comprised in the treaty of Limerick *was thereby restored*. Being a Roman Catholic he could not sit as a Peer of Parl. He *m.* firstly, before 1681, Ann, Dow. COUNTESS OF CARLINGFORD [I.], da. of Sir William PERSHALL, of Suggenhill, co. Stafford, by Frances, da. of Walter (ASTON), LORD ASTON [S.] She

^(a) Elizabeth (his niece) who *m.* Nicholas HOLLYWOOD, of Tartaine, co. Dublin, was the heir *general*, she being da. and h. of John Plunkett, the *first son of the last Lord*, who *d.* s.p.m., before 1559, v.p.

^(b) "Among those employed [*circa* 1600] to murder O'Neill [the celebrated Earl of Tyrone] in cold blood were Sir Geoffrey Fenton, Lord Dunsany, and Henry Oge O'Neill but they all failed." See Mac Carthy's "*Life of Florence Mac Carthy*."

^(c) The proclamation of the accession of James I. at Dublin in 1603 was subscribed by the following Roman Catholic Peers of Ireland (1) the Earl of Tyrone (2) the Viscount Gormanston, and the Barons of (3) Killeen (4) Trimbleston (5) Slane and (6) Dunsany. See Meehan's "*Earl of Tyrone*," &c. (1868), p. 11, note

^(d) A female servant was burnt for this crime, but not long afterwards a person, at execution, confessed himself guilty thereof." See "Lodge," vol. vi, p. 206.

^(e) From this year to 1692 no Parliament [I.] but that of James II in 1689, was held.

d. s.p. He *m.* secondly, May 1711, Bridget, only da. of Richard FLEMING, of Stahal-mock, co. Meath, and his only child by his *first* wife, who was dead before 1724. She was *b.*, April 1689. He *d.* 16 March 1735, and was *bur.* at Dunsany.

XII. 1735. 12. EDWARD (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.], *s.* and *h.* by 2d wife, *b.*, 1713. In 1735, he conformed to the established (Protestant) Church [I.], but took no steps towards establishing his peerage. He *m.*, Aug. 1734, Mary, 1st da. and coheir of Francis ALLEN, of St. Wolstans, co. Kildare, by Frances, da. of Charles WHITE, of Leixlip. He *d.*, 9 June 1781.

XIII. 1781. 13. RANDALL (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.], *s.* and *h.*, *b.*, March 1738/9. In Dec. 1781, he petitioned for his writ of Peerage [I.], which was favourably reported on by the chief law officers [I.], on 25 April 1782.^(a) The House agreeing therewith, he, on 4 March 1785, took his seat "upon the death of his grandfather, Randall, *Lord Baron of Dunsany.*" He *m.* firstly, 12 Aug. 1771, Margaret, widow of Edward MANDEVILLE, of Ballydine, co. Tipperary, da. of Edward ARCHDEKIN, of co. Kilkenny. She *d.*, 12 Sep. 1791. He *m.* secondly, 7 Aug. 1800, Emma-Mary, da. of John SMITH, of London, Merchant (br. of Sir Drummond Smith, 1st Bart.), by Mary, da. of Griffin RANSOM, of Westminster, Banker. He *d.*, 4 April 1821. Will pr. 1829. His widow, *d. s.p.*, June 1828. Will pr. July 1828.

XIV. 1821. 14. EDWARD-WADDING (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY, [I.], *s.* and *h.*, by 1st wife; *b.* 7 April 1773; *ed.* at Westminster school. Lord Lieut. co. Meath, REP. PEER [I.], 1836-48. He *m.* firstly, 20 June 1803, Charlotte-Louisa, 3d da. of Nicholas (LAWLESS), 1st BARON CLONCURRY [I.], by Margaret, da. of Valentine BROWNE of Dublin. She, who was *b.* 21 Jan. 1769, *d.* 10 June 1818. He *m.* secondly, 26 March 1823, Eliza, 1st da. of George (KINNAIRD), 7th LORD KINNAIRD [S.], by Elizabeth, da. of Griffin RANSOM abovenamed. He *d.* 11 Dec. 1848, aged 75, at Clevedon, Somerset. Will pr. March 1849. His widow, who was *b.* 13 May 1781, *d. s.p.*, 30 April 1864, in her 84th year, at 6 Chester square, Midx.

XV. 1848. 15. RANDALL-EDWARD (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY, [I.], *s.* and *h.*, by 1st wife; *b.* 5 Sep. 1804, at Rome; *ed.* at Eton and at Ch. Ch. Oxford; B.A. and double third class, 1833; M.P. for Drogheda, 1835-37. REP. PEER [I.] 1850-52. He *m.*, 29 Dec. 1838, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Elizabeth, only

(a) They stated that "the disability incurred by the claimant's ancestor, was for an offence committed after the beginning of the reign of James II, and before the 3 Oct. 1691; that the evidence of the title forfeited by the claimant's ancestor having been restored to him under the articles of Limerick, and the said act of King William was full and irresistible, &c." A full account of this is in [Lynch's?] "*Remarks upon the ancient Baronage of Ireland*" [1829], pp. 118-123, where it is pointed out that the claimant being the *heir male*, but not the *heir general*, "the House of Peers [I.] decided a third time in favour of the principle of the *male* descent of the ancient Baronies of Ireland." That of Kingsale had been so decided in 1721 and again in 1762.

Thus in no single instance, out of the *nine* ancient Baronies of Ireland (*i.e.* those existing at the accession of the house of Tudor), has the right of the *heir general*, prevailed over that of the *heir male*. As to (1), TRIMLESTON such right is secured by the patent, and in all the *other* cases, where the origin of the peerage dignity is unknown, the succession has taken place as under, *viz.*, as to (2) KERRY and (3) HOWTH, the question has not arisen, the *heir male* being *also* the *heir general*; as to (4) DELVIN, the *heir male* inherited, in 1752, the Earldom of Westmeath, and is generally supposed to have inherited therewith the Barony of Delvin, the claim thereto of the *heir general* not having been successful; as to (5) ATHENRY, (6) SLANE and (7) KILLEEN, the right of the *heir male*, to the exclusion of the *heir general*, is shewn by several sittings in the House of Lords, while as to (8) KINGSALE and (9) DUNSANY, not only was this the case, but the right of the *heir male* was asserted by the House of Lords [I.]

da. and h. of Lyndon EVELYN, of Keynsham Court, co. Hereford. He *d. s.p.*, 7 April 1852, at Dunsany Castle, co. Meath. Will pr. June 1852. His widow *d.*, 2 April 1875, at 18, Bolton Gardens, South Kensington, Midx.

XVI. 1852. 16. EDWARD (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.], yst. and only surv. br. and h., *b.* 29 Nov. 1808, at Ramsgate, co. Kent; was an officer, R.N., in a conflict with pirates in the Archipelago, 1826; served on the coast of Spain, 1835-40; Capt. R.N., 1846; Rear Admiral, 1864; Vice-Admiral (reserved list) 1871; Admiral, 1877. REP. PEER [I.], 1864-89; He *m.* 22 Sep. 1846, Anne-Constance, 3d da. of John (DUTTON), 2d BARON SHERBORNE, by Mary, only child of Henry-Bilson (LEGGE), 2d BARON STAWELL. She, who was *b.* 12 Sep. 1816, *d.* 27 June 1858, aged 41, at Sherborne Lodge, co. Gloucester. He *d.* at Hastings, 22 Feb. 1889, aged 80, and was *bur.* at Copthorne, Sussex. Will pr. at £137,880.

XVII. 1889. 17. JOHN WILLIAM (PLUNKETT), LORD DUNSANY [I.], 2d^(*) but 1st surv. s. and h. *b.* 31 Aug. 1853; ed. at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; B.A., 1877; M.A., 1881; Lieut. R.N. Artillery Volunteers; M.P. for South Gloucestershire, 1886. He *m.* 3 April 1877, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Ernle Elizabeth Louisa Maria Grosvenor, only da. and h. of Col. Francis Augustus Plunkett BURTON, (Coldstream Guards) by Sarah Frances Elizabeth, yr. da. and coheir of John Samuel Wanley SAWBRIDGE-ERLE-DRAX, of Charborough Park, Dorset.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 1,670 acres in Radnorshire, besides 4,379 in co. Meath; 2,320 in co. Kilkenny and 31 in co. Cavan. Total 8,400 acres, worth £9,680 a year. *Principal Residences*, Dunsany Castle, near Navan, co. Meath, and Dunstall Priory, near Shoreham, Kent.

DUNSMORE.

i.e., "DUNSMORE, co. Warwick," Barony (*Leigh*), *cr.* 1628, with a spec. rem.; *ex.* 1653 on the death of the grantee. See "CHICHESTER" Earldom of, *cr.* 1644, with a spec. rem.; *ex.* 1667.

DUNTRILEAGUE.

See "MASSY OF DUNTRILEAGUE, co. Limerick," Barony [I.] (*Massy*), *cr.* 1776.

DUNWICH.

i.e., "DUNWICH, co. Suffolk," Viscounty (*Rous*), *cr.* 1821 with the EARLDOM OF STRADBROKE, which see.

DUPPLIN.

Viscounty [S.] I. SIR GEORGE HAY, High Chancellor [S.], was, 4
I. 1627, May 1627, *cr.* VISCOUNT DUPPLIN AND LORD HAY OF
and KINFAUNS [S.], with rem. to the heirs male of his body, and was
1633. *cr.* 25 May 1633, EARL OF KINNOULL, VISCOUNT DUPPLIN,
AND LORD HAY OF KINFAUNS [S.], with rem. to heirs male.
These titles were resigned by the 5th Peer and regranted to him
29 Feb. 1704, with a *spec. rem.* See under "KINNOULL" Earldom of [S.], *cr.* 1633.

VI. 1697, I and 6. THOMAS HAY, of Balhousie, co. Perth, was, 31
and Dec. 1697, *cr.* VISCOUNT DUPPLIN [S.], with rem. failing heirs
1709. male of his body to his heirs of entail. By the death, 10 May 1709,
of his cousin, the 5th Earl of Kinnoull, &c., abovenamed, he *suc.*, in
accordance to the terms of the regnant 29 Feb. 1704, also above
named, as EARL OF KINNOULL [1633], VISCOUNT DUPPLIN [1627 and 1633], and LORD
HAY OF KINFAUNS [1627 and 1633] in the peerage of Scotland. See "KINNOULL"
Earldom of [S.], *cr.* 1633, under the 6th Earl.

(*) His eldest br. Hon. Randall-Edward-Sherborne Plunkett, M.P. for West Gloucestershire, 1874-80, *d. unm.* and *v.p.*, 25 Dec. 1883, at Madeira, aged 85.

DURAS OF HOLDENBY.

Barony. LOUIS DE DURAS, MARQUIS DE BLANQUEFORT, in France, was
I. 1673, *cr.* 29 Jan. 1673, BARON DURAS OF HOLDENBY, co. Northampton.
 He *suc.* his father-in-law, George (SONDES), EARL OF FEVERSHAM, on
 to
1709. 16 April 1677, as EARL OF FEVERSHAM, &c., under the spec. rem. in the
 creation, 8 April 1676, of that peerage. He *d. s.p.* 19 April 1709, when
 all his honours became *extinct*. See fuller particulars under "FEVERSHAM,"
 Earldom of, *cr.* 1676; *ex.* 1709.

DURFORD, see "CARYLL OF DURFORD."

DURHAM (city) and DURHAM OF LAMBTON CASTLE.

[The *Bishops* of Durham were unquestionably, till the death (21 Feb. 1836) of Bishop Van Mildert, "from time immemorial, by prescriptive right,"^(a) *Lords* of the Palatinate of Durham. Hence arose the "notion that the Bishops were *Counts-Palatine* of Durham and *Earls* of SADBERGE, a demesne manor and wapentake in the county of Northumberland, which Bishop Pudsey had acquired in the reign of Richard I." See Mr. Longstaffe's interesting article on the "*Heraldry of Durham*" in the "*Her. and Gen.*," vol. viii, p.p. 32-35, and 136-168. These Bishops, indeed, have often been spoken of, not only as "*Earls*" but even as "*Princes-Palatine*." Their real rank however, was that of Barons (*Domini*), not of Earls (*Comites*), being, like that of other Bishops, *below* the grade of Viscount, but *above* that of the secular Baron.]

Barony. } **I. JOHN GEORGE LAMBTON**, of Lambton Castle, co.
I. 1828. } Durham, s. and h. of William Henry L. of the same, by Ann Barbara
Earldom. } Frances, d. of George Bussey (VILLIERS), 4th EARL OF JERSEY, was
I. 1833. } *b.* 12 April 1792, *suc.* his father 30 Nov. 1797, at the age of 5
 years; *ed.* at Eton; served in the 10th Hussars, 1809-11; M.P.
 for co. Durham, 1813-28, and, having been a strong and consistent
 Whig, was, at the dissolution of the Goderich ministry, *cr.*, 29 Jan.
 1828, BARON DURHAM OF THE CITY OF DURHAM AND OF LAMBTON CASTLE, co.
 Durham. In the Grey ministry he was made P.C., 1830, and a member of the
 Cabinet^(b) as LORD PRIVY SEAL, 1830-33; was Ambassador to Russia, July to Sep.
 1832; to Prussia and Austria, Sep. 1832, and again to Russia, 1835-37. He was *cr.*,
 23 March 1833, VISCOUNT LAMBTON and EARL OF DURHAM.^(c) **G.C.B.**
 27 June 1837. GOV. GEN. OF CANADA, Jan. to Dec. 1838. He *m.* (when under age)
 1 Jan. 1812, at Malpas, co. Chester, Harriet CHOLMONDELEY, spinster, illegit. da. of
 George James (CHOLMONDELEY), 1st MARQUESS CHOLMONDELEY. She *d.*, s.p.m.,
 11 July 1815, and was *bur.* at Beckenham, Kent. He *m.* secondly, 9 Dec. 1816, at

(a) Preface to 30th Rep. of the Dep. Keeper of Public Records [25 Feb. 1869], where it is stated that a "brief sketch of the history of the Palatinate of Durham" is given in the 16th Report, and that the "extensive liberties and rights thereof" devolved after 1836, by act of Parl., on "King William IV, his heirs and successors."

(b) Together with Lord John Russell (afterwards Earl Russell), Sir James Graham, and Lord Duncannon (afterwards, 1844, 4th Earl of Bessborough), he "had entrusted to him the preparation of the *Reform Bill*, but his health, or temperament, would appear to have been unequal to the cares and bustle of ministerial life." See *Ann. Reg.* for 1840.

(c) This Earldom must be considered as an Earldom of the *city* of Durham *not* of the *County palatine*, the Lordship of the *County palatine* not being at the date of its creation vested even in the Crown itself. By act 6 and 7 Will. IV, cap. 19 (1835-36), "the whole of the PALATINE JURISDICTION" formerly vested in the Bishopric of Durham, was (*vacante sede*) taken away therefrom "and vested in the Crown as a separate franchise and royalty; the distinction of Durham, as a County palatine, being thus, for most practical purposes, abolished." See "*Parliamentary Gazetteer*," 1845.

Howick, Louisa Elizabeth, 1st da. of Charles (GREY), 2nd EARL GREY, by Mary Elizabeth da. of William Brabazon (PONSONBY), 1st BARON PONSONBY OF IMOKILLY. He *d.* 28 July 1840, aged 48, at Cowes, Isle of Wight. Will *pr.* Oct. 1840. His widow, who was *b.* 7 April 1797, *d.* 26 Nov. 1841 at Genoa. Will *pr.* May 1842.

II. 1840. 2. GEORGE FREDERICK D'ARCY (LAMBTON), EARL OF DURHAM, &c., 2d and^(*) yst. but only surv. s. and h. by 2d wife, *b.* 5 Sep. 1828, at Cope Hill, Surrey, and *hap.* there 29th; *styled* VISCOUNT LAMBTON, 1833-40; Lord Lieut. of co. Durham, 1854-79; Hon. Col. Durham Rifle Volunteers, 1863; Lieut. Col. Northumb. Rifle Volunteers, 1863. He *m.* 23 May 1854, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Beatrix Frances, 2d da. of James (HAMILTON), 1st DUKE OF ABERCORN [I.], by Louisa Jane, da. of John (RUSSELL), 6th DUKE OF BEDFORD. She, who was *b.* 21 July 1835, *d.* 21 Jany. 1871, at Lambton Castle. He *d.* 27 Nov. 1879, aged 51, in Hill street, Midx.

III. 1879. 3. JOHN GEORGE (LAMBTON), EARL OF DURHAM [1833], VISCOUNT LAMBTON [1833], and BARON DURHAM OF THE CITY OF DURHAM AND OF LAMBTON CASTLE [1828], s. and h., *b.* 19 June 1855, in Park street, Grosvenor sq., Midx.; *styled* VISCOUNT LAMBTON till 1879; ed. at Eton; sometime, 1874-79, an officer in the Coldstream Guards; Lord Lieut. of co. Durham. He *m.* 28 Oct. 1882, at St. Peter's, Eaton square, Ethel Elizabeth Louisa (then aged 20), 2d da. of Henry Beilby William MILNER, of West Retford House, Notts, by Charlotte Henrietta, da. of Marcus Gervais BERESFORD, Archbishop of Armagh. He instituted a suit for the nullity of this marriage (on ground of insanity) which was dismissed (with costs) 10 March 1886.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 15,807 acres in Northumberland and of 14,664 co. Durham, these last, owing to the coal mines thereon, being worth about £64,000 a year. Total 30,471 acres worth £71,671 a year. *Principal Residence* Lambton Castle, co. Durham.

See vol. ii, p. 51, note "a" (*circa finem*). *sub* "Bucleuch" for some remarks as to the value of the Earl of Durham's estates, compared with those of the possessors of 100,000 acres and upwards.

See "HERSCHELL OF THE CITY OF DURHAM," Barony (*Herschell*), *cr.* 1886.

DURNESS.

See "REAY OF DURNESS, co. Sutherland," Barony (*Reay*), *cr.* 1881.

DURSLEY.

i.e., "DURSLEY, co. Gloucester," Viscounty (*Berkeley*), *cr.* 1679, with the EARLDOM OF BERKELEY, which see.

DUTTON.

i.e., "DUTTON, co. Chester," Barony (*Hamilton*), *cr.* 1711 with the DUKEDOM OF BRANDON. See "HAMILTON," Dukedom of [S.], *cr.* 1643 under the 4th holder thereof.

DYNAUNT, see "DINAN."

DYNEVOR, see "DINEVOR."

DYNHAM, see "DINAN."

(*) His eldest br. the Hon. Charles William Lambton, *b.* 16 Jany. 1818, *d.* v.p. 24 Dec. 1831, is well known by the beautiful portrait of him (as "Master Lambton") by Sir Thomas Lawrence.

DYSART.

Earldom [S.] I. WILLIAM MURRAY, s. of the Rev. William M.,
I. 1643. Minister of Dysart, co. Fife, and nephew of Thomas Murray, Provost

of Eton (1621-23), Tutor and Secretary to Charles, Prince of Wales, afterwards Charles I., became, in 1626, Gent. of the Bedchamber^(a) and was in great favour with that King, receiving from him, in 1637, the lease (extended in 1672 to the fee) of the manors of Ham and Petersham, co. Surrey, and was by him *er. by pat. dat.* at Oxford, 3 Aug. 1643, EARL OF DYSART, co. Fife, and LORD HUNTINGTOWER, co. Perth [S.](^b) He was sent over with instructions to the Scottish Commissioners at Breda in 1650 to treat with Charles II. for his return to Scotland. He *m.*, before June 1636, Catharine BRUCE, of the family of Clackmannan, and *d. s.p.m.*(^c) before 22 May 1651, when his widow was living.^(d)

II. 1651. 2. Elizabeth, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF DYSART, [S.], 1st da. and coheir, the heir of line.^(e) She resigned her peerage and obtained a new grant thereof (with the precedency of her father by patent dat. at Whitehall 5 Dec. 1670, with power of nomination^(f) to any of her descendants, failing which with rem. to her heirs, the eldest, if a female, to take without division. She *m.* before 22 May 1651,^(d) Sir Lionel Tollemache, 3d Bart., of Helmingham, Suffolk, who *suc.* his father 6 Sep. 1640, and was *bur.* 25 March 1669, at Helmingham. She *m.* secondly (as his 2d wife) 17 March 1671/2, at Petersham, John (MAYLAND), 1st DUKE OF LAUDERDALE [S.], the well known statesman, who *d. s.p.m.* 24 Aug. 1682, aged 66, leaving no issue by her. See that dignity. Her Grace, who had eleven children by her first husband, was *bur.* 16 June 1698, at Petersham. Will pr. 1698.

III. 1698. 3. LIONEL (TOLLEMACHE), EARL OF DYSART, &c. [S.], 1st surv. s. and h. b. 30 Jan. 1648/9, at Helmingham; styled LORD HUNTINGTOWER, 1651-98; *suc.* his father as a Baronet 1669; was M.P. for Suffolk 1673-78; for Oxford 1678-87; and for Suffolk (again) till 1707, when, by the act of Union [S.], he was no longer eligible; Lord Lieut. and Vice-Admiral, co. Suffolk; High Steward

(^a) He was generally considered the Prince's "Whipping-boy," receiving vicariously the floggings due to his Royal Highness.

(^b) "Burnet says that his warrant for this purpose was signed at Newcastle while the King was in the hands of the Scots, tho' he prevailed on him to *antedate* it, as if it had been signed at Oxford, in order to get the precedency of some whom he hated. The same author adds that he did not *pass* this warrant under the Great Seal until after the King's death when in reality it was no longer in force, and, accordingly, tho' he was commonly called Earl of Dysart as long as he lived, I do not find that he ever took the title upon himself or that it was recognised by authority on any occasion whatsoever; in the court rolls at least of this [Ham] and of his manor of Petersham he is certainly never spoken of but by the name of *William Murray, Esq.*" See Manning and Bray's "*Surrey*," vol. i, p. 364.

(^c) Bishop Burnet speaks but ill of him, stating that "it was generally believed that he *betrayed* the most important of the King's secrets to his enemies." He seems to have had the peculiarity that when he was drunk, "which was pretty often," he was more reserved than at other times. He is, however, called "that vile person" by a Committee of the House of Commons, when requesting the King to remove him from his Council, which appellation, probably, shows that he was deserving of some merit.

(^d) On 22 May 1651, this lady (under the name of Katharine, *not* Elizabeth as in "Douglas") surrenders the capital mess. of Ham to her da., Eliz. Tollemache. See Manning and Bray's "*Surrey* vol. i, p. 365, note "z."

(^e) "A woman of great beauty but of far greater parts," says Bishop Burnet; "violent in everything she set about; a violent friend, but a much more violent enemy; ravenously covetous, and would have stuck at nothing by which she might compass her ends."

(^f) See "Douglas," vol. ii, p. 685, the version in vol. i thereof, p. 490, not being correctly printed. No nomination appears to have been made. See list of Peerages [S.] in which the Grantees were authorised to nominate their successors in vol. ii, p. 14, note "a," *sub* "Breadalbane."

of Ipswich. He *m.*, in 1680, Grace, da. and coheir of Sir Thomas WILBRAHAM, 3rd Bart., of Woodhey, co. Chester, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Edward MITTON, of Weston-under-Lyziard, co. Stafford. He *d.* 23 Feb. 1726/7, in his 79th year, and was *bur.* at Helmingham. M.I. Will pr. 1727. His widow was *bur.*, 2 May 1740, at Helmingham afsd. Will pr. 1740.

[LIONEL TOLLEMACHE, *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER, only s. and h. ap., b. 6 June 1682, at Helmingham. He *m.*, in or before 1708, Henrietta HENEAGE, spinster, illegit. da. of William (CAVENDISH), DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE. He *d.* v.p. 26 July 1712, in his 31st year and was *bur.* at Helmingham. Will pr. March 1713. His widow *d.* 11 Jan. 1717/8. Her will pr. that month.]

IV. 1727. 4. LIONEL (TOLLEMACHE), EARL OF DYSART, &c. [S.], grandson and h. being only s. and h. of Lionel Tollemache, *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER and Henrietta, his wife, both abovenamed. He was *b.* June 1707 at Helmingham; was *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER, 1712-27. **K.T.**, 29 March 1743. He *m.*, 22 July 1729, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Grace, 1st da. of John (CARTERET), EARL GRANVILLE, by his first wife, Frances, da. of Sir Robert WORSLEY, Bart. She, by whom he had 15 children, *d.* 23 July and was *bur.* 10 Aug. 1755 at Helmingham. He *d.* 10 and was *bur.* there 27 March 1770, in his 63d year. Will, dat. 23 July 1769, pr. 5 April 1770.

[LIONEL TOLLEMACHE, *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER, 1st s. and h. ap. b. 1730; *d.* v.p. and was *bur.* 19 March 1730/1 at Helmingham.]

[LIONEL TOLLEMACHE, *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap., *d.* v.p. 1731, an infant.]

V. 1770. 5. LIONEL (TOLLEMACHE), EARL OF DYSART, &c. [S.], 3d but 1st surv. s. and h., b. 6 Aug. 1734; *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER till 1770. He *m.* firstly, 2 Oct. 1770, at St. James' Westm., Charlotte, illegit. da. of the Hon. Sir Edward WALPOLE, **K.B.**, by Dorothy CLEMENTS. She, who was *b.* 9 Dec. 1738, and *bap.* 3 Jan. 1738/9, at St. James' afsd., *d.* s.p. at Ham House, 5 Sep. 1789. He *m.* secondly, 29 April 1791, at ("the house of the Hon. Mr. Tollemache, Piccadilly"), St. Geo. Han. sq., Magdalena, da. of David LEWIS, of Allesley and Solihull, co. Warwick. He *d.* s.p. at Ham House 22 Feb. 1799, in his 63d year and was *bur.* at Helmingham. Will pr. May 1799. His widow *d.* at Hyde Park Corner, Midx., 2 Feb. 1823, and was *bur.* at Helmingham. Will pr. Sep. 1823.

VI. 1799. 6. WILBRAHAM (TOLLEMACHE), EARL OF DYSART, &c. [S.], next br. and h., b. 23 Oct. 1739; was an officer in the Royal Navy and subsequently 1760 in the Army, becoming, finally, Major in the 6th Foot till 1775; was M.P. for Northampton 1771-80, and for Liskeard, 1780-84; High Sheriff of Cheshire (having inherited Woodhey, the estate of the Wilbraham family, in that county), 1785; High Steward of Ipswich. He *m.* 4 Feb. 1773, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Anna Maria (sister of his brother's wife), 1st da. of David LEWIS abovenamed. She who was *b.* 1745 *d.* at Ham House 14 Sep. 1804, aged 49, and was *bur.* 27th at Helmingham. M.I. at Solihull, co. Warwick. He *d.* s.p. at Ham House 9 March 1821, aged 81. Will pr. 1821.

VII. 1821. 7. LOUISA, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF DYSART, &c. [S.], eldest sister^(a) and heir of line. She was *b.* 2 July 1745, *m.* 4 Sep. 1764, at Old Cambus, Haddington, JOHN MANNERS, of Grantham Grange, co. Lincoln. He (who was an illegit. son of Lord William MANNERS, by Corbetta SMITH, which William was 2d s. of John, 2d DUKE OF RUTLAND), was M.P. for Newark, 1754-74, *d.* 23 Sep. and was *bur.* 5 Oct. 1792, at Bottesford, co. Leicester, aged 62. The Countess *d.* 22 Sep. 1840, at Ham House, aged 95. Will pr. Feb. 1841.

(^a) Lady Jane Halliday, her youngest sister (the only other who left issue) was, by her first husband, John-Delap Halliday, mother of Vice Admiral John-Richard-Delap Halliday, who by Royal lic. in 1821 took the name of Tollemache on inheriting Helmingham, co. Suffolk, as also the estates in Cheshire of his mother's ancestors. His son and h. was, in 1876, *cr.* Baron Tollemache of Helmingham.

[Sir WILLIAM MANNERS, Baronet, of Hanby Hall, co. Lincoln, *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER 1821-33, s. and h. ap., *b.* 1766; M.P. for Ilchester, 1803-07; was *cr.* a Baronet, as above, 12 Jany. 1793. He took the surname of *Talmash* only in lieu of Manners by royal lic. 6 April 1821. He *m.* 12 Jany. 1790, Catherine Rebecca, 3d da. of Francis GREY, of Lehena, co. Cork. He *d. v.m.* 11 March 1833. Will *pr.* April 1833. His widow, who was an authoress of some poems, *d.* at Leamington, co. Warwick, 21 March 1852, aged 85. Will *pr.* June 1852.]

VIII. 1840. 8. LIONEL - WILLIAM - JOHN (TALMASH, afterwards TOLLEMACHE), EARL OF DYSART, &c., grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir William TALMASH, Bart., *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER, by Catharine Rebecca, his wife, both abovenamed. He was *b.* 18 Nov. 1794; M.P. for Ilchester, 1827-30, *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER, 1833-40. He *m.* 23 Sep. 1819, his cousin, Maria Elizabeth, 1st da. of Sweeney TOONE, of Keston Lodge, Kent, by (-), da. of Francis GREY, of Lehena, co. Cork, abovenamed. She *d.* in Grosvenor square 15 Feb. 1869, aged 79. He *d.* 23 Sep. 1878, aged 83, at 34 Norfolk street, Strand, Midx.

[WILLIAM-LIONEL-FELIX TOLLEMACHE, *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER, after 1840, s. and h. ap., *b.* 4 July 1820. He *m.* 26 Sept. 1851, at the Roman Catholic chapel, Shepton Mallet, and at St. John's church, East Horrington, Somerset. his cousin, Katherine Elizabeth Camilla, yst. da. of Sir Joseph BURKE, 11th Bart. [I.], of Glinsk, by Louisa, sister of the EARL OF DYSART [S.] next abovenamed. He *d.* 21 Dec. 1872, aged 52. His widow living 1890.]

IX. 1878. 9. WILLIAM JOHN MANNERS (TOLLEMACHE), EARL OF DYSART AND LORD HUNTINGTOWER [S] also a Baronet [1793], only s. and h. *b.* 3 March 1859, at Ham House afsd., *styled* LORD HUNTINGTOWER, 1872-78; Lord Lieut. of Rutland, 1881. He *m.* 19 Nov. 1885, at St. Barnabas, Pimlico, Cecilia Florence, da. of George Onslow NEWTON, of Croxton Park, co. Cambridge, by his second wife, Cecilia-Florence, da. of Edwyn BURNABY, of Baggrave Park, co. Leicester.

Family Estates—These, in 1883, consisted of 18,025 acres in co. Lincoln, 8,420 co. Leicester, 723 co. Surrey, and 22 co. Rutland. *Total* 27,190 acres, worth £44,500 a year. *Principal Residences.* Buckminster Park, near Grantham co. Lincoln, and Ham House, in Petersham, Surrey.

E.

EARDLEY OF SPALDING.

Barony [I.] SIR SAMPSON EARDLEY, formerly GIDEON, Bart., of Belvidere, co. Kent, and of Spalding, co. Lincoln, only s. and h. of Sampson GIDEON, of Stepney, Midx., stockbroker, a Portugese Jew of immense wealth, by Jane, da. of Charles ERMELL, *b.* 1744; *ed.* at Tunbridge School; was, by the influence of his father, *cr.* a Baronet (when but 15 years old) 21 May 1759; *suc.* his father 17 Oct. 1762, and having *m.* 6 Dec. 1766, Maria-Marowe, 1st da. of the Rt. Hon. Sir John-Eardley WILMOT, Ch. Justice of the Common Pleas (1766-71), by Sarah, da. of Thomas RIVETT, of Derby, took, by Royal lic., July 1789, the name of *Eardley*^(a) in lieu of that of Gideon, and was (three months later) 24 Sep. 1789, *cr.* BARON EARDLEY OF SPALDING [I.] He was sometime M.P. for Cambridgeshire, as also for Coventry, in which last election he expended a large sum of money. His wife *d.* 1 March 1794. He *d.* s.p.m.s.^(b) 25 Dec. 1824, aged 80, when all his honours became *extinct*. Will *pr.* Feb. 1825.

EARLSFORT OF LISSON EARL.

i.e., "EARLSFORT OF LISSON EARL, co. Tipperary," Barony [I.] (*Scott*), *cr.* 1784. See "CLONMELL" Viscounty [I.], *cr.* 1789, and Earldom [I.], *cr.* 1793.

EASTNOR OF EASTNOR CASTLE.

i.e., "EASTNOR OF EASTNOR CASTLE, co. Hereford," Viscounty *Sommers-Cocks*, *cr.* 1821, with the Earldom of SOMMERS, which see; both *ex.* 1883.

EASTON.

See "MAYNARD OF Estaines ad Turrim *alias* LITTLE EASTON, co. Essex," Barony (*Maynard*), *cr.* 1628; *ex.* 1775.

See "MAYNARD OF MUCH EASTON, *alias* Easton ad Montem, co. Essex," Barony, and "MAYNARD OF EASTON LODGE, co. Essex" Viscounty (*Maynard*); both *cr.* 28 Oct. 1766, and *ex.* 19 May 1865.

EASTWELL.

See "FITZ-HERBERT OF EASTWELL, co. Kent," Barony (*Finch*), *cr.* 1660; *ex.* 1729.

EATON.

See "GROSVENOR OF EATON, co. Chester," Barony, (*Grosvenor*), *cr.* 1761.

See "CHAWORH OF EATON HALL, co. Hereford, Barony (*Brabazon*), *cr.* 1831.

^(a) His wife was granddaughter of Robert Wilmot, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Edward *Eardley*, of Eardley, co. Stafford, but inasmuch as she had a brother John Wilmot, afterwards *Eardley-Wilmot*, of Berkswell, co. Warwick (whose son Sir John-Eardley *Eardley-Wilmot* was *cr.* a Bart. 1821) she *in no way* represented the Eardley family.

^(b) Both his sons were in the army; the eldest, Sampson, *b.* 1770, *d.* 1824; the youngest, William (a Lieut. Col.), *d.* 1806. Of his three daughters and coheirs (1) Maria-Marowe *m.* Lord Say and Sele (2) Charlotte-Elizabeth, *m.* Sir Culling Smith, Bart., and (3) Selina, *m.* John Walbanke Childers,

EBRINGTON.

i.e., "EBRINGTON, co. Gloucester," Viscounty (*Fortescue*), *cr.* 1789 with the Earldom of FORTESCUE, which see.

EBURY OF EBURY MANOR.

Barony. I. THE RT. HON. LORD ROBERT GROSVENOR, 3d and I. 1857. *yst. s.* of Robert, 1st MARQUESS OF WESTMINSTER, by Eleanor, da. of Thomas (EGERTON), 1st EARL OF WILTON, was *b.* 24 April 1801, at Millbank House, Westminster; *ed.* at Ch. Ch., Oxford; B.A., 1821; was M.P. for Shaftesbury, 1822-26; for Chester (in seven Parls.), 1826-47; and for Middlesex, 1847-57; was P.C., 1831 (being in 1883 the senior); was Comptroller of the Household, 1830-34; Treasurer, 1846-47; and was, 15 Sep. 1847, *cr.* BARON EBURY OF EBURY MANOR, co. Middlesex.^(a) He *m.* 17 May 1831, Charlotte-Arbuthnot, 1st da. of Henry (WELLESLEY), 1st BARON COWLEY OF WELLESLEY, by his 1st wife Charlotte, da. of Charles-Sloane (CADOGAN), 1st EARL CADOGAN. She was *b.* 25 Jany. 1808.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 2,723 acres in Herts and Midx., worth £5,803 a year. *Principal Residence.* Moor Park, near Rickmansworth, Herts.

ECHINGHAM.

Barony by Writ. WILLIAM DE ECHINGHAM, Lord of the manor of Echingham, co. Sussex, s. and h. of William E. of the same, *suc.* his father 1293 and was *sum.* to Parl. as a Baron (LORD ECHINGHAM) by writs from 19 Dec. (1311), 5 Ed. II. to 14 March (1321/2), 15 Ed. II. but never afterwards. He appears to have *d. s.p.* (1326), 20 Ed. II.^(b) when any hereditary *Barony* thus created would have become *extinct.*^(c)

EDDISBURY OF WINNINGTON.

Barony. I. 1848. The RT. HON. EDWARD-JOHN STANLEY, s. and h. ap. of John Thomas, 1st BARON STANLEY OF ALDERLEY, was *v.p.*, *cr.* 12 May 1848, BARON EDDISBURY OF WINNINGTON, co. Chester. On 23 Oct. 1850, he *suc.* his father in the previously named peerage. See "STANLEY OF ALDERLEY, co. Chester," *Barony*, *cr.* 1839, under the 2d Baron.

EDEN OF NORWOOD.

i.e., "EDEN OF NORWOOD, co. Surrey," *Barony* (*Eden*), *cr.* 1839 with the EARLDOM OF AUCKLAND, which see; both *ex.* 1849.

^(a) Of the three sons of the 1st Marquess of Westminster (1) Richard *suc.* his father in 1845 as 2d Marquess (2) Thomas *suc.* his maternal grandfather, in 1814, as Earl of Wilton, while (3) Robert, the *yst. s.*, was, in 1857. *cr.* Baron Ebury; again, in the next generation, of the two only surv. sons of the second Marquess (1) Hugh, the 3d Marquess, was, in 1874, *cr.* Duke of Westminster, while (2) Richard, the *yst. son*, was, in 1886, *cr.* Baron Stalbridge.

^(b) The pedigrees concerning him are very doubtful and contradictory. A good account of them is in Banks's "*Bar. Angl.*," where (*inter alia*) is one giving him for a wife "Joane, da. of John de Arundell, Lord Maltravers," and for a son and heir "Thomas, Baron of Echingham," whose great-great-grandson and h., Sir Edward E., of Bassam, Sussex, was father of two daughters and coheirs who *m.* respectively Hopton and Blennerhasset. Another and more probable pedigree makes this William to die *s.p.* as in the text and to be *suc.* by Robert, his br. and h. (see next note) who *d. s.p.* (1328), 2 Ed. III. and was *suc.* by Simon, br. and h., who *d.* before (1341), 15 Ed. III.

^(c) "Dugdale states that a Robert de Echingham was *sum.* to Parl. 1 Edw. III., but it appears from the writ that he was only summoned to be at Newcastle with horse and arms in that year; he had been summoned on various like occasions to attend King Edw. II.; ob. 1328." [*Courthope.*]

EDENBURGH, see "EDINBURGH."

EDENDERRY.

i.e., "BLUNDELL OF EDENDERRY, King's County," Barony [I.] (*Blundell*), *cr.* 1720 with the VISCOUNTCY OF BLUNDELL [I.], which see; both *ex.* 1756.

EDGCUMBE OF MOUNT-EDGCUMBE.

i.e., "EDGCUMBE OF MOUNT-EDGCUMBE, co. Devon," Barony (*Edgcumbe*), *cr.* 1742; see under "MOUNT-EDGCUMBE." the 3d Baron being *cr.*, in 1781, Viscount and, in 1789, Earl of Mount Edgcumbe.

EDINBURGH or EDENBURGH.

Dukedom. I. 1726. 1. *H.R.H.* FREDERICK-LEWIS, s. and h. ap. of George Augustus, PRINCE OF WALES, afterwards (1727) **King George II**, b. 20 Jany. 1707, was *cr.* (by his grandfather) 26 July 1726, **BARON OF SNAUDON** [Snowdon], co. Carnarvon, **VISCOUNT OF LAUNCESTON**, co. Cornwall, **EARL OF ELTHAM**, co. Kent, **MARQUESS OF THE ISLE OF ELY**, and **DUKE OF EDENBURGH**,^(a) Within a year of that date he became (by the accession of his father to the throne) 11 June 1727, **DUKE OF CORNWALL**, &c., and, on 8 Jany. 1728/9, he was *cr.* **Prince of Wales** and **EARL OF CHESTER**, with (the usual) spec. rem. He *d. v.p.* 20 March 1750/1. See fuller account of him *sub* "CORNWALL," Dukedom of, 1727 to 1751.

II. 1751, 1760. 2. *H.R.H.* GEORGE-WILLIAM-FREDERICK, the Prince of Great Britain and also Electoral Prince of Brunswick-Luneburg, **DUKE OF EDENBURGH**, **MARQUESS OF ELY**, **VISCOUNT LAUNCESTON**, and **BARON SNAUDON**, 1sts. and h. of the above, by Augusta, *yst. da.* of Frederick II. **DUKE OF SAXE-GOTHA**, b. 24 May 1733, at *Norfolk House*, St. James square, and *bap.* the same day; *el. K.G.* 22, *inv.* 23 June 1749, and *inst.* (by proxy) 12 June 1750. He was, a month after he had *suc.* his father, *cr.* 20 April 1751, **Prince of Wales** and **EARL OF CHESTER**, with (the usual) spec. rem. to his heirs, Kings of Great Britain.^(b) By the death of his grandfather, King George II., he, on 25 Oct. 1760, ascended the throne as **George III.** when *all his honours merged in the Crown.*

III. 1764. 1. *H.R.H.* WILLIAM HENRY, 3d s. of Frederick, PRINCE OF WALES, was, on 19 Nov. 1764, *cr.*^(c) by his br. King George III. **DUKE OF GLOUCESTER AND EDENBURGH** [G.B.] as also **EARL OF CONNAUGHT** [I.] He *d.* 25 Aug. 1805, aged 61.

IV. 1805, 1834. 2. *H.R.H.*^(d) WILLIAM FREDERICK, **DUKE OF GLOUCESTER AND EDENBURGH**, &c., only s. and h. He *d.* s.p. 30 Nov. 1834, aged 58, when *all his honours* became *extinct.*

} See fuller particulars under "GLOUCESTER" Dukedom of, *cr.* 1764; *ex.* 1834.

^(a) So spelt.

^(b) See a [fudged] certificate of his marriage (when Prince of Wales) 17 April 1759, with Hannah Lightfoot, in the "Annual Reg." for 1866, p. 227, quoted in the trial of "Ryves v. the Attorney General."

^(c) "No separate Dukedom of Edinburgh was created by this patent [1764]; one Dukedom only was created [thereby] which was of the two cities of Gloucester and Edinburgh." [Courthope.]

^(d) The style of *Royal Highness* was allowed to him 22 July 1816.

V. 1866. 1. *H.R.H.* ALFRED-ERNEST-ALBERT, Prince of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and, also, Duke of Saxony, 2d s. of **Queen Victoria**, by *H.R.H.* ALBERT, PRINCE CONSORT, Prince of Saxe Coburg and Gotha and Duke of Saxony, was b. 6 Aug. 1844, at Windsor Castle; entered the Royal Navy, 1858, becoming an Admiral in 1887; Knight Grand Cross of the Tower and Sword of Portugal, March 1859; was elected King of Greece, Dec. 1862 but refused that dignity; **K.G.**, 10 June 1863; Knight of the Black Eagle of Prussia, May 1864; **K.T.**, 15 Oct. 1864; **P.C.**, 9 May 1866, and was *cr.* 24 May 1866, **EARL OF ULSTER**,^(a) **EARL OF KENT**, and **DUKE OF EDINBURGH**; ^(b) **G.C.M.G.**, 2 July 1869; **G.C.S.I.**, 7 Feb. 1870; **G.C.S.I.**, 1878; **K.P.**, 14 May 1880; Knight of the Red Eagle of Russia, 1883; Grand Cross of Charles III. of Spain, 1887; Knight of the Golden Fleece of Spain, 1888; **G.C.B.**, 1889. He *m.* 23 Jany. 1874, at St. Petersburg, the Grand Duchess Marie-Alexandrovna, da. of **Alexander II. Emperor of Russia**, by Marie, da. of Louis II. GRAND DUKE OF HESSE. She was b. 5 Oct. 1853; **V.A.** (1st class) and **C.I.**

[*H.R.H.* Prince ALFRED-ALEXANDER-WILLIAM-ERNEST-ALBERT,^(c) only s. and h. ap., b. at Buckingham Palace, Midx., 15 Oct. and *bap.* there 23 Nov. 1874.]

EDINGTON.

See "TWEEDMOUTH OF EDINGTON, co. Berwick," Barony (*Marjoribanks*), *cr.* 1881.

EDIRDALE.

i.e., "EDIRDALE, *alias* ARDMANACH," Earldom [S.] (*Stewart*), *cr.* 1488 with the **DUKEDOM OF ROSS** [S.] which see; both *ex.* 1504.

EDNAM.

i.e., "EDNAM, of Ednam, co. Roxburgh," Viscounty (*Ward*), *cr.* 1827, with the **EARLDOM OF DUDLEY**," which see; both *ex.* 1833.

i.e., "EDNAM, of Ednam, co. Roxburgh," Viscounty (*Ward*), *cr.* 1860, with the **EARLDOM OF DUDLEY**, which see.

EDRINGTON.

Barony by Writ. HENRY DE EDRINGTON, of Edrington, co. Warwick, said to be s. and h. of Henry E. of the same, by Maud, da. and eventually coheir of Roger de Someri, feudal Lord of Dudley, was knighted (**K.B.**) 1306 and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (**LORD EDRINGTON**) by writ 22 Jany. (1335/6), 9 Ed. III. but never afterwards. He *m.* Joane, da. and coheir of Sir Thomas DE WOLVEY, of Wolvey, co. Warwick, and had issue, Giles Edrington, who obtained remission for knighthood (1345), 19 Ed. III, and whose great grandson Thomas E. was, *temp.* Hen. VI., the last of that family who was of Edrington afsd.

^(a) Thus the historic Earldom of Ulster, being joined with another *Earldom*, becomes to all practical purposes lost unless the like loss happens to the Earldom of Kent.

^(b) See as to one title being from each Kingdom vol. ii, p. 345, note "a," *sub* "Connaught," and see also for a list of royal titles, vol. ii, p. 375, note "a," *sub* "Cornwall."

^(c) See as to the custom in England (for in France, &c., it is otherwise) of the eldest son of a *Royal Duke* *not* using one of his father's Peerages as a courtesy title, in an interesting article on "*Royal titles of Peerage*," in "*Her. and Gen.*, vol. iv, pp. 172-173, where, also, the creation of "*Edinburgh*," in 1866, is fully discussed.

EFFINGHAM.^(a)

- Barony.** I. LORD THOMAS HOWARD, yr. s. of Thomas, 2d DUKE OF NORFOLK, being the eldest son by the *second* wife, Agnes, da. of Hugh, and sister and h. of Sir Philip TILNEY, was *b.* about 1510; attended Henry VIII. in Oct. 1532 at the field of the cloth of Gold; Deputy Earl Marshal at the coronation of Queen Ann Boleyn, 1 June 1533; Ambassador to Edinburgh for the investment of James V. [S.] with the Garter, 21 Feb. 1534/5,^(b) and again March to May 1536; Ambassador to France, 1537 and 1541. He, with his wife, was convicted of high treason in 1542 for complicity with his niece, Queen Katharine Howard, but was pardoned 1544 and served at the siege of Boulogne in 1545. On 19 March 1551, he received a grant of the manor of Effingham, &c. P.C. to Edward VI., Queen Mary, and Queen Eliz. Lord Deputy of Calais, 1552-54. He was on 11 March 1553/4, *cr.* BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM,^(c) co. Surrey; took an active part against Wyatt's rebellion in 1554; LORD GREAT ADMIRAL of England, 1554-58; **K.G.**, 9 Oct. 1554. At the accession of Elizabeth he became (1558-72) Chamberlain of the Household and Lord Privy Seal, July 1572 till his death.^(d) He was also Lord Lieut. of Surrey, 1559-73; and was *cr.* M.A. of Cambridge, 10 Aug. 1564, and of Oxford, 6 Sept. 1566. He *m.* Katharine, sister and coheir of John BROUGHTON, da. of John B., of Tuddington, Beds, by Agnes, da. and heir of Sir John SAPCOTE. She *d. s.p. m.* 23 April 1535 and was *bur.* at Lambeth, Surrey. *M.I.* He *m. secondly*, before 1536, Margaret, 3d da. of Sir Thomas GAMAGE, of Coity, co. Glamorgan, by Mary, da. of Sir John ST. JOHN, of Bletshoe, Beds. He *d.* at Hampton Court (or at Reigate) 11 (or 21) Jan. 1572/3, and was *bur.* the 29th at Reigate. Will dat. 6 May 1569, pr. 16 June 1573. *Inq. post mortem*, at Southwark, 13 June 1573. His widow *d.* 18 and was *bur.* 19 May 1581 at Reigate.
- II. 1573—1603, 2. CHARLES (HOWARD), BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM s. and h. by second wife, *b.* 1536, was LORD HIGH ADMIRAL 1585, and as such, was in command at the defeat of the Spanish Armada in 1588, as also at the capture of Cadiz in 1596. He was 22 Oct. 1596, *cr.* EARL OF NOTTINGHAM.^(e) He *d.* 14 Dec. 1624, aged 88. See fuller particulars under "NOTTINGHAM," Earldom of, *cr.* 1596; *ex.* 1681.
- III. 1603—1615. 3. WILLIAM (HOWARD), BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, 1st s. and h. ap. of the above, by his first wife Catharine, da. of Henry (CAREY), 1st BARON HUNSDON, *b.* 27 Dec. 1577, and *cap.* 3 Jan. 1577/8, at Reigate; knighted at Cadiz, 27 June 1596; *styled* LORD HOWARD, since 22 Oct. 1596; M.P. for Surrey 1597—1601, till sum. v.p. to the House of Lords in his Father's Barony (as above) by writs, 19 March 1602/3 to 5 April 1614. He was *cr.* M.A. at Oxford,

^(a) See "the Howards of Effingham, by Granville Leveson-Gower, Esq., F.S.A.," in the "Surrey Arch. collections," vol. ix, pp. 395-436.

^(b) See list of these Garter missions, vol. ii, p. 192, note "a," *sub* "Cathcart."

^(c) In Collins' "Precedents," p. 328, this title is included among "Instances where the title of honour has been in the *surname* and not in the *place* and yet, by mistake, or corruption of time, such peers have writ themselves or have been written by others by the *name* of the *place* and *not* by their true title of the *surname*." It is there stated that all thro' the reign of Queen Mary the grantee is "entered all along in the Sessions *Dominus Howard de Effingham* or *Dominus Howard Admirallus*, without Effingham; but in 1 Jac. I (19, 22, and 26 March) entered *Dominus Effingham*; in subscribing the declaration May 4 1689, and March 20 1689, he writes *Effingham*, but at the same time in the list of those who took the oaths he is entered Francis *Lord Howard of Effingham*.

^(d) "Few men played a more important part than he did both in the reigns of Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth. At the accession of Queen Elizabeth, says Froude (*Hist. of Engl.*, vol. vi, 180), the Howard family was represented by William, Lord of Effingham, to whom, above all other Englishmen, Elizabeth owed her life and throne." See "Howards of Effingham," as in note "a," above.

^(e) His father was great grandson to Sir Robert Howard, by Margaret da. of Thomas (Mowbray), Duke of Norfolk and *Earl of Nottingham*.

30 Aug. 1605.^(a) He *m.* 7 Feb. 1596/7, at Chelsea, Ann, da. and h. of John (ST. JOHN), 2d BARON ST. JOHN OF BLETSO, by Catharine, da. of Sir William DORMER. He *d.* v.p. and s.p.m.^(b) at Hampton, Midx, 28 Nov. 1615, aged 38, and was *bur.* at Chelsea, when the *Barony* reverted to his *Father*. Admon. 5 Jan. 1615/6. His widow *d.* in St. Bartholomew's close, London, 7 and was *bur.* 8 June 1638 (with her mother) at Westm. Abbey, Admon., as "of Hawnes, Beds" 20 June 1638. Fun. certif. at Pub. Record office.

IV. 1624. 4. CHARLES (HOWARD), EARL OF NOTTINGHAM, and BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, next br. (of the whole blood) to the above, being 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. male of William, Earl of Nottingham, and Baron Howard of Effingham (by his first wife) abovenamed, whom he *suc.* in the family honours. He *d.* s.p. 3 Oct. 1642, aged 65.

V. 1642. 5. CHARLES (HOWARD), EARL OF NOTTINGHAM, and BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, next br. (of the half blood) to the above, being yst. and only surv. s. and h. male of William, Earl of Nottingham, and Baron Howard of Effingham, by his second wife, Margaret, da. of James (STEWART), EARL OF MORAY [S.] He *d.* s.p. 26 April 1681, aged 77, when the *Earldom of Nottingham* became *extinct*.

See fuller account under "NOTTINGHAM" Earldom of, cr. 1596; cr. 1681.

VI. 1681. 6. FRANCIS (HOWARD), BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Sir Charles Howard, of Eastwick in Great Bookham, Surrey (*d.* 20 March 1672/3), by Frances, da. of Sir George COURTHOPE, of Whiligh in Ticehurst, Sussex, which Charles was s. and h. of Sir Francis H. of Eastwick afsd. (*d.* 7 July 1651), s. and h. of Sir William H. of Lingfield, Sussex (*d.* 2 Sep. 1600), who was 2d s. of William, 1st Baron Howard of Effingham, by his second wife. He was *bap.* 17 Sep. 1643, at Great Bookham. He was GOVERNOR OF VIRGINIA, 1683. He took his seat in the House of Lords 3 May 1689. He resided chiefly at Hale House, Little Chelsea, in Kensington, Midx. He *m.* firstly, 8 July 1673, at Crowhurst, Sussex, Philadelphia, da. of Sir Thomas PELHAM, Bart., of Laughton, by his 3d wife, Margaret, da. of Sir Henry VANE. She, who was *b.* at St. Michael's, Lewes, 6 Oct. 1654, *d.* in Virginia 13 Aug. 1685, aged 31, and was *bur.* at Lingfield, 10 July 1684. M.I. He *m.* secondly, 20 Jany. 1689/90, at St. Giles in the fields (mar. lic. 16th at Fac. off.), Susan, widow of Philip HARBORD, of Stanninghall, Norfolk, da. of Sir Henry FELTON, Bart., of Playford, Suffolk, by Susan, da. of Sir Lionel TOLLEMACHE, Bart. He *d.* in Virginia 30 March 1695, and was *bur.* (from St. Giles in the fields) at Lingfield afsd. on 5 April 1695. His will dat. 20 Dec. 1694, pr. 1 June 1695.^(c) His widow who was aged about 40 in Jany. 1689/90, *d.* 11 Dec. 1726, and was *bur.* at Playford. M.I. Will dat. 8 Dec. 1726, pr. 28 March 1727.

^(a) On the occasion of the King's visit to Oxford, on 30 Aug. 1605, the following were *created* M.A., viz: The Duke of Lennox [S.], the Earl of Northumberland, the Earl of Oxford, the Earl of Essex, the Earl of Pembroke, the Earl of Montgomery, Viscount Cranborne (*i.e.* William Cecil, so *styled*, s. and h. ap. of the Earl of Salisbury) the Bishop of Oxford [*i.e.* John Bridges, 1604-18] "Baron Walden," [*i.e.* Theophilus Howard, so *styled*, s. and h. ap. of the Earl of Suffolk] "Baron Effingham, Baron de La Ware, Lord Chandos, Lord Compton" [afterwards the 1st Earl of Northampton], "Baron Bruce of Kynghoyse" [S.], "Lord Erskine" [*i.e.* John Erskine, so *styled*, s. and h. ap. of the Earl of Mar in Scotland] with 20 Knights and 8 Esquires. The Earls of Rutland, Worcester and Northampton, who were already of the degree of M.A., voted, as such, on this occasion, while the Earls of Suffolk and Salisbury, each of whom was M.A. of Cambridge, were "incorporated" M.A. of Oxford. See Clark's "Register of the Univ. of Oxford, 1571-1622, vol. ii, part i, p. 236.

^(b) His only da. and h. Elizabeth (the heir *general* of the first Baron) *b.* 19 Jan. 1602/3; *m.* 7 April 1621, John (Mordaunt), 1st Earl of Peterborough and *d.* his widow, Nov. 1671, leaving issue.

^(c) He and his issue do not appear to be in remainder to the Dukedom of Norfolk as restored by act of Parl. 29 Dec. 1660, or to the office of Earl Marshal of England as *cr.* 19 Oct. 1672, the reversion of these dignities having been (as far as this branch of the Howard family goes) limited to the 3d Earl of Nottingham (5th Lord Howard of Effingham) and the heirs male of his body.

VII. 1695. 7. THOMAS (HOWARD), BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. by first wife ^(a), *b.* at Hale House, and *bap.* 7 July 1682, at Kensington. Was Gent. of the Bedchamber to Prince George of Denmark, 1706-08, and an officer in the 1st troop of Horse Guards. Took his seat in the House of Lords, 9 Nov. 1703. He *m.* firstly, 11 or 25 Feb. 1706/7, Mary, only da. and h. of Ruishe WENTWORTH, of Sarre in the Isle of Thanet and "of Ireland," by Susanna, sister of James ADYE, of Barham, co. Kent. She, who was "a fortune" ^(b), *d.* 29 May, and was *bur.* 4 June 1718, at Lingfield. He *m.* secondly, 25 Jan. 1721/2, Elizabeth, widow of Sir Theophilus NAPIER, Bart., da. of John ROTHERAM, of Much Waltham, co. Essex. He *d.* s.p.m., at Spa, 13 July 1725, and was *bur.* 4 Aug. at Lingfield. Will (signed "Effingham"), dat. 14 May 1725 pr. 5 Aug. following ^(c). His widow *m.* (settl. dated 11 Sep. 1728) as his second wife, Sir Conyers DARCY, K.B., who *d.* 1 Dec. 1758. She *d.* 30 Nov. 1741, aged 51, and was *bur.* 15 Dec. at Lingfield. Will dat. 10 Jany. 1740/1, pr. 2 Jany. 1741/2.

VIII. 1725. 8. and 7. FRANCIS (HOWARD), BARON HOWARD OF Earldom. EFFINGHAM, br. and h. male of the whole blood, *b.* at Hale House and *bap.* 20 Oct. 1683 at Kensington. On 8 Dec. 1731, he was *cr.* EARL I. 1731. OF EFFINGHAM, co. Surrey, and took his seat as such 13 Jany. following, having been constituted, 13 Dec. 1731, DEPUTY EARL MARSHAL. He had entered the army in 1722, was in 1731 Lieut.-Col. of the Horse Grenadier Guards; in 1732 Col. of the 20th Reg. of Foot; in 1737 Col. of the 2nd Horse Grenadier Guards; in 1739 a Brigadier General, and in 1740 Col. of the 4th Horse Guards. He *m.* firstly, 23 Feb. 1712/3, at St. James', Westm., Diana, da. of Lieut.-Gen. Fergus O'FARRELL, of Ireland. He *m.* secondly, 23 May 1728, by spec. lic., at St. Dunstan's in the East, London, Annie, sister of Robert BRISTOW, Commissioner of the Board of Greencloth, da. of Robert Bristow, and Sarah, his wife. He *d.* 12 Feb. 1742/3, and was *bur.* 13th at Great Bookham. Will, &c., dat. 27 Aug. to 8 Sep. 1742 (at Ghent) pr. 25 Feb. 1742/3. His widow, who was one of the Ladies of the Bedchamber, *d.* 15 Nov. 1774 at Hampton Court, Midx., and was *bur.* 22d at Great Bookham. Will dat. 20 April and pr. 1 Dec. 1774 ^(d).

Earldom. }
II. }
Barony. } 1743.
IX. }

2 and 9. THOMAS (HOWARD) EARL OF EFFINGHAM and BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, s. and h. by 1st wife. He was *b.* about 1714; was *styled* Lord Howard, 1731-43; and was on 16 April 1743 constituted DEPUTY EARL MARSHAL. Having entered the army in 1739 he became Lieut.-Col. of the 2nd Horse Guards, 1743; Aide-de-camp to the King, 1749; Col. of 34th Foot 1754; Col. of the 1st Gren. Guards, and Lieut.-Gen. in the army, 1760. He *m.*, 14 Feb. 1744/5, at St. James' Westm., Elizabeth, sister of William Beckford (Lord Mayor of London, 1770), da. of Peter BECKFORD, of St. Catherine's, Jamaica, by Bathshua, da. and coheir of Col. Julines HERING. He *d.* 19 Nov. 1763, and was *bur.* 26 at Great Bookham. Will dat. 7 Oct. 1745, pr. 15 March 1764. His widow, who was *b.* 18 and *bap.* 23 Feb. 1725 at St. Catherine's, Jamaica, afsd., and who was one of the Ladies of the Bedchamber, *m.* 21 May 1776 at St. Geo. Han. sq., as his 2d wife, Field Marshal Sir George HOWARD, K.B., who *d.* 16 July 1796, aged 78. She *d.* 13 Oct. 1791, and was *bur.* 20th at Great Bookham. Admon. May 1792.

(a) His elder br., Hon. Charles Howard, *b.* 25 and *bap.* 28 Nov. 1676 at Great Bookham; *d.* unm. 11 April 1694, a year before his father, and was *bur.* at Lingfield.

(b) Le Neve's "memoranda."

(c) "A very pretty modest young gentleman; hath a great many good things in him" [Macky's "Characters."]

(d) Her death occurred by fright from her clothes having taken fire as she sat reading "at her apartments in Hampton Court" (which place of her death is sworn to by her nephew and executor, George Bristow), tho' according to "Collins" (Vol. v. p. 26) it was "at her house in George Street, Hanover Square."

Earldom. }
 III. }
 Barony. } 1763.
 X. }

8 and 10 THOMAS (HOWARD), EARL OF EFFINGHAM, AND BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, s. and h., b. 13 and *hap.* 21 Jan'y. 1746, at St. Geo. Han. sq., *styled* LORD HOWARD till 1763; entered the army 1762; becoming a Lieut. Col. in 1782; DEPUTY EARL MARSHAL, 1777-82; Treasurer of the Household, 1782-83; Master of the Mint, 1784-89, and finally (1789-91) Governor of

Jamaica. He *m.* 14 Oct. 1765, at Haddington, in Scotland, and again 29 Aug. 1766, at Rothwell, co. York, Catharine, da. of Metcalfe PROCTOR, of Thorpe, near Leeds, co. York, by his 1st wife, Martha, da. of John DISNEY, of Lincoln. She, who was *hap.* 16 Oct. 1746, at Rothwell afsd., *d.* at sea on board H.M. ship "*Diana*," 14 Oct. 1791. He *d.* s.p. a month afterwards at the Government House in Jamaica 19 Nov. 1791. Admon. Feb. and will pr. May 1792.^(a)

Earldom. }
 IV. }
 Barony. } 1791.
 XI. }

4 and 11. RICHARD (HOWARD), EARL OF EFFINGHAM, AND BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, br. and h., b. and *hap.* 21 Feb. 1747/8, at St. Geo. Han. sq., entered the army, 1763, becoming Lieut. 1st Horse Guards, 1768. Secretary and Comptroller of the Household to the Queen Consort, 1784-1814. Treasurer thereof, 1814. F.S.A., 1784. He *m.*, 14 June 1785, at

St. Geo. Han. sq., Harriet Elizabeth, da. and coheir of John MARSH, of Waresley Park, co. Huntingdon. He *d.* s.p. 10 Dec. 1816, in his 69th year, at the Grange, near Rotherham, co. York, and was *bur.* in Rotherham Church, when the *Earldom of Effingham* (created in 1731), became *extinct*. Will pr. 1817. His widow *d.* 7 March and was *bur.* 1827, at Lyndhurst, Hants. Will pr. March 1827.

Barony. }
 XII. 1816. }
 Earldom. }
 V. 1837. }

12 and 1. KENNETH ALEXANDER (HOWARD), BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, cousin and h. male, being only s. and h. of Henry Howard, of Tower House, Arundel, Sussex, by his 2d wife, Maria, sister of Kenneth, 1st EARL OF SEAFORTH [L.], da. of Kenneth, MACKENZIE, *styled* VISCOUNT FORTROSE, which Henry was 2d s. but h. male of Lieut.-Gen. Thomas Howard, of Great Bookham, Surrey, 3d but 1st surv. s. and h. of George H. of the same, who was next br. to Francis, 6th Baron Howard of Effingham, abovenamed. He was b. 29 Nov. and *hap.* 25 Dec. 1767, at St. Anne's, Manchester; entered the army 1786, was in command at Vittoria and Nive, becoming finally, 1837, General in the army and Col. of the 3rd Foot, 1832. K.C.B., 12 April 1815; Knight of the Tower and Sword of Portugal: G.C.B., 17 March 1820; Deputy Earl Marshal for the coronation of George IV, in July 1821; and was, 27 Jan. 1837, *cr.* EARL OF EFFINGHAM. He *m.* 27 May 1800 at St. Geo. Han. Sq. Charlotte, da. of Neil (PRIMROSE), 3d EARL OF ROSEBURY [S.], by his 2d wife, Mary, da. of Sir Francis VINCENT, Bart. He *d.* 13 Feb. 1845, at Brighton, aged 77. Will pr. April 1845. His widow, who was b. 27 Aug. 1776, at Holland House, Kensington, *m.* 30 April 1858 (being then in her 82d year !!) at Preston, near Brighton, Thomas HOLMES, a Scripture Reader. She *d.* 17 Sep. 1864, at Brighton in her 89th year. Will pr. Dec. 1864.

Earldom. }
 VI. }
 Barony. } 1845.
 XIII. }

2 and 13. HENRY (HOWARD), EARL OF EFFINGHAM, AND BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM, s. and h. b. 23 Aug. 1806, at Southampton; ed. at Harrow and at Oriel Coll., Oxford; matric. 26 Oct. 1824; entered the army, 1825; was *styled* LORD HOWARD, 1837-45; M.P. for Shaftesbury, 1841-45. He *m.* 18 Aug. 1832, at St. Geo., Han. Sq., Eliza, da. of Gen. Sir Gordon DRUMMOND, G.C.B.

^(a) There are several notices of the 3d Earl, a somewhat eccentric character, in Wraxall's "*Memoirs*" mentioning his sympathy with the Gordon rioters, with the Americans, in the American war, &c. When Treasurer of the Household he carried his official wand *together* with his baton as Deputy Earl Marshal, and was consequently nicknamed "*The Devil on two Sticks*." As to his partiality for "*a dirty scirt*" [*skit*] see vol. i, p. 352, note "a," *sub* "*Bessborough*," among the principal delights of the *Men of Fashion* in 1782.

by (—) da. of William RUSSELL, of Brancepeth Castle, co. Durham. He *d.* at 57 Eaton Place, Midx., 5 Feb. 1889, in his 83d year and was *bur.* at Hardwicke, near Bicester, Oxon. Personalty sworn at £61,759. His widow living 1890.

Earldom.	} 1889.	3 and 1/4 HENRY (HOWARD), EARL OF EFFINGHAM [1837] and BARON HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM [1554], s. and h. <i>b.</i> 7 Feb. 1837, <i>styled</i> LORD HOWARD till 1889; ed at Harrow and at Ch. Ch. Oxford, matric. 7 June 1855. He <i>m.</i> 31 Oct. 1865, at Geo. Han. Sq., Victoria Francisca, 1st da. of Mons. A. BOYER, of Paris.
VII.		
Barony.		
XIV.		

[HENRY-ALEXANDER GORDON HOWARD, *styled* LORD HOWARD, since 1889, s. and h. ap., *b.* 15 Aug. 1866.]

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 3,376 acres in Oxfordshire, 1,445 in the west riding of Yorkshire and 910 in co. Northampton. *Total* 5,731 acres, worth £7,942 a year. *Principal Residence.* Tusmore House, near Bicester, Oxon.

EGERTON OF TATTON.

Barony. I. 1859. 1. WILLIAM-TATTON EGERTON, of Tatton Park, Cheshire, s. and h. of Wilbraham EGERTON, formerly TATTON,^(a) of the same by Elizabeth, 2d da. of Sir Christopher SYKES, Bart, was *b.* 30 Dec. 1806, *hap.* at Rosthernie, co. Chester; M.P. for Lymington, 1830-32; for North Cheshire, 1832-58; and was *cr.* 15 May 1859, BARON EGERTON OF TATTON, co. Chester. Lord Lieut. of co. Chester, 1868-83. He *m.* 18 Dec. 1830, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Charlotte Elizabeth, 1st da. of John (LOFTUS), 2d MARQUESS OF ELY [1], by Anna Maria, da. of Sir Henry Watkin DASHWOOD, Bart. She, who was *b.* 22 April 1811, *d.* suddenly 11 Sep. 1878, at Homburgh. He *d.* 21 Feb. 1883, aged 76 at Tatton Park afsd.

II. 1883. 2. WILBRAHAM (EGERTON), BARON EGERTON OF TATTON, s. and h. *b.* 17 Jan. 1832, and *hap.* at Rostherne afsd.; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; B.A., 2d class law and mod. history, 1854; M.A., 1862. M.P. for North Cheshire, 1858-63, and for Mid. Cheshire, 1868-83. An ecclesiastical commissioner, 1880. He *m.* 14 Oct. 1857, at Riverhead, co. Kent, Mary Sarah, 1st da. of William Pitt (AMHERST), 2nd EARL AMHERST, by GERTRUDE, da. of the Hon. Hugh PERCY, Bishop of Carlisle. She was *b.* 8 May 1837, and *hap.* 10 June, at Marylebone.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 8,876 acres in Cheshire; 1,870 in Lancashire, 424 in Derbyshire and 389 in co. Durham. *Total* 11,559 acres, worth £32,490 a year. *Principal Residence.* Tatton Park, near Knutsford, Cheshire.

EGLINTON or EGLINTOUN.

Earldom [S.] I. 1508. 1. HUGH (MONTGOMERIE), LORD MONTGOMERIE [S.], s. and h. of Alexander, 2d LORD MONTGOMERIE [S.], by Catharine, da. of Gilbert (KENNEDY), 1st LORD KENNEDY [S.], was *b.* 1459-60, *suc.* his father when under the age of 21; was P.C. to King James IV. [S.]; Constable of Rothessay Castle, 1489; Bailie of Cunningham, 1498 (the grant of which involved him in fierce disputes with the family of Cunningham of Glencairn); and was *cr.* (between 8 and 20) Jany. 1507/8, EARL OF EGLINTOUN [S.]; was one of the Counsellors to the Queen Dowager [S.], 1513-14; Justice Gen. of the Northern

(^a) This Wilbraham, was s. and h. of William Tatton, of Wythenshaw in Northenden, co. Chester, by Hester, sister and h. of Samuel Egerton, of Tatton Park, near Knutsford in that county. It might be supposed that Tatton Park was inherited from the family of Tatton, but such was not the case. It was derived from the Hon. Thomas Egerton, of Tatton Park afsd (3d son of John, 2d Earl of Bridgwater) father of John E. of the same, who was the father of the said Samuel Egerton and Hester Tatton.

parts of Scotland, 1526-27; and one of the administrators of the Realm [S.], 1536. He *m.* 21 April 1478, at the parish church of Dolar, Helen, 3d da. of Colin (CAMPBELL), 1st EARL OF ARGYLL [S.], by Isabel, da. and coheir of John STEWART, Lord of Lorn. She was living in 1500. He *d.*, late in June 1545, in his 85th year, having lived during the reigns of five Sovereigns of Scotland.

[ALEXANDER MONTGOMERIE, MASTER OF MONTGOMERIE, s. and h. ap., living 1 June 1498, when he was contracted in marriage, but *d.* unm. and v.p. soon afterwards.]

[JOHN MONTGOMERIE, MASTER OF EGLINTOUN (1508-20) and formerly MASTER OF MONTGOMERIE, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Sir Archibald EDMONSTOUN, of Duntreath, and *d.* v.p., being killed in a fray called "*Cleanse the Causeway*" at Edinburgh 28 April 1520].

[ARCHIBALD MONTGOMERIE, MASTER OF EGLINTOUN (1520-26), 1st s. and h. ap. of the abovenamed John and grandson and h. ap. of Earl Hugh abovenamed. He *d.* s.p. in the lifetime of his grandfather, soon after Nov. 1526].

II. 1545. 2. HUGH (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTOUN, &c. [S.], grandson and h., being 2d but only surv. s. and h. of John Montgomerie, Master of Eglintoun, and Elizabeth, his wife, both abovenamed. He *m.* before Feb. 1530/1 (by dispensation) his third cousin Mariota (whose marriage with the Master of Borthwick had been annulled at the same date), da. of George (SETON), 3d LORD SETON [S.], by Janet, da. of Patrick (HEPBURN), 1st EARL OF BOTHWELL [S.]. He *d.* 3 Sep. 1546, at Monkredding, near Kilwinning, and was *bur.* in the Monastery there. His widow was living 1548.

III. 1546. 3. HUGH (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTOUN, &c. [S.], s. and h. under age in 1546. He fought on the side of Queen Mary, at Langside, 13 May 1568, but submitted to James VI [S.], in April 1571, and sat in the parl. of Sep. 1571. He *m.* firstly (contract 13 Feb. 1554/5, fulfilling a previous one of Oct. 1545 stipulating that the Lady should have 4000 marks), Jean, yst. da. of James (HAMILTON), EARL OF ARRAN [S.], Regent of Scotland, by Margaret, da. of James (DOUGLAS), EARL OF MORTON [S.]. This marriage, of which there was no issue was dissolved in 1562, the parties being within the fourth degree of consanguinity.^(a) He *m.* secondly Agnes, widow of Sir Hugh CAMPBELL, da. and coheir of Sir John DRUMMOND, of Innerpefferay, by Lady Margaret STEWART, illegit. da. of King James IV. [S.]. He *d.* 3 June 1585. His widow *m.* in 1588, Patrick (DRUMMOND), 3d LORD DRUMMOND [S.], and *d.* 1589.

IV. 1585. 4. HUGH (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTOUN, &c. [S.], s. and h. He *m.* (contract, May 1576), Egidia, 1st da. of Robert BOYD, 4th LORD BOYD [S.], by Margaret, da. of Sir John COLQUHOUN. He was assassinated by his rivals, of the house of Cunningham, being shot (within a year of his succession) while riding, near Stirling, 18 April 1586.^(b)

V. 1586. 5. HUGH (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTOUN, &c. [S.], only s. and h. an infant at his father's death; was in great favour with the king, who arranged a marriage (contract April 1598) between him and the Lady Gabriela STEWART, sister to the DUKE OF LENNOX [S.], which, however, probably owing to her death, never took place. He had a grant, of the abbey lands of Kilwinning, erected into a Lordship, 5 Jan. 1603/4. He *m.* his cousin, Margaret

(a) The lady *d.* in 1596. Mon. at Holyroodhouse.

(b) "He was a nobleman of a fair and large stature, comely and of good appearance, which is thus celebrated by John Johnston.

*Vix aliquem ut credas mortali semine cretum,
Ast quales tulerunt saccula prisca deos."*

See Wood's "Douglas," vol. i, p. 500. Mr. J. J's scanning seems eccentric.

(*b.* about 1583) only *da.* and *h.* of his paternal uncle the Hon. Robert MONTGOMERIE, of Giffen, in Ayrshire (sometimes called Master of Eglintoun, as being their *presumptive* to that Earldom) by Jean, (afterwards DUCHESS OF LENNOX [S.]) *da.* of Sir Matthew CAMPBELL, of Loudoun. Having no issue, the Earl by deed, dat. 28 Nov. 1611, settled the "*comitatus*" of Eglintoun (failing the heir male of his body), on Sir Alexander Seton, of Foulstruther, Thomas Seton and John Seton, the three younger sons of Margaret, *dow.* COUNTESS OF WINTOUN [S.], his aunt (eldest *da.* of Hugh [MONTGOMERIE], 3d EARL OF EGLINTOUN above-named) to them and the heirs male of their bodies respectively, bearing the name and arms of Montgomerie. He *d.* *s.p.*, the next year, 1612. His widow *m.* (as his first wife) Robert (BOYD), 5th LORD BOYD [S.], who *d.* Aug. 1628, aged 33. She was living 4 March 1615/6, but probably *d.* not long afterwards.

VI. 1612, 6. ALEXANDER (SETON, afterwards MONTGOMERIE), EARL
or OF EGLINTOUN and LORD MONTGOMERIE [S.], cousin (*ex parte materna*)
1615. and heir according to the settlement of 1611, being 3d but 2d *surv. s.*
of Robert (SETON), 1st EARL OF WINTOUN [S.], by Margaret, 1st *da.*
of Hugh (MONTGOMERIE), 3d EARL OF EGLINTOUN [S.] By royal
charter 24 March 1615, he was confirmed in the peerage dignities,^(a) as settled in
1611 (in the entail of the *comitatus* by the late Earl) as "*Earl of Eglintoun and Lord
Montgomery*" [S.] to him and "his heirs male of entail and provision."^(b) At the Cor-
onation of Charles I. at Holyrood, 18 June 1633, he carried "*the spurs.*" He, however,
took an active part with the Parliament party against that king, being popularly called
"*Grey Steel*" on account of his intrepid courage; was a ruling elder of the Church
[S.] and fought against the king at Marston Moor in 1643; in 1650, however, he was
Capt. of the Horse Guards to Charles II. and was imprisoned for his cause till the
Restoration. He *m.* firstly, before 1613, Ann, 1st *da.* of Alexander (LIVINGSTONE), 1st
EARL OF LINLITHGOW [S.], by Eleanor, *da.* of Andrew (HAY), 7th EARL OF ERROLL
[S.] She, who had been maid of honour to Ann, the Queen Consort of James I., *d.*
Nov. 1632. He *m.* secondly, Margaret, widow of James (ROSS), LORD ROSS [S.] (who
d. Dec. 1633), 1st *da.* of Walter (SCOTT), 1st LORD SCOTT OF BUCCLEUCH [S.], by
Mary, *da.* of Sir William KER. By her, who *d.* 3 Oct. 1651, he had no issue. He *d.*
7 Jan. 1661, in his 73d year.

VII. 1661. 7. HUGH (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTOUN, &c., *s.*
and *h.* by 1st wife, *b.* 8 April 1613; a gallant Cavalier, being
in 1643 at Marston Moor on the King's side in opposition to his father. He was
excepted out of Cromwell's "*act of grace.*" He *m.* firstly Anne, sister of James and

(a) "Honours," as contrasted with lands, "do not pass without his Majesty's special knowledge and warrant, and it was owing to such alleged defects that a demur occurred as to a professed regrant of the Earldom of Eglinton in 1611 upon the resignation of Hugh, Earl of Eglinton, in favour of his kinsman, Sir Alexander Seton. It only took effect by being homologated and confirmed, after a resignation of Sir Alexander, by James VI. in virtue of a Royal charter on the 24th of March 1615." See "Riddell," vol. i, p. 46. It appears that Sir Alexander assumed the title on his kinsman's death and "was thereupon sum. before the Privy Council and obliged to lay it down, James VI. observing 'that howsoever he could not stay noblemen to dispose of their lands, he, being the fountain of honor within his kingdom, would not permit the same to be sold or alienated.' Much discussion and procedure afterwards ensued and it was not for a considerable time that James would confirm him in the honours." See Riddell's "*Scotch Peerage Law*" (1833), p. 22, where it is added that "Sir John Kerr, of Littledean, was, also in 1613, prohibited from taking the title of LORD JEDBURGH, upon a charter and infetment; and, on 21 March 1615, to prevent such proceedings in future, James issued a peremptory order to the officers of State to allow no signatures of resignations or alienations of honors to pass unless with his direct concurrence. All this marks an æra in the constitution of our Peerages [S.], which began [then] to lose their territorial character and to be more than ever privileged subjects. In the case of Oliphant, 11 July 1633, it was found that an honor was not annihilable by buying and selling, but that it was *inter regalia.*"

(b) The Lordship of Kilwinning, which had been settled on his mother and himself in 1611 by the late Earl, was taken from him, but was reconveyed to him for 8,000 marks by Lord Balfour of Burleigh [S.] to whom it had been granted.

William respectively DUKES OF HAMILTON [S.], 1st da. of James (HAMILTON), 2d MARQUESS OF HAMILTON [S.], by Ann, da. of James (CUNNINGHAM), 7th EARL OF GLENCAIRN [S.] She *d.* s.p.m. He *m.* secondly Mary, sister of John, DUKE OF ROTHES [S.], 2d and yst. da. of John (LESLIE), EARL OF ROTHES [S.], by Ann, da. of John (ERSKINE), EARL OF MAR [S.] He *d.* Feb. 1669, in his 56th year.

VIII. 1669. 8. ALEXANDER (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTON, &c. [S.], s. and h., by 2d wife; espoused the cause of the Revolution of 1688, and was made P.C. in 1689. He *m.* firstly, Jan. 1658, in London, Elizabeth, 1st da. of William CRICHTON, EARL OF DUMFRIES [S.], by Penelope, da. of Sir Robert SWIFT. He *m.* secondly, Grace, widow of Sir Thomas WENTWORTH, 1st Bart. (who *d.* 5 Dec. 1675), da. and h. of Francis POPELEY, of Wooley Moorhouse. He *m.* thirdly, 6 Dec. 1698 (Lic. Dean and Ch. of Westm.), at St. Brides, London,^(a) Catherine (said at that date to be aged 90!), widow of Henry SANDYS, of Down, co. Kent (relict of Sir John KAYE, BART, and formerly of Michael WENTWORTH), da. of Sir William ST. QUINTIN, 1st Bart, by Mary da. and coheir of John LACY. This much-married lady was *bur.* 6 Aug. 1700, at Down, co. Kent with her third husband. Her admon. 4 Feb. 1700/1. The Earl *d.* in London, 1701, and was *bur.* at Kilwilling.

IX. 1701. 9. ALEXANDER (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTON &c. [S.], s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* about 1660. P.C. to William III. and to Queen Anne. REP. PEER [S.], 1710-22; taking an active part against the rising of 1715. He *m.* firstly (contract. Dec. 1676), Margaret, sister of John, 2d EARL OF DUNDONALD [S.], 1st da. of William COCHRANE, styled Lord Cochrane, by Catharine da. of John (KENNEDY), EARL OF CASSILLIS [S.] By her he had six children. He *m.* secondly, Anne, 1st da. of George (GORDON), 1st EARL OF ABERDEEN [S.], by Anne, da. of George LOCKHART. She *d.* s.p.m. and was *bur.* 16 Dec. 1708. Fun. entry at Lyon office. He *m.* thirdly, Susanna, da. of Sir Archibald KENNEDY, 1st Bart. [S.], of Culzean, by Elizabeth da. of David (LESLIE), 1st LORD NEWARK [S.]. He *d.* 18 Feb. 1729. Fun. entry at Lyon office. His widow, who survived him 51 years *d.* 18 March 1780, in her 91st year, at Auchans, co. Ayr.

[HUGH MONTGOMERIE, MASTER OF MONTGOMERIE, s. and h. ap., by 1st wife, *d.* v.p. and unm. at the Univ. of Glasgow, 1696].

[JAMES MONTGOMERIE, styled LORD MONTGOMERIE, s. and h. ap., by the 3d wife, *d.* v.p. unm.^(b) and under age, 1 Sep. 1724, at Edinburgh].

X. 1729. 10. ALEXANDER (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTON, &c. [S.], 4th, but 1st surv. s. and h. being 2d s. by the 3d wife; Gov. of the Castle of Dumbarton, 1759-64; a Lord of the Bedchamber, 1760-67; REP. PEER [S.], 1761-69.^(c) He *d.* unm. being slain in a dispute, by Mungo Campbell, an officer of Excise.^(d) Admon. 10 Sep. 1770.

XI. 1769. 11. ARCHIBALD (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTON, &c. [S.], next and yst. br. and h., *b.* 18 May 1726. He raised the 77th Reg. of Foot which he commanded in America in 1757, becoming finally, 1793, General in the Army and Col. of the Scots Greys, 1795; M.P. for co. Ayr, 1761-68;

(^a) The marriage is there recorded as that of "Alexander, Earl of Eglinton, Viscount Montgomery, Baron of Ardrosson and Killwinning, Widr., and Dame Katherine Kaye, widow." So also (in Latin) in the licence.

(^b) It is believed that the claim of William Stephen Fulton to the Earldom of Eglintoun is based on a claim that he was the great-great-grandson of this James Montgomerie in the male line.

(^c) Under the act for abolishing heritable jurisdictions in 1748 he got £7,800 (in full of his claim of £12,000) for the Sheriffship of Renfrew and the regalities of Kilwinning and Cunningham.

(^d) A very full account is given in "Wood's Douglas." The murderer escaped execution, by hanging himself, 28 Feb. 1770.

Equerry to the Queen Consort, 1761-69; Gov. of the Castle of Dunbarton, 1764, and Dep. Ranger of Hyde Park and St. James' Park, 1766; Gov. of Edinburgh Castle, 1782. REP. PEER [S.], 1776-96. He *m.* firstly^(a) 30 March 1772, Jean, 1st da. of George (LINDSAY), EARL OF CRAWFORD AND LINDSAY [S.], by Jean, da. and h. of Robert HAMILTON. She *d.* s.p. 22 Jany. 1778, aged 21, at Eglintoun Castle. He *m.* secondly, 9 Aug. 1783, at St. Marylebone, Midx., Frances,^(b) da. of Sir William TWISDEN, 6th Bart. (of Roydon), by Mary, da. of George JERVIS. He *d.* s.p.m. 30 Oct. 1796, at Eglintoun Castle, aged 70. Will pr. April 1797.

XII. 1796. 12. HUGH (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTOUN, &c. [S.], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Alexander Montgomerie, of Coysfield, co. Ayr, by Lilius, 1st da. and coheir of Sir Robert MONTGOMERY, 3d Bart [S.], of Skelmorly, which Alexander (who *d.* 28 Dec. 1783), was only s. and h. of Hugh M., 2d but 1st surv. s. of Col. the Hon. James Montgomerie (both of Coysfield afsd.), which James was 4th s. of Alexander, the 6th Earl by his first wife. He was *b.* 5 Nov. 1739; entered the army, 1756, serving in the American war; Lieut. Col. of the Glasgow Regiment (reduced 1795) and Lieut. Gov. of Edinburgh Castle. M.P. for co. Ayr, 1780-81, 1784-89, and 1796; Inspector of Military Roads in Scotland, 1789; Lord Lieut. of co. Ayr. REP. PEER [S.], 1798-1806. He was, on 21 Feb. 1806, *cr.* BARON ARDROSSAN of Ardrossan, co. Ayr [U.K.] **K.T.**, 22 May 1812. He *m.* (contract 3 June 1772), his cousin, Eleanor, 4th da. of Robert HAMILTON, of Bourtreehill, co. Ayr, by Ann,^(c) da. and coheir of William CUNNINGHAM, of Brownhill. She *d.* Feb. 1817 aged 74. He *d.* 14 Dec. 1819, at Eglintoun Castle aged 80. ^(d)

[ARCHIBALD MONTGOMERIE, *styled* LORD MONTGOMERIE, 1st and only surv. s. and h. ap., *b.* 30 July 1773; entered the army, becoming finally, in 1809, Major General. He *m.* 29 March 1803, in Duke street Chapel, St. Margaret's, Westm., his cousin, Mary, only surv. da. and eventually sole h. of Archibald (MONTGOMERIE), 11th EARL OF EGLINTOUN [S.] He *d.* v.p. 4 Jany. 1814, aged 39, at Alicant. Admon. Sep. 1814. His widow, who was *b.* 5 March 1787, *m.* (as his first wife) 30 Jany. 1815, Sir Charles Montolieu LAMB, 2d Bart., who *d.* 24 March 1860, aged 74. She *d.* 12 June 1848, in Clifford street, Midx., aged 61.]

XIII. 1819. 13. ARCHIBALD WILLIAM (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTOUN, &c. [S.], also BARON ARDROSSAN, grandson and h., being only s. and h. of Archibald Montgomerie, *styled* Lord Montgomerie and Mary his wife above-named. He was *b.* 29 Sep. 1812, at Palermo. In 1839 he held a magnificent "tournament" (carried out in the ancient style) at Eglinton Castle; ^(e) Lord Lieut. of co. Ayr, 1842; LORD LIEUT. OF IRELAND, Feb. 1852 to Jan. 1853, and again Feb. 1858 to July 1859; P.C., 1852; *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 7 June 1853; **K.T.**, 18 June 1853. He was also, in 1852, Lord Rector of Marshal Coll., Aberdeen, and of the Univ. of Glasgow. Having been served, 22 Dec. 1840, heir male gen. of George (SETON), 4th EARL OF WINTON [S.], he^(f) was (by that title) *cr.* 23 June 1859, EARL OF

^(a) In the Annual Register, 1770, is recorded the marriage on 16 Oct. 1770, of "Rt. Hon. the Earl of Eglinton to a da. of Lord Glencairn."

^(b) This lady is said to have *m.* 29 Nov. 1794, Francis MOORE, Under Sec. of War, and to have been mother of Lieut. Gen. Sir William George Moore, **K.C.B.**, who was *b.* Nov. 1795, and who *d.* 23 Oct. 1862, aged 66. If these dates are correct she must have been *divorced* from the Earl, who *d.* in Oct. 1796.

^(c) It is not very clear whether this Ann was the mother of the Countess. See "Northern Notes and Queries," vol. i, p. 183.

^(d) He constructed the harbour of Ardrossan, the Paisley Canal, &c., besides rebuilding the Castle of Eglintoun.

^(e) In this tournament Lady Seymour (*née* Sheridan), afterwards Duchess of Somerset was "the Queen of Beauty." The cost which was expected not to exceed £2,000 amounted to some £40,000.

^(f) His ancestor, Alexander Seton (afterwards 6th Earl of Eglintoun) of whom he was the lineal heir male, was next br. to George, 3d Earl of Winton [S.], whose great grandson, the 5th Earl, was *attainted* in 1716 and whose male line may possibly be now extinct. If such is the case the Earl of Eglintoun would on the reversal of the *attainder* be entitled to the Scotch Earldom of Winton as also, probably, to that of Dunfermline. See p. 213, note "a."

WINTON^(a) [U.K.] He *m.* firstly, 17 Feb. 1841, at Lambeth Palace, Surrey, Theresa, widow of Richard HOWE-COCKERELL, Capt. R.N., da. of Charles NEWCOMEN, of Clonahard, co. Longford, by Catherine, da. of Charlotte, *suo jure* VISCOUNTESS NEWCOMEN [I.] and Sir William NEWCOMEN (formerly GLEADOWE), Bart. She *d.* 16 Dec. 1853, at Eglinton Castle. Will pr. Jan'y. 1854. He *m.* secondly, 4 Nov. 1858, at the Vice Regal Lodge, Dublin, Adela Caroline Harriet, da. of Arthur Algernon (CAPEL), 6th EARL OF ESSEX, by his first wife Caroline Janetta, da. of William (BEAUCLEERK), 8th DUKE OF ST. ALBANS. She, who was *b.* 4 March 1828, *d.* s.p.m. 31 Dec. 1860, in Edinburgh. He *d.* suddenly 4 Oct. 1861, aged 49, at the house of Mr. Whyte-Melville, near St. Andrews.^(b)

XIV. 1861. 14. ARCHIBALD WILLIAM (MONTGOMERIE), EARL OF EGLINTON [1508] and LORD MONTGOMERIE [1449 ?] in the peerage of Scotland, also EARL OF WINTON [1859] and BARON ARDROSSAN [1806], s. and h., *b.* 3 Dec. 1841, at York; ed. at Eton; sometime in the Royal Navy; Lieut. Col. Commandant of the Ayrshire Yeomanry, 1869-72. He *m.* 6 Dec. 1862, at 17 Arlington street, Midx., Sophia Adelaide Theodosia, da. of Charles (ANDERSON-PELHAM), 3d EARL OF YARBOROUGH, by Victoria Alexandrina, da. of William (HARE), 2d EARL OF LISTOWEL [I.] She, who was *b.* 26 July 1840, *d.* 21 Sep. 1866, and was *bur.* at Kilwinning Abbey.

^a *Family Estates.*—These, in 1883, consisted of 23,631 acres in co. Ayr; 5,866 in co. Lanark and 671 in Bute. Total 30,168 acres, worth £41,310 a year exclusive of minerals worth £9,520 a year. *Principal Residence.* Eglinton Castle, near Irvine.

EGMONT.^(c)

Earldom [I.] 1. SIR JOHN PERCEVAL,^(d) Bart. [I.], 2d s. of Sir John I. 1733. P., 3d Bart. [I.], of Lohort Castle, Kanturk, co. Cork, by Catharine, da. of Sir Edward DERING, 2d Bart., was *b.* at Burton, co. Cork, 22 July 1683; *suc.* his eldest br. Sir Edward Perceval, 4th Bart. [I.], 9 Nov. 1691; mat. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.), 18 Nov. 1699; F.R.S. (at the age of 19), 1702; M.P. for co. Cork, 1703-15; P.C. [I.]; was 21 April 1715, *cr.* BARON PERCEVAL OF BURTON, co. Cork [I.] with an extended rem. to the heirs male of the body of his father,^(e) taking his seat 12 Nov. following. On 25 Feb. 1722/3, he

(^a) No fuller description is given of this dignity. It seems a very improper one to have conferred save on one who could prove that (subject to the attainder) he was entitled to the *Scotch* peerage of the same designation.

(^b) A good account of this genial, popular, and most hospitable nobleman is given in Lord Lamington's "*In the days of the Dandies.*"

(^c) EGMONT (which possibly received that name from the Perceval family) is "an old ruined Castle in the parish of Churchtown, Barony of Orrery and Kilmore, co. Cork, 3½ miles n.n. west of Buttevant, in the midst of a fine park and very extensive plantations." *Parl. Gazetteer of Ireland*, 1849. See also "*N. and Q.*" 7th s. ii, 334, where it is stated that "William, Baron of Yvery," who *suc.* his father in 1119 had five sons, of whom one son, "Waleran, was ancestor of the Counts of Egmont in Flanders," while the fifth son was "Richard de Percheval, ancestor to the present Earl of Egmont."

(^d) This is one of the twelve families treated of in Drummond's "Noble British Families. See vol. i, p. 77, note "a," sub "Alvanley." In the preface, however, the following very true remark is made thereon, *viz.*, that tho' "the *History of the house of Yvery* by the 1st Earl of Egmont [*i.e.*, by J. Anderson, D.D., 2 vols., 8vo., 1742], was assumed as the basis of the history of the Perceval family very little of what is stated [therein] is to be depended upon, from the commencement, down to the 14th century."

(^e) The preamble to the creation of the Barony and the Earldom are in "Lodge," vol. ii, p. 260-263, where also is told the (usual) story of the honors having being *pressed* upon the grantee by the king.

was *cr.* VISCOUNT PERCEVAL OF KANTURK,^(a) co. Cork [I.] He was M.P. for Harwich, 1722-34, and Recorder thereof 1728-34; PRESIDENT (the first ever appointed) of GEORGIA, 1732. On 6 Nov. 1733, he was *cr.* EARL OF EGMONT, co. Cork [I.] He *m.* 10 June 1710, at St. Giles in the fields, Midx., Catharine, 1st da. (whose issue, in 1775, became coheir) of Sir Philip PARKER, 2d Bart., of Erwarton, Suffolk, by Mary, da. of Samuel FORTREY. He *d.* in London, 1 May 1748, aged 64, and was *bur.* at Erwarton.^(b) Will pr. 1748. His widow *d.* 22 Aug. 1749, aged 60, and was *bur.* there. M.I. Will pr. 1749.

II. 1748. 2. JOHN (PERCEVAL), EARL OF EGMONT, &c. [I.], only s. and h., b. 24 Feb. 1710/11, at Westminster, styled VISCOUNT PERCEVAL, 1733-48; M.P. for Dingle [I.], 1731; for Westminster, 1741-47; for Weobley, 1747-54; and for Bridgwater, 1754-62; P.C., 1755. On 7 May 1762, he was *cr.* a Peer [G.B.] as LORD LOVEL AND HOLLAND, BARON LOVEL AND HOLLAND OF ENMORE, co. Somerset,^(c) taking his seat on the 10th of the same month. Joint Postmaster Gen., 1762-63; First Com. of the Admiralty, 1763-66. He *m.* firstly, 15 Feb. 1736/7, at Kensington, Catharine, 2d da. of James (CECIL), 5th EARL OF SALISBURY, by Ann, 2d da. and coheir of Thomas (TUFTON), 6th EARL OF THANET. She *d.* at Charlton, Kent, 16, and was *bur.* there 24 Aug. 1757, aged 33 years and 10 days. Admon. 23 June 1757. He *m.* secondly, 26 Jan. 1756, at Charlton, Catherine, sister of Charles and Spencer, 7th and 8th EARLS OF NORTHAMPTON, 3d da. of the Hon. Charles COMPTON, by Mary, da. and h. of Sir Berkeley LUCY, Bart. She, who was b. 4 June 1731, was *cr.* 23 May 1770, BARONESS ARDEN OF LOHORT CASTLE, co. Cork [I.], with rem. of that Barony to the heirs male of her body. The Earl *d.* in Pall Mall, 4, and was *bur.* 23 Dec. 1770, at Charlton, aged 59. Will pr. Dec. 1770. His widow (the *suo jure* Baroness), who was b. 4 June 1731, at Quinta, near Lisbon, in Portugal, *d.* at Langley, Bucks, 11 June 1784, aged 53, and was *bur.* the 21st at Charlton afsd. Will pr. June 1784.

(a) KANTURK (from "*Ceann-Tuirc*," i.e., "*the Boar's Head*") a market town, ten miles from Buttevant, co. Cork, belonged formerly to a branch of the Mac Carthys named Mac Donough, Toparchs or Princes of Duhallow, and was forfeited in 1641 by Mac Donough, the builder of the Castle, of which the "structure is believed to be the finest [120 feet by 80] ever undertaken by an Irish chieftain." *Parl. Gazetteer of Ireland*, 1849.

(b) His "beautiful character"—"the best of husbands, of fathers, of masters, of friends," &c., is given in "*Lodge*," vol. ii, p. 265.

(c) The coheirs of the Baronies of Lovel and Holland at that date (subject to its attainder in 1487) were (1) Thomas Stapleton and (2) the Earl of Abingdon; the representatives of the two sisters (Lady Stapleton and Lady Norreys) of Francis (Lovel), Viscount Lovel, who was attainted. These two coheirs were the same as those to the Barony of Beaumont. See tabular pedigree, vol. i, p. 287, note "a," sub "Beaumont." The grantee of 1762 descended thro' his mother, Catherine Parker, from Sir Philip Parker, of Erwarton, a younger brother of Henry (Parker), Lord Morley, whose issue (not that of his younger br. Philip) represents the Barony of Morley but not that of Lovel and Holland, the representation of these two Baronies (i.e., those whose titles were assigned to the grantee of 1762) never having devolved on the family of Parker. The two brothers abovenamed have, indeed, a descent from the families of Lovel and Holland thro' their great grandmother, the wife of Sir William Parker, Alice, sister and h. of Henry (Lovel), Lord Morley, da. of William (Lovel), Lord Morley (*jure uxoris*) which William Lovel was a younger brother of John, Lord Lovel and Holland, in whose descendants (i.e., those of his granddaughters Lady Stapleton and Lady Norreys abovenamed) was and is the representation of those Baronies as above stated. It is to be observed that it was not till the death of the cousin of the grantee of 1762, Martha, Baroness Chedworth, 30 Nov. 1775, that his son became (for he himself never did), a coheir (even) of the family of Parker, thro' whom this descent (without representation) from Morley, Lovel and Holland was derived.

Richard de Perceval, the grantee's ancestor, living in 1161, was, however himself a Lovell, according to the all glorifying pedigree in "the House of Yvery," indeed, possibly that authority may consider that he was a Holland also; anyhow the rights of his descendants (as therein set forth) are too vast to be fathomed and the grantee may have flattered himself that he was entitled to a grant of these two Baronies as heir male of the house of Lovell, and (if possible) of that of Holland also.

III. 1770. 3. JOHN JAMES (PERCEVAL), EARL OF EGMONT, &c. [I.], also BARON LOVEL AND HOLLAND OF ENMORE, s. and h. by 1st wife, *b.* in Pall Mall, Midx., 23 Jan. 1737/8; *styled* VISCOUNT PERCEVAL, 1748-70; He joined the army in 1760, serving with the allied forces in Germany under Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick; Lieut. Col. of the 1st Reg. of Foot Guards; M.P. for Bridgwater, 1762-69. He *m.* 4 June 1765, at her father's house in the Admiralty, St. Martin's in the fields, Isabella, only da. and h. of Lord Nassau PAULET (3d s. of Charles, 2d DUKE OF BOLTON), by Isabella, 5th da. and coheir of Thomas (TUFTON), 6th EARL OF THANET abovenamed. She *d.* 8 Sep. 1821 in her 84th year, at Odell Castle, Beds. He *d.* 25 Feb. 1822, in his 85th year, at Odell Castle afsd.^(a) Will pr. March 1822. Both were *bur.* at Charlton.

IV. 1822. 4. JOHN (PERCEVAL), EARL OF EGMONT, &c. [I.], also BARON LOVEL AND HOLLAND OF ENMORE, s. and h., *b.* 13 Aug. 1767, at High House, near Purfleet, Essex. He *m.* 10 March 1792, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Bridget, da. of Lieut. Colonel Glynn WYNN, by Bridget, da. of Edward Philip PUGH, of Penrhyn and Coytmore. She *d.* 24 Jan. 1826, at Belle Vue, near Dublin. He *d.* 31 Dec. 1835, aged 68. Both *bur.* at Charlton. His will dat. 4 April 1824, was not pr. till 18 May, 1857.

V. 1835. 5. HENRY FREDERICK JOSEPH JAMES (PERCEVAL), EARL OF EGMONT, &c. [I.], also BARON LOVEL AND HOLLAND OF ENMORE, only s. and h., *b.* 3 Jan. 1796; ed. at Trin. Coll. Cambridge; M.A., 1818; *styled* VISCOUNT PERCEVAL, 1822-35; M.P. for East Looe, 1826; took his seat in the House of Lords 5 Feb. 1836. He is sometimes said to have *m.* in 1828, a da. of COUNT D'ORSELET. He *d.* s.p., 23 Dec. 1841, in his 47th year, in Wigmore-street, Marylebone. He was *bur.* at Charlton afsd. Will dat. 11 Dec. 1841. not pr. till 18 May 1857.

VI. 1841. 6. GEORGE JAMES (PERCEVAL), EARL OF EGMONT [1773], VISCOUNT PERCEVAL OF KANTURK [1723]. BARON PERCEVAL OF BURTON [1715], and BARON ARDEN OF LOHORT CASTLE [1770], in the peerage of Ireland, also BARON LOVELL AND HOLLAND OF ENMORE [1762], and BARON ARDEN [1802], cousin and h. male, being 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. of Charles George (Perceval), BARON ARDEN [U.K. and I.], by Margaretta Elizabeth, 1st da. of Gen. Sir Thomas Spencer WILSON, 6th Bart. He was *b.* 14 March 1794; entered the Navy, 1805, serving at Trafalgar, in the Egyptian Expedition, being in command at the battle of Algiers and becoming finally, in 1863, an Admiral; M.P. for West Surrey, 1837-40, when (5 July 1840), he *suc.* to his father's Baronies [U.K. and I.], a year before he *suc.* his cousin in the Earldom of Egmont. He *m.* 24 July 1819, Jane, 1st da. of John HORNBY, of Hook House, Hants. She *d.* there 14 Oct. 1870, aged 75, at Nork House, Epsom, Surrey. He also *d.* there s.p., 2 Aug. 1874, aged 80. Both were *bur.* in Woolwich Cemetery.

VII. 1874. 7. CHARLES GEORGE (PERCEVAL), EARL OF EGMONT, &c. [I.], also BARON LOVELL AND HOLLAND OF ENMORE and BARON ARDEN, nephew and h., being only s. and h. of Rev. the Hon. Charles George Perceval, Rector of Calverton, Bucks, by his 2d wife, Frances Agnes, da. of the Ven. George TREVELYAN, Archdeacon of Taunton, which Charles George was next surv. br. to the late Earl and *d.* 26 July 1853, aged 53. He was *b.* 15 June 1845, at Calverton Rectory; ed. at Radley School, and (1863) at Univ. Coll., Oxford; Student of the Inner Temple, 1869; M.P. for Midhurst for a few months, 1874. He *m.* 4 May 1869, at Trinity Church, Westm., Lucy 4th da. of Henry KING, of Horndean, Hants.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 14,021 acres in Sussex, 3466 in Surrey, 585 in Bucks and 134 in Lincolnshire, besides 16,766 in co. Cork. Total 34,972 acres, worth £35,510 a year. *Principal Residences.* Cowdray Park, near Midhurst, Sussex; Nork House, in Epsom, Surrey and Lohort Castle, co. Cork.

(a) As to his taste (1782) for "Fox hunting," see *Amusements of men of Fashion*, in 1782. Vol i, p. 352, note "a," sub "Bessborough."

EGREMONT.

[An account of the feudal Lords of the Barony of Egremont, co. Cumberland, is given in Jefferson's "Allerdale Ward above Derwent," 1842. These Lords were (1) DE MESCHINES (2) DE ROMLEY, Lords (also) of Skipton in Craven (3) FITZ DUNCAN (4) LUCY (5) MULTON (6) LUCY, again, but only as to a *third part*, not including the Castle. The eventual heiress of the Lucy family *m.* Henry (Percy), Earl of Northumberland, but *d. s.p.* in 1398 when that Earl and (7) the Percy family (by arrangement) *suc.* to the honour of Cockermouth and other of her possessions, but the *Barony of Egremont* thus, as before stated, broken into parts became (says Mr. John Denton in 1670) "now, of late, reunited by the Earls of Northumberland who are [1670] Lords thereof by *gift and purchase but not by descent* from any of the coheirs." From Percy it passed (8) to SEYMOUR, whence to (9) WYNDHAM as stated below.]

Barony.

SIR THOMAS PERCY, yr. (probably the 5th but 2d surv.)
 I. 1449, s. of Henry, 2d EARL OF NORTHUMBERLAND, by Eleanor, da. of Ralph
 to (NEVILL), 1st EARL OF WESTMORLAND, was b. at Leckonfield, co. York,
 1460. 29 Nov. 1422, and was, in his father's lifetime, *cr.* 20 Nov. 1449, by
 patent,^(a) BARON EGREMONT with rem. "to him and his heirs
 male for ever."^(b) He and his yr. br. Sir Richard Percy were
 involved in great disputes with their maternal cousins, the Nevills, sons of the Earl of
 Salisbury, with whom they fought a pitched battle, in 1453, at Staynford bridge.
 Lord Egremont was slain on the Lancastrian side at Northampton, 10 July 1460.
 He appears to have *d. s.p. legit.*^(c) when the *Barony*, notwithstanding the extensive
 tho' vague wording of the limitation in the patent, was considered as *extinct*.

Earldom.

I. 1749. I. ALGERNON (SEYMOUR), DUKE OF SOMERSET [1547],
 EARL OF NORTHUMBERLAND [1749], &c., was, 3 Oct. 1749, *cr.* BARON
 OF COCKERMOUTH and EARL OF EGREMONT, both co.
 Cumberland, with a *spec. rem.* failing the heir male of his
 body, to his nephew Sir Charles Wyndham, Bart., and Percy O'Brien, formerly
 Wyndham (sons of Sir William Wyndham, Bart., decd. by Katherine, sister
 to the grantee) and the heirs male of their bodies respectively. The grantee was s.
 and h. of Charles (SEYMOUR), 6th DUKE OF SOMERSET, by his first wife, Elizabeth,^(d)

(a) The patent is printed at large in *Madox's Baronia Anglica* (folio, 1741), p. 142. It is one of the sixteen Baronies *cr. by patent* before the 16th century. See a list of them p. 31, note "e," sub "Daubeny."

(b) See observations as to patents similarly worded p. 107, note "c," sub "Devon."

(c) Sir John Percy, who came of age in 1480, when he released certain premises at Lambeth granted in June 1458 by his father Thomas Percy, Lord Egremont (to which Lord at that time his br. William was heir presumptive) is supposed to have been illegitimate. In this deed, however (17 June, 20 Ed. IV.) he styles himself *filius et hæres Thome Percy, militis, Domini, dum vixerit, de Egremont*. It is also aptly observed by Sir James Ramsay (Selby's "Genealogist," N.S., iv, 173), that "under the year 1464 the contemporary chronicle, printed by Mr. Gairdner (Three 15th century chronicles, Cam. Soc., 1880), notices (p. 178), one *Dominum Egremound*. Then, again, in 1472 or 1473 we have a complaint in Parl. (*Rot Parl.* vi, 63), of disturbances caused in Cumberland by "the Lord Egremont. This is evidence that Thomas Percy left some relative on whom, in public estimation, the title descended, tho' he was never sum. to Parl." Again, Mr. Gough remarks that "*Lord Egremont*" in 1496 was sent by Henry VII. to the Court of Maximilian and arrived at Nordlingen in Jan'y. 1496 [probably 1495/6] and is called by Mr. James Gairdner "an able diplomatist probably of the Percy family who had been employed before this in negotiations with Scotland." Mr. Gough suggests the possibility of this being George Percy, Lieut. of the East and Middle Marches in 1488 and refers to Bain's "Calendar of Documents [S.]," iv, 315, No. 1,545.

(d) This lady was the heir *general* of her father, who had, as heir *male* (apparently the last heir male tho' not the heir general) of the Percy family, *suc.* to all their estates. These included those in the Barony of Egremont, which (by the match with the heiress of Lucy, in the 14th century) had devolved on the Percy family.

da. and h. of Joceline (PERCY), 11th EARL OF NORTHUMBERLAND; was b. 11 Nov. 1684 being styled EARL OF HERTFORD till he *suc.* (2 Dec. 1748), his father as DUKE OF SOMERSET, &c. He had already been sum. to the house of Lords, as LORD PERCY, 23 Nov. 1722, in the erroneous belief that the ancient Barony of Percy had been invested in his (deceased) mother.^(a) Having no male issue, he was, 2 Oct. 1749, *cr.* BARON WARKWORTH and EARL OF NORTHUMBERLAND, with a spec. rem., failing heirs male of his body, to his daughter's husband, Sir Hugh SMITHSON, Bart., their issue male, &c., and on the next day was *cr.* *Earl of Egremont*, &c. (as above stated) with a spec. rem. in favour (not of his *own* issue, but) of the issue of his sister, Dame Katherine Wyndham. He *d. s.p.m.*, 7 Feb. 1750, and was *suc.* in the honours conferred 3 Oct. 1749, by his nephew, as under. See fuller particulars of him, *sub* "SOMERSET" Dukedom of, *cr.* 1547, under the 7th Duke.

II. 1750. 2. CHARLES (WYNDHAM), EARL OF EGREMONT and BARON OF COCKERMOUTH, nephew of the grantee, and his heir as to the above honours, according to the spec. rem. in their creation. He was s. and h. of the Rt. Hon. Sir William WYNDHAM, 3d Bart., of Orchard Wyndham, Somerset, by his first wife Katherine, da. of Charles (SEYMOUR), 6th DUKE OF SOMERSET; was b. 19 Aug. 1710, and *bap.* 30, at St. Martin's in the fields; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 4 May 1725; *suc.* his father as 4th Baronet, 17 June 1740; M.P. for Bridgwater, 1734-41; for Appleby, 1741-47; for Taunton, 1747-50, in which year (7 Feb. 1750), he *suc.* his maternal uncle in the peerage, as above stated, and in the Cockermouth and other Cumberland estates; Lord Lieut. of Cumberland, 1751-63; first Plenipo. to the intended congress at Augsburg, P.C., and Sec. of State for the southern dep. in 1761: Lord Lieut. of Sussex, 1762-63. He *m.* 12 March 1750/1, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Alicia Maria, sister of George, 1st EARL OF TYRCONNEL [I.], da. of George (CARPENTER), 2d BARON CARPENTER OF KILLAGHY [I.], by Elizabeth, da. of David PETTY. He *d.* of apoplexy, at Egremont House (now, 1890, the Naval and Mil. Club), Piccadilly, Midx., 21 Aug. 1763, aged 53. Will pr. 1763. His widow, who, in 1761, was one of the ladies of the Bedchamber, *m.* 6 June 1767, Count BRUHL, of Saxony, and *d.* 1, and was *bur.* 20 June 1794, at Harefield, Midx. Will pr. June 1794.

III. 1763. 3. GEORGE O'BRIEN (WYNDHAM), EARL OF EGREMONT, &c., s. and h., b. 18 Dec. 1751, and *bap.* 9 Jany. 1752, at St. Margaret's, Westm., King George II. being one of his sponsors; styled LORD COCKERMOUTH till 1763; ed. at Westm. and at Eton; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 30 June 1767; F.R.S., 1797; F.S.A., &c.; Lord Lieut. of Sussex, 1819-35.^(b) He *d. unm.*^(c) 11 Nov. 1837, in his 86th year, at Petworth House ("Princely Petworth"), Sussex. Will pr. Jany. 1838.

These Egremont estates, her son, the Duke of Somerset, devised to his sister's son, Charles Wyndham (afterwards Earl of Egremont) instead of to his da. Lady Elizabeth Smithson, who and whose issue inherited the bulk of the Percy estates. See "Northumberland," Earldom of, *cr.* 1749.

(a) See Vol. i, p 20, note "b," *circa finem*, as to this summons.

(b) He was many years in the fashionable world; is called [1774] "a pretty man" by Mrs. Delaney; "handsome" [1779] by Horace Walpole, and "that fine old fellow" [1834] by Charles Greville. As to his taste (1782) for "street riding" see vol. i, p. 352, note "a," *sub* "Bessborough." He was a great patron of the fine arts and was most liberal in his charities which are said in the last 60 years of his life to have amounted to £1,200,000, *i.e.*, about £20,000 yearly.

(c) By the da. of the Rev. (—) Iliff (of Westm. School) he had six illegit. children, *viz.*, three daughters (Lady Burrell, the Countess of Munster, and Mrs. King), and three sons *viz.* (1) George Wyndham, b. 5 June 1787, inherited the Petworth and other estates, and was *cr.* BARON LEONFIELD, in 1859; see that dignity. (2) Gen. Sir Henry Wyndham, K.C.B., b. 12 May 1790, inherited the Cockermouth and Egremont estates in Cumberland, but *d. s.p.* 3 Aug. 1860, when they appear to have devolved on his elder brother's line. See vol. ii, p. 51, note "a," *sub* "Buccleuch," among the list of possessors (under "Leconfield") of above 100,000 acres (3) Col. Charles Wyndham, whose portion was funded property of above £220,000, who *d.* 18 Feb. 1866, leaving issue.

IV. 1837, 4. GEORGE FRANCIS (WYNDHAM), EARL OF EGREMONT, to and BARON OF COCKERMOUTH, also a Baronet [1661], nephew and h. 1845. male, being only s. and h. of the Hon. William-Frederick WYNDHAM, by his first wife Frances Mary HARFORD, illegit. da. of Frederick (CALVERT), 7th BARON BALTIMORE [I.], which William Frederick was 4th and yst. br. of the late Earl and *d.* 11 Feb. 1828, aged 65. He was *b.* 30 Aug. 1785; was Capt. R.N.; sometime (1811) in command of the Hawke sloop. He inherited, in 1837, Orchard Wyndham and other of the estates of the Wyndham family co. Somerset and Devon. He *m.* 14 Nov. 1820, at Eton College Chapel, Jane, 3d da. of the Rev. William ROBERTS, Vice Provost of Eton College. He *d. s.p.* at Silverton Park, Devon, 2 April 1845, in his 60th year, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. Will *pr.* Oct. 1845. His widow, who was *b.* at Eton College, *d.* 18 Dec. 1876, in her 78th year at Orchard Wyndham, Somerset.

ELAND.

i.e., "SAVILLE OF ELAND, co. York," Barony (*Saville*), *cr.* 1668, with the VISCOUNTCY OF HALIFAX, which see; both *extinct* 1700.

ELBOTTLE.

i.e., "ELBOTTLE," Barony [S.], (*Maxwell*), *cr.* 1646 with the EARLDOM OF DIRLETOUN [S.], which see; both *extinct* about 1650.

ECHO.

See "WEMYSS OF ECHO," Barony [S.] (*Wemyss*), *cr.* 1628.

i.e., "ELCHO AND METHELL," Barony [S.] (*Wemyss*), *cr.* 1628 with the EARLDOM OF WEMYSS [S.], which see.

ELDON.

Barony. I. 1799. 1. JOHN SCOTT, 3d and yst. s. of William Scott, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Coal merchant, by Jane (who *d.* in 1800, aged 92), da. of Henry ATKINSON, of the same, was *b.* there, in Love lane, 4 June 1751; ed. at Newcastle Grammar School; matric. at Oxford (Univ. Coll.), 15 May 1766; Fellow, 1767; B.A., 1770; M.A., 1773. He was M.P. for Weobley, 1783-96, and for Boroughbridge, 1796-99. Barrister (Mid. Temple) 1776; King's Counsel, 1783; Chancellor of Durham, 1787; Solicitor Gen. 1788-93 (supporting the Government measures consequent on the King's illness), being knighted 27 June 1788; Attorney Gen. 1793-99, being, in 1799, made P.C., and Lord Ch. Justice of the Commons Pleas and, on 18 July 1799, *cr.* BARON ELDON, of Eldon,^(a) co. Durham. Two years subsequently he was, 14 April 1801, made LORD HIGH CHANCELLOR, which office, with an interval of 14 months (7 Feb. 1806 to 1 April 1807), he retained above a quarter of a century, till 30 April 1827. High Steward of the Univ. of Oxford, 1801, being *cr.* VISCOUNT ENCOMBE, of Encombe, co. Dorset and EARL OF ELDON, co. Durham.^(b) F.R.S. (1793); F.S.A., &c. He *m.* (when young, it being a run-away

^(a) The estate of Eldon in the south part of Durham was purchased in 1792 for £22,000, the whole of its rental being devoted for many years to its improvement; that of Encombe (the title of the peerage of 1821), co. Dorset was purchased in 1807.

^(b) This was one of the "Coronation" peerages of which see a list, vol. ii, p. 351, note "d" *sub* "Conyngnam." The Lord Chancellor's eldest br., Sir William Scott, Judge of the Admiralty, was raised to the Peerage at the same time as Baron Stowell.

match), 19 Nov. 1772, at Blackshields, near Fala, and (again) 19 Jan. 1773, at St-Nicholas, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Elizabeth, da. of Aubone SURTEES, of Newcastle afsd., Banker, by Elizabeth, da. of John STEPHENSON, of Knaresdale. She *d.* 28 June 1831, and was *bur.* at Kingston, Dorset. He *d.* in Hamilton Place, Midx., 13 Jan. 1838, aged 86 and was *bur.* at Kingston afsd.^(a) Will pr. Feb. 1838.

II. 1838. 2. JOHN (SCOTT), EARL OF ELDON, &c., grandson and h., being only s. and h. of the Hon. John SCOTT, by Henrietta Elizabeth, da. of Sir Matthew WHITE-RIDLEY, 2d Bart., which John last named was s. and h. ap. of the 1st Baron Eldon, and *d.* v.p. (before his father's elevation to the Earldom) 24 Dec. 1805, aged 31. He was *b.* 10 Dec. 1805, in Manchester square, Marylebone; was *styled* VISCOUNT ENCOMBE, 1821-38; ed. at Winchester; matric. at Oxford (New. Coll.), 26 April 1824; B.A., 1828; M.A., 1831; *cr.* D.C.L., 11 June 1834. He was M.P. for Truro, 1829-32; was *cr.* LL.D. of Cambridge, 4 July 1842. President of the Pitt Club, 1842. Declared, Jany. 1853, of unsound mind. He *m.* 1 Oct. 1831, Louisa, 2d surv. da. of Charles (DUNCOMBE), 1st BARON FEVERSHAM, by Charlotte, da. of William (LEGGE), 2d EARL OF DARTMOUTH. She, who was *b.* 16 Nov. 1807, *d.* at Shirley Park, near Croydon, 18 Nov. 1852. He *d.* at Shirley Park afsd., 18 Sep. 1854, in his 49th year. Will pr. Dec. 1854.

II. 1854. 3. JOHN (SCOTT), EARL OF ELDON, &c., only s. and h., *b.* 8 Nov. 1845, in Hamilton Place, Midx.; *styled* VISCOUNT ENCOMBE till 1854; ed. at Eton; mat. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 27 May 1863. He *m.* 1 July 1869, Henrietta Minna, da. of Henry Martin TURNOR, Capt. in the army, by Marianne, da. of Godfrey (MACDONALD), 3d BARON MACDONALD OF SLATE [I.]

[JOHN SCOTT, *styled* VISCOUNT ENCOMBE, 1st s. and h. ap., *b.* 8 May 1870, in Hamilton Place, Midx.]

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 11,841 acres in co. Durham, 6,869 in Dorset, 6,664 in co. Gloucester, and 387 in Surrey. Total 25,761 acres worth £28,457 a year. *Principal Residence.* Encombe House, near Wareham, Dorset.

ELGIN.

Earldom [S.] 1. THOMAS (BRUCE), LORD KINLOSS and BARON BRUCE OF KINLOSS [S.] was 21 June 1633, *cr.* EARL OF ELGIN and LORD BRUCE OF KINLOSS [S.] with rem. to his heirs male for ever of the name of Bruce.^(b) He was *b.* 2 Dec. 1599, at Edinburgh, being s. of Edward (BRUCE), 1st LORD KINLOSS and BARON BRUCE OF KINLOSS [S.] sometime, (1604-11), Master of the Rolls, by Magdalen, da. of Alexander CLERK. He *suc.* his elder br. in the Scotch Barony Aug. 1613, being served heir to him 24 July 1617. He attended the King into Scotland in 1632 and was the next year raised to an Earldom [S.] as above stated. He was knighted 20 May 1638, at Windsor with the Prince of

(^a) A Tory of Tories, one of whom [possibly *propter hoc*] Lord Campbell wrote that "he defended every abuse and absurdity which disgraced our jurisprudence," one who enjoyed high office in the state for above 50 years, "it would have been a miracle, if, whatever were his deserts, he should wholly have escaped censure." All, however, acknowledged his talents, his learning, the *justice* of his decisions, his patience in listening, &c, tho' some "charged him with a habit of *doubting everything*." This extreme hesitation in arriving at a decision, was in singular contrast with that of Sir John Leach, the *Vice-Chancellor*, (1818-27), whose hasty judgments were continually upset. Of the two courts of Chancery, one was wittily called that of *Oyer sans terminer*, and the other that of "*Terminer sans oyer*"; while as to the *slowness* with which *Justice*, in one court, as compared with the *quickness* with which *Injustice*, in the other court, was administered, it was epigrammatically said that,

"The first from Eldon's virtue springs,
The latter from his *Vice*." See Foss' "*Judges*."

(^b) The family of Bruce is one of the twelve treated of in Drummond's "*Noble British Families*." See vol. i, p. 77, note "a," *sub* "Alvanley."

Wales.^(a) By privy seal, 29 July 1641,^(b) he was *cr.* BARON BRUCE OF WHORLTON, co. York. He *m.* firstly (lic. from Bp. of London) at Trinity Minories, London, 4 July 1622 (being then 23) Ann (then aged 17) only da. and h. of Sir Robert CHICHESTER, **K.B.**, by Frances, da. of John (HARINGTON), 1st BARON HARINGTON OF EXTON. She *d.* 20 March 1627, and was *bur.* at Exton, co. Rutland. M.I. He *m.* secondly Diana, Dow. COUNTESS OF OXFORD, da. of William (CECIL), 2d EARL OF EXETER, by his second wife, Elizabeth, da. of Sir William DRURY. By her, who was a great fortune and a celebrated beauty, he had no issue. She was *bur.* 3 May 1654, at Maulden, Beds. He *d.* at Amptill 21 and was *bur.* 31 Dec. 1663, at Maulden afsd. in his 65th year. Will pr. 1664.

- II. 1663. 2. ROBERT (BRUCE), EARL OF ELGIN, &c. [S.], }
 also BARON BRUCE OF WHORLTON, only s. and h. by 1st }
 wife, *b.* at St. Barth. the less, London. He was *cr.* 18 March 1663/4, BARON }
 BRUCE OF SKELTON, co. York, VISCOUNT BRUCE OF AMPHILL, co. }
 Bedford, and EARL OF AILESBUURY, co. Buckingham. He *d.* 20 Oct. 1685. }
 III. 1685. 3. THOMAS (BRUCE), EARL OF ELGIN, &c. [S.], }
 also EARL OF AILESBUURY, &c., 3d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* }
 1656, *d.* Nov. 1741. }
 IV. 1741. 4. CHARLES (BRUCE), EARL OF ELGIN, &c. [S.], }
 also EARL OF AILESBUURY, &c., 2d but only surv. s. and h. He }
d. s.p.m. 10 Feb. 1746/7, when the *Earldom of Ailesbury* and the honours }
 therewith conferred in 1664 as also the *Barony of Bruce of Whorlton* (*cr.* 1641) }
 became *extinct*, while of his Scottish honours^(c) the *Barony of Kinloss* (*cr.* }
 1602) devolved (*de jure*) on his grandson and heir of line,^(d) but the *Earldom of }
 Elgin* and *Barony of Bruce of Kinloss* (*cr.* 1633) devolved on the heir male }
 collateral of the grantee as under. }
 V. 1747. 5. CHARLES (BRUCE), EARL OF ELGIN [1633], EARL OF }
 KINCARDINE [1647], LORD BRUCE^(e) OF KINLOSS [1633], and LORD }
 BRUCE OF TORRY [1647], all in the peerage of Scotland, cousin and h. male, being heir }
 male collateral of the 1st Earl of Elgin. He was s. and h. of William (BRUCE), 8th }
 EARL OF KINCARDINE and LORD BRUCE OF TORRY [S.], by Janet, da. of James }
 ROBERTSON, which Earl William (who *d.* 8 Sep. 1740) was s. and h. of Thomas, the 7th }
 Earl (*d.* March 1740), who was yr. s. of Alexander, the 4th Earl of Kincardine (living }
 1706), the s. and h. of Robert Bruce of Broomhall, co. Fife (*d.* 1652) the 3d s. of Sir }
 George Bruce (*d.* 1625) the next yr. br. to Sir Edward Bruce, 1st LORD KINLOSS [S.], }
 who was father of Thomas, 1st Earl of Elgin, and ancestor of the 2d, 3d and 4th Earls }
 of Elgin. He was *b.* 26 July 1732, *suc.* his father in the Kincardine peerage in 1740 }
 and *suc.* his kinsman in the Elgin peerage in 1747 as afsd. He *m.* 1 June 1759, at Edin- }
 burgh, Martha, only child of Thomas WHITE, of London, Banker. He *d.* at Broomhall

See fuller particulars under "Ailesbury Earldom, cr. 1664; cr. 1747."

^(a) Four Knights were dubbed 20 May 1638, at Windsor with Charles, Prince of Wales, at his installation as Knight of the Garter. These were (1) Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex (2) Ulick de Burgh, Earl of St. Albans (3) Thomas Bruce, Earl of Elgin, and (4) William Villiers, Viscount Grandison.

^(b) "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records.

^(c) It would seem that besides the Barony of Kinloss *cr.* [to heirs general] in 1602 [allowed to such heir 1868] and the Barony of Bruce of Kinloss *cr.* [together with the Earldom of Elgin to heirs male] in 1633 that he possessed also *two* Baronies of "Bruce of Kinloss," the one conferred in 1604 [to heirs male] and the other in 1608 [to heirs general] on the 1st Lord Kinloss. The devolution of the latter Barony (1608) ought, apparently, to follow that of "Kinloss," while that of the former one (1604) ought, apparently, to follow that of the creation of 1633. Inasmuch, however, as neither of these dignities have ever been so assumed they are treated of, in this work, as having become *dormant* since the death in 1747 of the Earl of Ailesbury who was both *heir male* and *heir general* of Lord Kinloss the grantee.

^(d) To the *heir of line* this Barony of Kinloss was, in 1868, allowed.

^(e) As to his possible right to have inherited in 1747 the *Barony of Bruce of Kinloss* [S.], *cr.* in 1604; see note "c" above.

abovenamed, 14 May 1771, aged 39 and was *bur.* at Dunfermline. M.I.^(a) His widow, who was Governess to the Princess Charlotte of Wales *d.* 21 June and was *bur.* 4 July 1810, in her 71st year, at Twickenham, Midx. Will pr. 1810.

VI. 1771. 6. WILLIAM ROBERT (BRUCE), EARL OF ELGIN, EARL OF KINCARDINE, &c. [S.], s. and h., *b.* 28 Jan. 1764, at Broomhall. He *d.* two months after his father, 15 July 1771 in his 8th year.

VII. 1771. 7. THOMAS (BRUCE), EARL OF ELGIN, EARL OF KINCARDINE, &c. [S.], next br. and h., *b.* 20 July 1766; *ed.* at Harrow and at Westn. Schools, as also at the Universities of St. Andrew's and Paris. Entered the army 1785, becoming, finally (in 1837) General. REP. PEER [S.], 1790—1807 and again 1820-41. He was on a spec. mission to the Emperor Leopold, 1790; Minister at Brussels, 1792; at Berlin 1795, and Ambassador at Constantinople, 1799—1803, during which period he arranged for the removal from Athens to England of the sculptured stones^(b) of the Parthenon; P.C., 1799; Knight of the Crescent of Turkey, 1801. He was also President of the Scotch Antiquaries, Gen. of the Royal Archers [S.], &c. He *m.* firstly, 11 March 1799, at Archerfield, Mary, only child of William Hamilton NISBET, of Dirleton and Belhaven, co. Haddington. This marriage was dissolved by act of Parl. 1808.^(c) He *m.* secondly 21 Sep. 1810, at Dunnikeir, co. Fife, Elizabeth, *yst. da.* of James Townsend OSWALD, of Dunnikeir *afsd.*, Auditor of the Exchequer [S.], by Janet *da.* of (—) GRAY, of Skibo, co. Sutherland. He *d.* in Paris, 14 Nov. 1841, aged 75. Will pr. June 1842. His widow *d.* 1 April 1860; also at Paris.

[GEORGE-CHARLES-CONSTANTINE BRUCE, *styled* LORD BRUCE, 1st s. and h. *ap.* by first wife, *b.* 5 April 1800, at Pera, near Constantinople. He *d.* un^{m.} and *v.p.* 1 Dec. 1840, aged 40, at Talaton.]

VIII. 1841. 8 and 1. JAMES (BRUCE), EARL OF ELGIN, EARL OF BARONY, KINCARDINE, &c. [S.], 3d but 1st surv. s. and h., being 1st s. by 2d wife, *b.* 20 July 1811, in Park lane, Midx.; *ed.* at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; B.A. and 1st class classics, 1833;^(d) Fellow of Merton Coll.; M.A., 1835; M.P. for Southampton Aug. to Dec. 1841, being (1840-41) then *styled* LORD BRUCE. GOV. GEN. OF JAMAICA, 1842-46;

GOV. GEN. OF CANADA, 1846-54. K.T., 12 July 1847. He was *cr.* 13 Nov. 1849, a Peer [U.K.] as BARON ELGIN of Elgin. Lord Lieut. of co. Fife, 1854; *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 4 June 1856; P.C., 1857; G.C.B. (civil, *extra*), 1858. Plenipo. to China, 1857-59, and again 1860-61, his mission ending in the capture of Peking. Postmaster Gen., 1859. GOV. GEN. OF INDIA, Jany. 1862 till his death late in the next year. He *m.* firstly, 22 April 1841, at Kinnaird House, co. Stirling, Elizabeth Mary, only child of Charles-Lennox CUMMING-BRUCE, of Roseisle, co. Stirling. She *d.* s.p.m. 7 July 1843, in Jamaica. He *m.* secondly, 7 Nov. 1846, at St. Peter's, Eaton square, Mary Louisa, *da.* of John George (LAMBTON), 1st EARL OF DURHAM, by his second wife, Louisa Elizabeth, *da.* of Charles (GREY), 2d EARL GREY. He *d.* somewhat suddenly 20 Nov. 1863, aged 52, at Dharmasala in India and was *bur.* privately the next day. His widow who was *b.* 8 May 1819, and was C.I., living 1890.

^(a) Inscription given in full in Wood's "Douglas" where there is a long and most favourable character of him.

^(b) It was as late as 1812 that the last cargo of these, usually known as "the Elgin marbles," arrived in England, and in July 1816 they were purchased by the nation for £35,000 and deposited in the British Museum. It is said that they had cost the Earl no less than £74,000. There was, however a considerable outcry against their removal, as set forth (somewhat strongly) in Byron's "Curse of Minerva."

^(c) This Lady *m.* (immediately) Robert Ferguson, of Raith who *d.* 3 Dec. 1840. She *d.* 9 July 1855.

^(d) See some notice of his Fellow Collegians, under "Herbert of Lea," Barony.

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9 and 2. VICTOR ALEXANDER (BRUCE), EARL OF ELGIN, EARL OF KINCARDINE, &c. [S.], also BARON ELGIN, s. and h., by second wife, *b.* 16 May 1849, at Montreal, Lower Canada; *styled* LORD BRUCE till 1863; *ed.* at Eton and at Balliol Coll., Oxford; B.A., 2d class classic, 1873; M.A., 1877; Treasurer of the Household, Feb. to July 1886; First com. of works, Apr. to Aug. 1886; P.C., 1886; Lord Lieut. co. Fife, 1886. He *m.* 9 Nov. 1876, at Kinnaird Castle, co. Forfar, Constance Mary, 2d da. of James (CARNEGIE), EARL OF SOUTHESK [S.], by his first wife, Catherine Hamilton, 3d da. of Charles (NOEL), 1st EARL OF GAINSBOROUGH. She was *b.* 17 Nov. 1851.

[EDWARD JAMES BRUCE, *styled* LORD BRUCE, 1st s. and h. ap. *b.* 8 June 1881.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 2,895 acres in cos. Fife and Perth, worth £5,240 a year. *Principal Residence*: Broomhall, near Dunfermline, co. Fife.

ELIBANK.

Barony [S.] I. 1643. 1. SIR PATRICK MURRAY, Bart. [S.], of Elibank, *alias* Eliburne, co. Selkirk, s. and h. of Sir Gideon Murray, of the same, one of the Lords of Session [S.], under the *style* of *Lord Elibank* [1613-21], by Margaret PENTLAND, his wife was made Keeper of the Castle of Caerlaverock, 27 June 1611; *suc.* his father, 28 June 1621; was *cr.* a Bart. [S.], 16 May 1628, and was by pat. dat. at Oxford, 18 March 1642/3, *cr.* LORD ELIBANK^(a) [S.], with rem. to heirs male whatsoever. He was one of the six Peers [S.], who in Jan. 1647, opposed the delivering up of the king, by the Scots (in return for the money paid them) to the English Parl. He *m.* firstly, in or before 1612, Margaret HAMILTON. He *m.* secondly, Elizabeth, da. of Sir James DUNDAS, of Arniston, by whom he had four children. He *m.* thirdly Agnes NICOLSON, who *d.* 7 Dec. 1637, being (*more Scotico*) called "*Lady Elibank*" in fun. entry, in Lyon's office. He *m.* fourthly, Helen, da. of Sir James LINDSAY, gent. of the Bedchamber. He *d.* 12 Nov. 1649.

II. 1649. 2. PATRICK (MURRAY) LORD ELIBANK [S.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., by second wife. He (v.p.) joined Montrose in the cause of the king and was, in 1646, fined 20,000 marks by the Parl. He was served heir to his father, 27 May 1650. He *m.* about 1640, Elizabeth, 2d da. of John (STEWART), 1st EARL OF TRAQUAIR [S.], by Catharine, da. of David (CARNEGIE), 1st EARL OF SOUTHESK [S.]. He *d.* 13 Feb. 1661.

III. 1661. 3. PATRICK (MURRAY), LORD ELIBANK [S.], s. and h.; served heir, 1 May 1662, having then attained full age. P.C. 1685 but removed in 1687 for opposing the repeal of the penal laws. He *m.* Anne, widow of Alexander, 7th LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.] (who *d. s.p.* May 1669), da. of Alexander BURNETT, Archbishop of St. Andrew's. He *d.* 1687.

IV. 1687. 4. ALEXANDER (MURRAY), LORD ELIBANK [S.], only s. and h., *b.* 9 March 1677, at Edinburgh; took the oaths and his seat in parl. 19 July 1698, voting in favour of the Union [S.] He *m.* 24 Feb. 1698, Elizabeth, da. of George STIRLING, of Edinburgh, surgeon, sometime M.P. for that city. He *d.* 6 Feb. 1735/6, in his 59th year. Fun. entry in Lyon office. His widow *d.* 11 Nov. 1756, at Inveresk.

V. 1736. 5. PATRICK (MURRAY), LORD ELIBANK [S.], 1st s. and h., *b.* Feb. 1703; Advocate, 22 June 1723; joining the army the same year, becoming 1739, Lieut. Col. of Wynyard's Marines, and being in the

(^a) Sometimes said to be "*Elibank of Ettrick forest*, co. Selkirk."

Carthagena Expedition in 1740. He *m.* in 1735, Maria Margaretta, widow of William (NORTH), LORD NORTH AND BARON GREY OF ROLLESTON, da. of Cornelius DE YONG, Lord of Elmeet in the United Provinces. She *d.* 6 June 1762, and was *bur.* at Aberlady. M.I.^(a) He *d.* s.p. legit. at Ballincreeff 3 Aug. 1778, in his 76th year.^(b) Will pr. March 1780.

VI. 1778. 6. GEORGE (MURRAY), LORD ELIBANK [S.], next br. and h., *b.* 1706; was in the Naval service, accompanying Lord Anson in his celebrated voyage, and becoming finally in 1756 a Rear Admiral. He *m.* Jan. 1760, at Ballincreeff, Isabel, 1st da. of George (MACKENZIE), 3d EARL OF CROMARTY [S.] (*attainted in 1746*), by Isabel, da. of Sir William GORDON, Bart. He *d.* s.p.m. at Ballincreeff, 12 Nov. 1785, in his 80th year. Will pr. April 1786. His widow, who was *b.* 30 March 1725, *suc.* to the estates of her family on the death of her cousin Kenneth Mackenzie of Cromarty, in Nov. 1796, and *d.* at her seat of New Tarbat, co. Ross, 28 Dec. 1801, in her 77th year.^(c)

VII. 1785. 7. ALEXANDER (MURRAY), LORD ELIBANK [S.], nephew and h. male, being s. and h. of the Hon. Gideon Murray, D.D., Prebendary of Lincoln and Rector of Carlton, Notts, by Elizabeth, da. of David MONTOLIEU, BARON DE ST. HYPOLITE, in the Holy Roman Empire,^(d) which Gideon was 3d s. of the 4th and next br. to the 6th Lord and *d.* 21 June 1776. He was *b.* 24 April 1747; sometime, 1763-70, an officer in the 3d Foot Guards; M.P. for co. Peebles, 1783-85; Lord Lieut. thereof, 1785. He *m.* firstly, 20 May 1776, Mary Clara, da. of his maternal uncle, Lewis Charles MONTOLIEU, BARON DE ST. HYPOLITE, in the Holy Roman Empire, by Elizabeth, da. of Peter LEHEUP. She *d.* 19 Jan. 1802, in Princes street, Edinburgh. Admon. April 1802. He *m.* secondly, 1804, Catherine, da. of James STEUART. He *d.* 24 Sep. 1820, aged 73. His widow living 1830.

VIII. 1820. 8. ALEXANDER (MURRAY), LORD ELIBANK [S.], s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 26 Feb. 1780; sometime, 1797-99, an officer in the Coldstream Guards. He *m.* 8 March 1803, at Edinburgh, Janet-Oliphant, posthumous, da. and h. of John HAMILTON *alias* OLIPHANT, of Bachelton, co. Perth, calling himself LORD OLIPHANT [S.]. He *d.* 9 April 1830, at Brussels, aged 51. Will pr. April 1830. His widow *d.* 9 June 1836, aged 55.

IX. 1830. 9. ALEXANDER (OLIPHANT-MURRAY), LORD ELIBANK [S.], s. and h., *b.* 23 May 1804, at Edinburgh; sometime in the East India Company's Service (Bombay). He *m.* 6 Aug. 1838, at St. George's chapel, Edinburgh, Emily Maria, da. of Archibald MONTGOMERY, of Whim., co. Peebles, Judge at Rungpore, in India, by Maria, da. of (—) RAUSCH, of Hesse Cassel, his wife. He *d.* 31 May 1871, at Clifton, co. Glouc., aged 67. His widow *d.* 3 June 1879, aged 57, at Gravelly House, Haywards Heath, Sussex.

X. 1871. 10. MONTOLIEU-FOX (OLIPHANT-MURRAY), LORD ELIBANK [S.], also a Baronet [S. 1628], s. and h., *b.* 27 April 1840, in Edinburgh; entered the Royal Navy, 1854, and retired as Commander, 1870. He *m.* 2 May 1868, at St. Mary's, Cheltenham, Blanche Alice, 1st da. of Edward John SCOTT, of Portland Lodge, Southsea, Hants.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 1,863 acres in co. Haddington (valued at £5,442 a year), 2,660 in co. Peebles, 1,168 in co. Selkirk and 999 in co. Perth; total 6,690 acres, valued at £10,098 a year. *Principal Residences.* Darn Hall, near Eddleston, co. Peebles, and Ballencreeff, co. Haddington. *Note.* Elibank Castle, co. Selkirk, is in ruins.

^(a) This is given in full in "Douglas," vol. i, p. 534.

^(b) His yst. br. Gen. the Hon. James Murray distinguished himself greatly, 1759-60, at Quebec; was Gov. Gen. of Canada, 1763; Gov. of Minorca, 1774, which he gallantly tho' unsuccessfully defended in 1781.

^(c) She was *suc.* in the Cromarty estate by her eldest da. and coheir, Maria, wife of Edward Hay, afterwards Hay-Mackenzie, parents of John Hay-Mackenzie, whose da. and h. Ann, was *cr.* in 1861, Countess of Cromartie, &c.

^(d) This gentleman left France on account of the revocation of the edict of Nantes (1685), coming to England (1688) with William of Orange and becoming a gen. in the English service. He *d.* in Surrey 9 June 1761, in his 93d year.

ELIOT OF ST. GERMANS.

i.e., ELIOT OF ST. GERMANS, co. Cornwall," Barony (*Eliot*), *cr.* 30 Jan. 1784, see under "St. GERMANS," the 2d Baron having been *cr.*, in 1815, Earl of St. Germans.

ELLENBOROUGH.

Barony. I. 1802. 1. EDWARD LAW, 4th s. of Edmund Law, Bishop of Carlisle, by Mary, da. of John CHRISTIAN, of Unerigge, co. Cumberland, b. 16 Nov. 1750, at Great Salkeld, in that co., was ed. at Charterhouse school (on the foundation 1762-68), and at Peterhouse College, Cambridge; B.A. and 3d wrangler and Fellow of his College 1771; M.A., 1774; Barrister (Lincol. Inn) 1780, joining the northern circuit, having for two years before studied as a *Special Pleader*; King's Counsel, 1787, being, 1788-95, engaged in the defence of Warren Hastings; Attorney Gen. of the *Duchy of Lancaster*, 1793; Attorney General (without ever having been Solicitor Gen.) 1801, being knighted 22 Feb. 1801; M.P. for Newtown (Isle of Wight) 1801-02; LORD CH.-JUSTICE OF THE KING'S BENCH, 1802-18, being, on 19 April 1802, *cr.* BARON ELLENBOROUGH,^(a) of Ellenborough, co. Cumberland, P.C. 1802; Speaker of the House of Lords, 1804; Chancellor of the Exchequer (during vacancy) 25 Jan. to 5 Feb. 1806, accepting a seat in the *Cabinet*, 30 Jan. 1806 to 25 March 1807, but refusing the offer of the Great Seal; F.S.A., &c. He m. 17 Oct. 1789, Anne, da. of George Philips TOWRY, Capt. R.N., by Elizabeth da. of George CHAMBERLAINE, also a Capt. R.N. He d. (a month after his retirement from 16 years tenure of office) 13 Dec. 1818, aged 68, at St. James' Square, and was *bur.* (near the Founder) at Charterhouse, London. Will pr. 9 Jan. 1819.^(b) His widow d. 16 Aug. 1843; aged 74, in Stratford Place, Midx. Will pr. Sep. 1843.

II. 1818. 2. and 1. EDWARD (LAW), BARON ELLENBOROUGH, s and h., b. 8 Sept. 1790; ed. at Eton and at St. John's Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1809; M.P. for St. Michaels, 1813-18; Joint Chief Clerk, becoming in 1837 Chief Clerk, of the Pleas in the Court of King's Bench. P.C., 1828; PRIVY SEAL, 1828-29; President of the board of control 1834-35, again Sept. to Oct. 1841, and finally March to June 1858; GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA, 1841-44, receiving in 1843 the thanks of Parl., for his "ability and judgment" in supporting the military operations in Afghanistan,^(c) but being recalled by the East India Company, in April 1844. He was on 22 Oct. 1844, *cr.* VISCOUNT SOUTHAM, of Southam, co. Gloucester and EARL OF ELLENBOROUGH, co. Cumberland; G.C.B., 30 Oct. 1844. First Lord of the Admiralty, Jan. to July 1846. He m. firstly, 11 Dec. 1813, at St. James' Westm., Octavia, 8th da. of Robert (STEWART), 1st MARQUESS OF LONDONDERRY [I.], by his second wife, Frances, da. of Charles (PRATT), 1st EARL CAMDEN. She, who was b. 14 Oct. 1792, d. 5 March 1819. He m. secondly, 15 Oct. 1824, in Harley street, St. Marylebone, Midx, Jane-Elizabeth, sister of Edward-St.-Vincent, 9th BARON DIGBY OF GEASHILL [I.], da. of Admiral Sir Henry DIGBY, G.C.B., by Jane Elizabeth, da. of Thomas WILLIAM (COKE), 1st EARL OF LEICESTER OF HOLKHAM. She, who was b. 3 April 1807, was divorced by act of

(a) This title he selected inasmuch as his mother's mother (Mrs. Christian) was one of the daughters of Humphrey Senhouse, of *Ellenborough*, who, however, left male issue who *suc.* him in that property.

(b) "Few Judges have equalled him in learning, sagacity and unsuspected integrity and none have surpassed him."—Yet "his severity of demeanour, his intolerant manner, and his frequent petulance produced more fear than love."—"Though the bigotry of his opinions as a *Legislator* incurred grave censure, in his character as a *Judge* he won the admiration of all." In the House of Lords "he was apt to use expressions, the violence of which rather astonished than convinced that august assembly, and their coarseness and intemperance frequently called down upon him deserved castigation." See Foss's "*Judges*."

(c) Under his administration, the recapture of Ghuznee and of Cabul was effected, as also the conquest of Scinde, in 1843, by Sir Charles Napier.

Parl. 8 April 1830.^(a) The Earl *d. s.p.* 22 Dec. 1871, at Southam Delabere, co. Glouc. in his 82d year, when the *Earldom of Ellenborough* and the *Viscounty of Southam* became extinct.

Barony. 3. CHARLES EDMUND (LAW, afterwards TOWRY-LAW), III. 1871. BARON ELLENBOROUGH, nephew and h., being 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. of the Hon. Charles-Ewan LAW (Recorder of London) by Elizabeth-Sophia, da. of Sir Edward NIGHTINGALE, Bart., which Charles Ewan was 2d s. of the 1st Baron and *d.* 13 Aug. 1850, aged 58. He was *b.* 17 Nov. 1820; ed. at Winchester: entered the army, 1844; received the Sutej medal for the campaign of 1846; Lieut. Col. 66th Foot, 1855; Col. in the army, 1858. By royal lic., 27 Aug. 1835, he took the name of *Towry* (being that of his paternal grandmother) before that of *Law*. He *m.* firstly, 23 Nov. 1840, at Stanmore, Midx., Eleanor Cecil, 1st da. of William (HOWARD), EARL OF WICKLOW [I.], by Cecil Frances, da. of John James (HAMILTON), 1st MARQUESS OF ABERCORN. She, who was *b.* 26 April 1817, *d. s.p.* 15 June 1852, in the isle of Cumbray, Scotland. He *m.* secondly, 28 June 1855, at Lymington, Hants, Anne Elizabeth, da. of the Rev. John Fitzgerald DAY, of Beaufort House, Killarney. She *d.* 29 Feb. 1860. He *m.* thirdly 26 Aug. 1863, Isabella, only child of Alexander OGILBY, of Pellipar, co. Londonderry. She *d. s.p.m.* 22 April 1874, at Holly Spring, Bracknell, Berks. He *m.* fourthly (in the same year) 1 Dec. 1874, Beatrice-Joanna, yst. da. of Sir Norton Joseph KNATCHBULL, 10th Bart., by Mary, da. of Jesse WATTS-RUSSELL, of Ilam Hall, co. Stafford.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, were under 2,000 acres.

ELLERBECK.

See "CARDWELL OF ELLERBECK, co. Lancaster," *Viscounty (Cardwell)*, *cr.* 1874; *ex.* 1886.

ELLESMERE.

i.e., "ELLESMERE, co. Salop," *Barony (Egerton)*, *cr.* 1603, see "BRACKLEY" *Viscounty*, *cr.* 1616; both *ex.* (together with the *Earldom of Bridgewater*) 1829.

Earldom. I. LORD FRANCIS LEVESON-GOWER, 2d surv. and yst. s. of George (LEVESON-GOWER), 1st DUKE OF SUTHERLAND, by Elizabeth, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF SUTHERLAND [S.], *b.* 1 Jany. 1800, at 21 Arlington street, St. Geo. Han. sq.; ed. at Eton, 1811-14; matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 22 Oct. 1817; 2d class classics, 1820; Cornet in the 10th Hussars, 1821-23; carried the sceptre (as deputy to his mother) before George IV. in Scotland, 1822; M.P. for Bletchingley, 1822-26; for Sutherlandshire, 1826-31; for South Lancashire (under the name of *Egerton*) 1835-46, being in politics a "Liberal-Conservative" of the school of Canning; a Lord of the Treasury, April to Sep. 1827; Under Sec. for the Colonies, Jany. to May 1828; Ch. Sec. to the Lord Lieut. of Ireland, 1828-30; P.C. and P.C. [I.], 1828; took the name of *Egerton*^(b) in lieu of *Leveson-Gower* by royal lic. 24 Aug. 1833, and, having (by the death of his father 19 July previous) inherited the large portion (then estimated at £90,000 a year) of the estates^(c) of the family of *Egerton* (Dukes and Earls of *Bridgewater*, Marquesses and *Viscounts of Brackley* and Barons of *Ellesmere*) devised to his father in 1803 under the will of Francis, 3d and last Duke of *Bridgewater*, was (on the retirement of

^(a) This lady *m.* (secondly), 10 Nov. 1832, Charles-Theodore-Herbert, Baron de Venningen, of Bavaria. She *m.* (thirdly), Cheikh Medjuel el Mazrab, a Gen. in the Greek army. She *m.* (fourthly and finally) about Sep. 1881, one "Midjouel." She *d.* in Damascus 11 Aug. 1881, aged 74. Her will, dat. 15 June 1871, pr. 13 April 1882.

^(b) This name of *Egerton* was born by him a prefix to his title of honour, his signature being "*Egerton Ellesmere*." So also the 5th Earl of Jersey signed himself "*Child Jersey*;" the 5th Earl Cornwallis, "*Mann Cornwallis*," &c.

^(c) This portion comprised Worsley, co. Lancaster, Brackley, co. Northampton, &c. See vol. ii, p. 22, note "b," sub "*Bridgewater*."

the Peel ministry) *cr.* 6 July 1846, VISCOUNT BRACKLEY of Brackley, co. Northampton, and EARL OF ELLESMERE of Ellesmere, co. Salop. **K.G.**, 7 Feb. 1855; Lord Lieut. of co. Lancaster, 1856-57. He was also *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 10 June 1834; Rector of King's Coll., Aberdeen, 1838; President of the Asiatic Society, 1849, &c. He *m.* 18 June 1822, Harriet Catherine, da. of Charles GREVILLE, by Charlotte, da. of William Henry (CAVENDISH-BENTINCK), 3d DUKE OF PORTLAND. He *d.* at Bridgewater House, St. James' Park, 18 Feb. 1857, aged 57, and was *bur.* at Worsley.^(a) M.I. Will *pr.* May 1857. His widow *d.* there 17 April 1866.

II. 1857. 2. GEORGE GRANVILLE FRANCIS (EGERTON), EARL OF ELLESMERE, &c. 1st s. and h., *b.* 15 June 1823, in London; *styled* VISCOUNT BRACKLEY, 1846-57, matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 26 May 1841; M.P. for North Staffordshire, 1847-51; Lieut. Col. Lancashire Yeomanry, 1857. He *m.* 29 April 1846, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Mary Louisa, 4th da. of John Frederick (CAMPBELL), 1st EARL CAWDOR, by Elizabeth, da. of Thomas (Thynne), 2d MARQUESS OF BATH. He *d.* 19 Sep. 1862, at Balbirnie, co. Fife, aged 39. His widow who was *b.* 7 Jan. 1825, living 1890.

III. 1862. 3. FRANCIS CHARLES GRANVILLE (EGERTON), EARL OF ELLESMERE, and VISCOUNT BRACKLEY, s. and h., *b.* 5 April 1847, at Hamilton Place, Midx; *styled* VISCOUNT BRACKLEY, 1857-62; *ed.* at Eton and at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; B.A., 1868; Lieut. Col. of 3d Manchester Batt. of Rifle Volunteers. He *m.* 9 Dec. 1863, Katharine Louisa, 2d of Constantine (PHIPPS), 2d MARQUESS OF NORMANBY, by Laura, da. of Robert RUSSELL. She was *b.* 21 Jan. 1850.

[JOHN-FRANCIS-GRANVILLE-SCROPE EGERTON, *styled* VISCOUNT BRACKLEY, s. and h. ap., *b.* 14 Nov. 1872; *ed.* at Eton.]

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 10,080 acres in Lancashire, 2,839 in Northamptonshire, 303 in Cheshire (worth £11,130 a year) and an unstated quantity in Staffordshire (worth £139 a year) the *total* being (with this last exception) 13,222 acres, worth £71,290 a year, of which about £61,000 is credited (in the return) to the Bridgewater trustees. Principal Residences, Worsley Hall, near Manchester, co. Lancashire and Brackley manor, co. Northampton.

ELM PARK.

See "CLARINA OF ELM PARK, co. Limerick," Barony [I.] (*Massey*), *cr.* 1800.

ELMHAM.

See "WAVENEY OF SOUTH ELMHAM, co. SUFFOLK," Barony (*Adair*), *cr.* 1873; *ex.* 1886.

ELMLEY.

i.e., "Elmley" Viscounty (*Lygon*), *cr.* 1815, with the EARLDOM OF BEAUCHAMP, which see.

^(a) He was also an author of some little note, no less than 26 of his works (most of which are now forgotten) being mentioned in Stephen's "*Nat. Biog.*" His merits, however, as a poet are somewhat slightly spoken of in the "*Ingoldsby Legends*" where in the *moral* to "*The Tragedy*" the last two lines run thus—

"Lest you, too, should stumble, and Lord Leveson Gower, he
Be call'd on—*sad Poet!*—to tell your *sad* story!"

ELPHINSTONE.

- Barony [S.]** 1. ALEXANDER ELPHINSTONE, of Elphinstone and Pittendrieh, both co. Stirling, s. and h. of Sir John E. of the same (whom he *suc.* shortly after July 1508); was in the household of James IV. [S.]; received a large portion of the lands of the Earls of Mar, including the Barony of Kildrummy, &c., and was (on the occasion of the christening of Arthur, son of the abovenamed King) made a Lord of Parl., being *cr.* 14 Jany. 1509/10, LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.] He *m.* before 1507, Elizabeth BERLAY, BARCLAY, or BARLOW, an English lady attached to the Court of Margaret, Queen Consort of James IV. [S.] With that king he was slain at the battle of Flodden, 9 Sep. 1513. His widow *m.* (as his 3d wife) John (FORBES), 6th LORD FORBES [S.], who *d.* 1547.
- II. 1513. 2. ALEXANDER (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], only s. and h. under age at his father's death. He *m.* before Feb. 1525/6, Katharine, da. of Robert (ERSKINE), 4th LORD ERSKINE [S.], *de jure*^(a) EARL OF MAR [S.], by Isabel, da. of Sir John CAMPBELL. He was slain at the battle of Pinkie 10 Sep. 1547.
- III. 1547. 3. ROBERT (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], 1st s. and h.; under age at his father's death. He *m.*, before Sep. 1546, Margaret, da. and coheir of Sir John DRUMMOND, of Innerpeffry, by Lady Margaret STEWART, illegit. da. of King James IV. [S.] He *d.* May 1602.
- IV. 1602. 4. ALEXANDER (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], s. and h., *b.* 28 May 1552, was *v.p.* made in 1599 a member of the new privy council; an extraordinary Lord of Session and High Treasurer [S.]^(b) holding this last office till 5 Sep. 1601, and the former one probably till 1626. The lands of Kildrummy were recovered from him by the Erskine family in 1626 as having been unlawfully in possession of the king when granted to the first Lord. P.C. [appointed by Parl.] 13 Nov. 1641, and one of the committee of estates, 1645. He *m.*, before 10 Aug. 1579, Jean, 1st da. of William (LIVINGSTONE), 6th LORD LIVINGSTONE [S.], by Agnes, da. of Malcolm (FLEMING), 3d LORD FLEMING [S.] He is generally said to have *d.* July 1648 but appears to have *d.* "on Suuday, 11 Jany. 1638," at Elphinstone.
- V. 1658? 5. ALEXANDER (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], 1st s. and h. He *m.*, before 5 July 1608, Elizabeth, sister of James, 1st EARL OF PERTH [S.], da. of Patrick (DRUMMOND), 3d LORD DRUMMOND [S.], by his 1st wife, Elizabeth, da. of David (LINDSAY), 9th EARL OF CRAWFORD [S.] He *d.* s.p.m.s. 1649.
- VI. 1649. 6. ALEXANDER (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of the Hon. James Elphinstone, of Barns, by Margaret, da. of John FORBES, of Brux, which James was next br. to the 5th Lord. He *m.* his cousin (*the heir of line* of the family) Lillias, only da. and h. of his uncle, the 5th Lord, by Elizabeth, his wife, both abovenamed. He was fined £1,000, on 12 April 1654, by Cromwell's act of grace, and *d.* (shortly afterwards) Dec. 1654.
- VII. 1654. 7. ALEXANDER (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], 1st s. and h.; served heir to his father, 30 May 1655. He *m.* Anne, da. of Alexander BURNETT, Archbishop of St. Andrews. He *d.* s.p. soon after his marriage, May 1669. His widow *m.* Patrick (MURRAY), 3d LORD ELIBANK [S.], who *d.* 1687.

(a) By implication in the act, 6 Aug. 1885, for the restitution of the Earldom of Mar.

(b) These offices he obtained thro' the influence of his yr. br, James, one of the "Octavians," who at that time was Sec. of State and afterwards (1604) was *cr.* Lord Balmerinoch [S.]

VIII. 1669. 8. JOHN (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], br. and h., took his seat in Parl. 14 May 1703, and supported the treaty of the Union. He *m.* 23 April 1670, Isabel, 1st da. of Charles (MAITLAND), 3d EARL OF LAUDERDALE [S.], by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Richard LAUDER, of Hatton, co. Edinburgh. She was *bur.* at Elphinstone, 11 Oct. 1706. He *d.* March 1717/8 and was *bur.* there. Fun. entry of both at Lyon office.

IX. 1718. 9. CHARLES (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], 2d but 1st surv.^(a) s. and h., *b.* 6 Dec. 1676, at Edinburgh: Capt. in the army, serving in Flanders, from 1706, but retiring in 1720. He *m.* Elizabeth, sister of William, 1st VISCOUNT PRIMROSE [S.], da. of Sir William PRIMROSE, 2d Bart. [S.], by Margaret, da. of Patrick SCOTT, of Thirlstane. She, who was *b.* 18 Dec. 1680, at Edinburgh, *d.* 18 Feb. 1738, aged 58. Fun. entry at Lyon office. He *d.* at Elphinstone, 20 Feb. 1757 in his 81st year.

X. 1757. 10. CHARLES (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], 3d but 1st surv.^(b) s. and h. He *m.* in 1735, Clementina, da. and eventually sole heir of John (FLEMING), 6th EARL OF WIGTON [S.], being only child of his second wife, Mary, 1st da. of William (KEITH), 9th EARL MARISCHAL [S.]. He *d.* at Edinburgh, 2 April 1781. His widow, who, by the death of her uncle, George, Earl Marischal [S.], 28 May 1778, became the heir of the family of Keith, *d.* in Harley street, Marylebone, 1 Jan. 1799, in her 80th year.^(c)

XI. 1781. 11. JOHN (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], s. and h., *b.* Jan. 1737; served in the army at Canada (under Gen. Wolfe) where he was wounded: Col. of a company of invalids, 1760; Lieut. Gov. of Edinburgh Castle. REP. PEER [S.], 1784-94. He *m.* 1762, Anne, da. of James RUTHVEN, sometimes considered LORD RUTHVEN OF FREELAND [S.], by his 2d wife, Anne, da. of James (STUART), 2d EARL OF BUTE [S.]. He *d.* 19 Aug. 1794, at Cumbernauld House,^(d) co. Dumbarton. Admon. July 1795 and April 1802. His widow *d.* there 28 Oct. 1801.

XII. 1794. 12. JOHN (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], s. and h., *b.* 1764; entered the army about 1780, being, in 1795, Lieut. Col. of the 60th, afterwards of the 61st and subsequently of the 26th Foot, of which last, in 1806 he was Colonel; Major-Gen. in the army, 1805. Lord Lieut. of co. Dumbarton; REP. PEER [S.] 1803-07. He *m.* 31 July 1806, at Edinburgh, Janet Hyndford, widow of Sir John GIBSON-CARMICHAEL, Bart., yst. da. of Cornelius ELLIOTT, of Woolfelee, co. Roxburgh. He *d.* 20 May 1813 and was *bur.* 25th at Bath Abbey, aged 49. Admon. Oct. 1813. His widow *d.* 23 Aug. 1825.

XIII. 1813. 13 and 1. JOHN (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], only s. and h. *b.* 23 June 1807, at Cumbernauld House afsd.; entered the Royal Horse Guards, 1826; Capt. 1832-37. REP. PEER [S.], 1832-35 and 1847-59; a Lord in waiting to William IV, 1835-37; P.C., 1836; G.C.H., 1836; GOVERNOR OF MADRAS,^(e) 1837-42; a Lord in waiting (again) 1847-52; and Jan. to Oct. 1853; GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY, 1853, being for his services, during the Indian Mutiny of 1857, made G.C.B. 1859 and *cr.*, 21 May 1859, BARON

(a) His elder br. John was *b.* 14 May 1672, at Edinburgh, and probably *d.* soon afterwards.

(b) His next elder br. James *d.* young, probably before the *eldest* br., John, MASTER OF ELPHINSTONE, who *m.* Margory, da. of Sir Gilbert FLEMING, Bart. [S.], of Farm, and *d.* v.p. and s.p. May 1753, at Kilcroich; the said Marjory dying 6 Aug. 1784, in Edinburgh.

(c) She was heir of line to her paternal race, Fleming, Earls of Wigtoun [S.], to her maternal race, Keith, Earls Marischal [S.], as also to the senior line of the house of Drummond, being the representative of James, 4th Earl of Perth [S.], her mother's grandfather. In her *seize quartiers*, none of her male ancestors was under the rank of an Earl.

(d) This was the seat of his mother's family (*Fleming*), Earls of Wigtoun [S.].

(e) "It was said (at the time) that this appointment [by Lord Melbourne] was made in order to dissipate an idle rumour, which was current, that the young Queen had

ELPHINSTONE of Elphinstone, co. Stirling. He *d.* unm. in King street, St. James', Westm, 19 July 1860, aged 53, when the *Barony of Elphinstone* [U.K.] became *extinct*. Will pr. 31 July 1860.

XIV. 1860. *14.* JOHN (ELPHINSTONE-FLEEMING), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], cousin and h., being only s. and h. of Admiral the Hon. Charles ELPHINSTONE-FLEEMING, by Donna Catalina-Paulina ALESANDRO, a Spanish lady, which Charles was next br. to the 12th Lord, and (having inherited in 1799 the estates of Cumbernauld and Biggar, co. Dumbarton, being those of his mother's family, under an entail of John, Earl of Wigton [S.], dated 1741) assumed the name of *Fleeming* after that of *Elphinstone*, and *d.* 30 Oct. 1840, aged 76. He was *b.* 11 Dec. 1819, at Glasgow; was sometime Capt. 17th Lancers. He *d.* unm. 13 Jan. 1861, aged 41, at Bournemouth.^(a)

XV. 1861. *15* and *1.* WILLIAM-BULLER-FULLERTON (ELPHINSTONE), LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Lieut. Col. James-Drummond BULLER-ELPHINSTONE, by his second wife,

Barony.

I. 1885. Anna Maria, da. and h. of Vice Admiral Sir Edward BULLER, Bart., of Trenant, co. Cornwall, which Lieut. Col. Buller-Elphinstone (who *d.* 8 March 1857, aged 69) was 4th but 1st surv. s. and h. of the Hon.

William FULLERTON-ELPHINSTONE (by Elizabeth, da. of William FULLERTON), who was yr. br. of the 11th and 3d s. of the 10th Lord, and who *d.* 3 May 1834, aged 89. He was *b.* 18 Nov. 1828; was in the royal navy, retiring 1870 with the rank of Captain; 5th class of the Turkish order of the Medjidie; grand cordon of the Portuguese order of the Conception. REP. PEER [S.], 1867-85, being, on 30 Dec. 1885, *cr.* BARON ELPHINSTONE of Elphinstone, co. Haddington;^(b) was a Lord in Waiting, 1874-80, and again since 1885. He *m.* 16 June 1864, at St. Andrew's Church, Dunmore, Falkirk, Constance-Euphemia-Woronzo, 2d da. of Alexander Edward (MURRAY), 6th EARL OF DUNMORE [S.], by Catharine, da. of George Augustus (HERBERT), 11th EARL OF PEMBROKE. She was *b.* 28 Dec. 1838.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, did not amount to 2,000 acres, being those devised by John Fullerton, of Carberry, to his niece Elizabeth, wife of the Hon. William Elphinstone, afterwards FULLERTON-ELPHINSTONE, grandmother of the 15th Lord Elphinstone. *Principal Residence.* Carberry Tower, near Musselburgh.

ELTHAM.

i.e., "ELTHAM, co. Kent," Earldom (*H.R.H. Frederick Lewis*), *cr.* 1726 with the DUKEDOM OF EDENBURGH, which see; *merged* in the Crown, 1760.

ELVASTON.

i.e., "STANHOPE OF ELVASTON, co. Derby," Barony (*Stanhope*), *cr.* 1717, with the VISCOUNTCY OF STANHOPE OF MAHON. See "STANHOPE" Earldom, *cr.* 1718.

ELVEDEN.

See "KEPPEL OF ELVEDEN, co. Suffolk," Viscounty (*Keppel*), *cr.* 1782; *ex.* 1786.

fallen in love with the handsome guardsman." See memoir in Stephen's "*Nat. Biog.*" In Cruikshank's "*Comic Almanack*," for 1838, there is (p. 50) a "*Hieroglyphicum in Futuro*," headed by a picture of the Queen, as the "*Queen of Hearts*" beset "by a whole pack of *knaves* who are suing" and "wooing" "to entrap her," "kidnap her," &c.

"But occult operations behind the state curtain,"

Shew an *Elph* that makes *their* success very uncertain."

^(a) On his death the estates and representation of the Fleming family devolved on his sisters and coheirs, of whom the eldest, Clementina, *m.* Cornwallis (Maude), 1st Earl de Montalt.

^(b) The former creation (1859) was of "co. Stirling."

ELY [*England.*]

i.e., "ELY, ISLE OF," Marquessate (*H.R.H. Frederick Lewis*), *cr.* 1726, with the DUKEDOM OF EDENBURGH, which see ; merged in the Crown, 1760.

ELY [*Ireland.*]

Barony [I.] TEIGE O'CARROLL is said to have been *cr.* by Edward IV. I. 1552. in 1552 BARON ELY or ELY O'CARROLL [I.], but no record of this patent is to be found.

Viscountcy [I.] 1. SIR ADAM LOFTUS, LORD CHANCELLOR [I.], was, 10 I. 1622. May 1622, *cr.* VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY,^(a) King's County [I.] He was 2d s. of Robert LOFTUS (br. of Adam Loftus, Archbishop of Dublin ; Lord Chancellor [I.], 1578-1605) was *cr.* LL.D. ; made Judge of the Marshal-Court [I.], 17 Sep. 1597 ; Master in Chancery [I.], 8 Nov. 1598 ; was knighted by the Lord Deputy [I.] at Christchurch, Dublin, 25 Dec. 1604 ; LORD CHANCELLOR [I.], 13 May 1619, being raised to the peerage, as above stated, three years later and being continued in his post as Chancellor (by the new King) 11 April 1625, till his removal therefrom 25 May 1638, for "misdemeanours and irregularities." He was also three times one of the CHIEF GOVERNORS OF IRELAND as joint Lord Justice, *viz.*, 1622-25, 1629-33, and finally 1636. He signed the proclamation, 23 Oct. 1641, notifying the discovery of the Irish rebellion, by which having lost "to the value of £8,330 and £2,106 a year"^(b) he quitted that kingdom. He *m.* in 1597 Sarah, widow of Richard MEREDYTH, Bishop of Leighlin (1589-96), da. of (—) BATHOW. He *d.* at Middleham, co. York, about 1646 and was "*bur.* at Corkham."^(b) Admon. 24 Feb. 1646/7, to his son Edward. His widow *d.* 1 Aug. 1650.

II 1646. 2. EDWARD (LOFTUS), VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY [I.], 2d^(c) but 1st surv. s. and h. male ; Custos Rot. co. Kildare. He *m.* Jane, da. and coheir of Arthur LINDLEY, of Middleham Castle, co. York. He *d.* Easter Day, 11 April 1680, in his 82d year, was *bur.* 22d at Monasterevan. His widow *d.* 14 Nov. 1684, and was also *bur.* there. Her will dat. 27 Oct., pr. 23 Nov. 1684, in Dublin.

III. 1680, 3. ARTHUR (LOFTUS), VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY [I.],
to only s. and h. b. 1744. He *m.* firstly Douglas, da. and coheir of
1725. William SAVAGE, of Castle Rheban, co. Kildare. She *d.* s.p. and was
bur. at Monasterevan. He *m.* secondly, in 1676, Anne, widow of Sir
Andrew OWENS, da. of William HAWKINS. She *d.* 17 March 1702, and was *bur.* in
her father's vault, at St. Werburgh's, Dublin. He *m.* thirdly, 2 April 1702, Letitia,
da. of Sir John ROWLEY, of Castle Roe, co. Derry, by Mary, 1st da. and coheir of Sir
Hercules LANGFORD. He *d.* s.p.m.s., 6 Nov. 1725, in his 82d year, and was *bur.* the
16th, at Monasterevan, when the Viscountcy became extinct.^(d) His widow *m.* (as his
2d wife) Nicholas (LOFTUS), 1st VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY [I.], who *d.* 31 Dec. 1763,
aged 76. She *d.* s.p. 19 July, 1765, at Summer Hill, co. Meath.

(a) There is no preamble to the patent ; that to the privy seal (dat. at Westm. 23 April 1622) is given in "Lodge," vol. vii, p. 247. The privy seal directs the title to "descend upon his posterity, that thereby his virtues may be recorded to future ages, so long as there shall remain an heir male of his house."

(b) "Lodge," vol. vii, p. 247.

(c) His elder br. Sir Robert Loftus, Knighted 5 Nov. 1619, by the Lord Deputy [I.], *d.* v.p. at Mellefont, 11 Oct. 1640, leaving Anne his da. and h. who *m.* Richard Lennard Barrett, of Bellhouse, Essex, and brought him a considerable estate in co. Monaghan.

(d) The estate of Monasterevan (since called Moore Abbey), devolved on his grandson and h. Henry (MOORE), 4th Earl of Drogheda [I.], whose mother, Jane, was his only child that had issue, being his da. by his 2d wife.

IV. 1756. *I.* NICHOLAS (LOFTUS), BARON LOFTUS OF LOFTUS HALL [I.], was on 19 July 1756, *cr.* VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY [I.] He was *b.* about 1687, being only surv. s. and h. of Henry LOFTUS^(a) of Loftus Hall afsd., by his second wife, Anne, da. and h. of Henry CREWKERN, of Exeter, co. Devon. He was M.P. for co. Wexford for many years, till, on 5 Oct. 1751, he was *cr.* BARON LOFTUS OF LOFTUS HALL,^(b) co. Wexford [I.], taking his seat 7 Nov. following; P.C. [I.], 1753, being 3 years later *cr. a* Viscount as above mentioned, and taking his seat, as such, 21 Nov. 1757; Gov. of co. Wexford. He *m.* firstly Anne, sister of Brabazon, 1st EARL OF BESSBOROUGH [I.], 2d da. of William PONSONBY, 1st VISCOUNT DUNCANNON [I.], by Mary, sister of Brabazon MOORE. He *m.* secondly, Letitia, widow of his cousin, Arthur (LOFTUS), 3d VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY [I.], who *d.* 6 Nov. 1725, in his 82d year. He *d.* in Capel Street, Dublin, 31 Dec. 1763, aged 76. Will dat. 23 March 1758, to 26 July 1763. His widow *d. s.p.*, 19 July 1765, at Summer Hill, co. Meath.

V. 1763. *2* and *1.* NICHOLAS (HUME-LOFTUS), VISCOUNT LOFTUS Earldom [I.] OF ELY, &c. [I.], s. and h. M.P. for Bannow, 1739; for Fethard, 1761. Custos Rot. of co. Wexford, 1764; P.C. [I.], 1764. He was *cr.* 23 Oct. 1766, EARL OF ELY, co. Wicklow [I.] He *m.*, 18 Aug. 1736, Mary, 1st da. and coheir of Sir Gustavus HUME, 3d Bart. [I.], of Castle Hume, co. Fermanagh, by Alice, da. of Henry (MOORE), 3d EARL OF DROGHEDA [I.] In consequence of this marriage he assumed the name of *Hume* in addition to that of *Loftus*. She *d.* Oct. 1740. He *d.* (a few days after his creation as an Earl) 31 Oct. 1766.

Earldom [I.]	} 1766.	<i>2</i> and <i>3.</i> NICHOLAS (HUME-LOFTUS), EARL OF ELY, VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY, &c. [I.], only s. and h., <i>b.</i> 11 Sep. 1738; Gov. of co. Fermanagh, 1767. He <i>d.</i> unm. in Dominick street, Dublin, 12 Nov. 1769, aged 31, when the <i>Earldom of Ely</i> [I.] became <i>extinct</i> , but the other titles devolved as under.
II.		
Viscountcy [I.]		
VI.	}	

Viscountcy [I.] *4* and *1.* HENRY (LOFTUS), VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY VI. 1769. [1756] and BARON LOFTUS OF LOFTUS HALL [1751] in the peerage of Ireland, uncle and h., being 2d and yst. s. of the (IVth) 1st Viscount by his first wife, *b.* 18 Nov. 1709; resided many years at Richfield; High Sheriff for co. Wexford, 1744; M.P. for Bannow; took his seat in the House of Lords, 16 Nov. 1769. He was *cr.*, 2 Dec. 1771, EARL OF ELY, co. Wicklow [I.], being introduced in Parl. as such 5 Dec. 1771. *K.P.*, 5 Feb. 1783, being one of the 15 original knights of that order,^(c) but was never invested or installed, being out of the kingdom at the time (27 March 1783) of the first installation. He *m.* firstly, in 1745, Frances, da. of Henry MONROE, of Roe's Hall, co. Down. She *d.* Aug. 1774. He *m.* secondly, in 1775, Anne, da. of Hugh BONFOX, Capt. R.N., by Anne, da. of Richard ELIOT, of Port Eliot. He *d. s.p.* 8 May 1783, aged 73, at Bath co. Somerset, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. His widow who long survived him *d.* 14 Aug. 1821, in Grosvenor street, Midx. Her will pr. 1821.

(^a) This Henry (who *d.* 1716, aged 80), was 2d son of Nicholas Loftus, of Fethard (*d.* 1666, aged 74), the 2d son of Sir Dudley L. of Rathfarnham (*d.* 1616, aged 55), the s. and h. of Adam Loftus, Archbishop of Dublin, Lord Chancellor [I.], 1578-1605 (*d.* 1605 aged 72), which Archbishop was br. to Robert, the father of Adam Loftus, *cr.* in 1622, Viscount Loftus of Ely [I.], as before stated.

(^b) The preamble (in English) of this creation is in "Lodge," Vol. vii, p. 266.

(^c) See a list of these knights vol. i, p. 136, *sub* "Arran."

Viscountcy [I.] 1. CHARLES (LOFTUS), BARON LOFTUS OF LOFTUS HALL [I.] (*formerly* CHARLES TOTTENHAM), was, on 28 Dec. 1789, *cr.* VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY, on 2d March 1794, EARL OF ELY, and on 29 Dec. 1800,^(a) MARQUESS OF ELY [I.], being also a few days later, 19 Jan. 1801, *cr.* BARON LOFTUS OF LONG LOFTUS, co. York [U.K.] He was s. and h. of Sir John TOTTENHAM, Bart. [I.], (so *cr.* 2d. Dec. 1780), by Elizabeth, sister and coheir of Henry (LOFTUS), last EARL OF ELY [I.], yst. da. of Nicholas (1Vth) 1st VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY [I.], both abovenamed. He was *b.* 23 Jan. 1738; was M.P. for New Ross, 1761-68; for Bannow, 1768-76; for Fethard, 1776-83, and for co. Wexford, 1783-85, during which period he *suc.* to the estate in cos. Wexford and Fermanagh of his maternal uncle, the Earl of Ely abovenamed, and assumed the name of *Loftus* in heir of *Tottenham*, being on 28 June 1785, *cr.* BARON LOFTUS OF LOFTUS HALL, co. Wexford [I.] He *suc.* his father as 2d Baronet [I.], 29 Dec. 1786. Within six years of his having been first [1785] ennobled he obtained a *Marquessate*, having received, in that short space of time, no less than five separate peerage creations.^(b) He was P.C. [I.]; Gov. of Wexford; joint Postmaster Gen. [I.], 1789-1806; **K.P.**, 12 Dec. 1794, being installed 11 Aug. 1800. He *m.* 23 June 1766, Jane 1st, da. and coheir of Robert MYHILL,^(c) of Killarney, co. Kilkenny, by Mary, da. of William BILLINGSLEY, of Three Castles in that county. He *d.* 22 March 1806, aged 68, in Hume street, Dublin. Will *pr.* 1806. His widow *d.* at Bath, co. Somerset, 21 Feb., and was *bur.* 10 March 1807, in Bath Abbey.

Marquessate [I.] }
 II. }
Earldom [I.] } 1806.
 V. }
Viscountcy [I.] }
 IX. }

2. JOHN (LOFTUS), MARQUESS OF ELY, EARL OF ELY, &c. [I.], also BARON LOFTUS [U.K.], 1st s. and h., *b.* 15 Feb. 1770; *styled* VISCOUNT LOFTUS, 1794-1806. M.P. for co. Wexford, 1790-1800, and again [U.K.], 1802-06; Gov. of co. Wexford; P.C. [I.]; Postmaster Gen. and Teller of the Exchequer [I.], **K.P.**, 3 Nov. 1807, being installed 29 June 1809; *cr.* D.C.L., of Oxford, 3 July 1810. He *m.* 22 May 1810, Anna Maria, da. of Sir Henry Watkin DASHWOOD, 3d Bart., of Kirtlington, Oxon, by Mary Helen, da. of John GRAHAM, member of Council in Bengal. He *d.* 26 Sep. 1845, aged 75. Will *pr.* Feb. 1846. His widow was *b.* 1785; was one of the Maids of Honour to Queen Charlotte, and subsequently a lady of the Bedchamber to Queen Adelaide; *d.* 6 Sep. 1857 (a few months after her son), aged 72, at Hampton Court Palace, Midx. Will *pr.* Sep. 1857.

[HENRY ROBERT LOFTUS, *styled* VISCOUNT LOFTUS, 1st s. and h. ap., *b.* 15 March and *d.* v.p., 15 April 1813.]

Marquessate [I.] }
 III. }
Earldom [I.] } 1845.
 VI. }
Viscountcy [I.] }
 X. }

3. JOHN HENRY (LOFTUS), MARQUESS OF ELY, &c. [I.], also BARON LOFTUS [U.K.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. *b.* 19 Jan. 1814, in Hill Street, St. Geo. Han. Sq.; *styled* VISCOUNT LOFTUS till 1845; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.) 24 Oct. 1832; M.P. (for a few months) for Woodstock, 1845. He *m.* 29 Oct. 1844, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Jane, da. of James Joseph HOPE-VERE, of Craigie, by Elizabeth da. of George (HAY), 7th MARQUESS OF TWEEDALE [S.] He *d.* 15 July 1857, aged 43, in Eaton Square, Midx. Will *pr.*

^(a) This was one of the 4 Marquessates, which, with 14 other Irish peerages, were *cr.* this day, being the last batch of creations, made before the Union. See vol. i, p. 208, note "c," *sub* "Avonmore."

^(b) "*Prends moi tel que je suis*," was the motto of the Marquess, and inasmuch as it related to one, whose names was *Tottenham*, in 1770, *Loftus* in 1783, who was made a *Baron* in 1785, a *Viscount* in 1789, an *Earl* in 1794 and a Marquess in 1800, it was perhaps not inappropriate.

^(c) An account of this family is given in Lodge, vol. vii, p. 269.

July 1857. His widow, who was *b.* 3 Dec. 1821, was a Lady of the Bedchamber, 1851-89, being an *extra* Lady 1889-90; **V.A.** 3d class. She *d.* 11 June 1890, at 22 Wilton Place, Midx., aged 68.^(a) Both were *bur.* in the Cemetery at Kensal Green.

Marquessate [I.] }
III. }
Earldom [I.] } 1857.
VII. }
Viscountcy [I.] }
XI. }

4. JOHN HENRY WELLINGTON GRAHAM (LOFTUS), MARQUESS OF ELY, &c. [I.], also BARON LOFTUS [U.K.], only s. and h. *b.* 20 Nov. 1849, *styled* VISCOUNT LOFTUS till 1857; *ed.* at Harrow; *matric.* at Oxford (Merton Coll.), 10 April 1869. He *m.* 9 Dec. 1875, at St. Saviour's, Chelsea, Caroline Anne, *da.* of George CAITHNESS. He *d.* s.p. at Cannes, in France, in his 40th year, 3 April 1889, and was *cremated* the 13th, at Woking Cemetery, Surrey. Will *pr.* 3 July 1889, above £52,000 leaving his widow (who was living 1890), residuary legatee.

Marquessate [I.] }
V. }
Earldom [I.] } 1889.
VIII. }
Viscountcy [I.] }
XII. }

5. JOHN HENRY (LOFTUS), MARQUESS OF ELY [1800], EARL OF ELY [1794], VISCOUNT LOFTUS OF ELY [1789], and BARON LOFTUS OF LOFTUS HALL [1785] in the peerage of Ireland, also BARON LOFTUS OF LONG LOFTUS [1801, U.K.], also a Baronet [1780, I.], cousin and h., being s. and h. of the Rev. Lord Adam LOFTUS, Rector of Magheraculmonee, co. Fermanagh, by Margaret, *da.* of Robert FANNIN, of Dublin, which Lord Adam, was 4th s. of the 2d Marquess, and *d.* 25 Dec. 1866, aged 50. He was *b.* 6 March 1851.

Family Estates.—These in 1883, consisted of 34,879 acres, co. Fermanagh, and 14,023 acres, co. Wexford, besides 90 acres (worth £600 a year), in Kent. Total 48,992 acres, worth £23,751 a year. *Principal Residences*, Ely Lodge, co. Fermanagh; Loftus Hall, co. Wexford, and Kearsney Abbey, near Dover, Kent.

Of Ely Lodge (4 miles north of Enniskillen), a demesne on lower Lough Erne (with which the quondam demesne of "Castle-Hume" is incorporated), it is said that it is "certainly the most unique, if not the most beautiful of all our summer residences." See "Parl. Gazetteer of Ireland."

EMLEY.

See "FAIRFAX OF EMLEY, co. Tipperary," Viscountcy [I.] (*Fairfax*), *cr.* 1629; *ex.* 1741.

EMLY OF TERVOE.

Barony. }
I. 1874. } 1. THE RT. HON. WILLIAM MONSELL, only s. and h. of William M. of Tervoe, co. Limerick, by Olivia, *da.* of Sir John Allen JOHNSON-WALSH, 1st Bart. [I.], was *b.* 21 Sep. 1812; *ed.* at Winchester and at Oriel Coll., Oxford; High Sheriff of co. Limerick, 1835; M.P. for co. Limerick, 1847-74; Clerk of the Ordnance, 1852-57; P.C., 1855; Pres. of the board of health, Feb. to Sep. 1857; Vice Pres. of board of trade, Feb. to July 1866; Under Sec. for the Colonies, 1868-70, and Postmaster Gen., 1870-73, being, on 12 Jany. 1874, *cr.* BARON EMLY OF TERVOE, co. Limerick. Lord Lieut. of co. Limerick, 1873. He *m.* firstly, 11 Aug. 1836, Anna Maria Charlotte, *da.* of Windham Henry (WYNDHAM-QUIN), 2d EARL OF DUNRAVEN AND MOUNT EARL [I.], by Caroline, *da.* and h. of Thomas WYNDHAM, of Dunraven, co. Glamorgan. She who was *b.* Nov. 1814 *d.* s.p.s. 7 Jany. 1855. He *m.* secondly in 1857 Bertha, *da.* of the COMTE DE MONTIGNY.^(b)

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 2,710 acres, cos. Limerick and Clare, worth £2,638 a year. *Principal Residence*, Tervoe, co. Limerick.

^(a) "A chosen friend" of the Queen, in whose "*Leaves from the Journal*" she is frequently mentioned, she, "in her earlier life was one of the most admired about the Court, with the Duchess of Wellington, the Duchess of Sutherland and Lady Jocelyn." See *Morning Post*, 12 June 1890.

^(b) Some account of this family is given in Burke's Peerage [1889], *sub* "Emly."

EMLYN.

i.e., "VAUGHAN OF EMLYN, co. Carmarthen," Barony (*Vaughan*), *cr.* 25 Oct. 1643. See "CARBERY" Earldom of [I.], *cr.* 1628, *sub* the 2d Earl; both titles becoming *extinct* in 1713.

i.e., "EMLYN of Emlyn, co. Carmarthen," Viscounty (*Campbell*), *cr.* 1827 with the EARLDOM OF CAWDOR OF CASTLEMARTIN, which see.

ENCOMBE.

i.e., "ENCOMBE of Encombe, co. Dorset," Viscounty (*Scott*), *cr.* 1821 with the EARLDOM OF ELDON, which see.

ENFIELD.

i.e., "ENFIELD, co. Midx.," Barony (*Nassau*), *cr.* 1695, with the EARLDOM OF ROCHFORD, which see; both titles *ex.* 1830.

i.e., "ENFIELD of Enfield, co. Midx.," Viscounty (*Byng*), *cr.* 1847, with the EARLDOM OF STRAFFORD, which see.

ENGAINE.

Barony by Writ.
 I. 1299, to 1322. JOHN ENGAINE, of Pytchley, co. Northampton, Dillington, co. Huntingdon, &c., s. and h. of John E. of the same, by John, da. and h. of Henry GRAY, *suc.* his father (1296-97), 25 Ed. I., being then aged 30, was^(a) sum. to attend the King at Salisbury, 26 Jan. (1296/7), 25 Ed. I.,^(b) and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD ENGAINE), by writs from 6 Feb. (1298/9), 27 Ed. I., to 15 May (1321), 14 Ed. II. He served in the Scotch wars, and was one of the Barons who subscribed in 1301 the letter to the Pope, his signature thereto being as "Johannes Engayn, Dominus de Columb."^(c) He *d.* s.p. (1322-23), 16 Ed. II., when the *Barony* became *extinct*.

II. 1342. I. JOHN ENGAINE, nephew and h., beings. and h. of Nicholas E., by Amicia, da. of Walter FAUCONBERG, which Nicholas was next br. to the last Lord. He proved his age in 1323, at his Uncle's death, and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD ENGAINE), by writs from 25 Feb. (1341/2), 16 Ed. III. to 20 Nov. (1360), 34 Ed. III. tho' this last summons must apparently be a mistake as he *d.* in Feb. 1357/8,^(d) at Dillington, co. Huntingdon, having *m.* Joane, da. of Sir Robert PEVEBELL.

(a) "This Writ may have been addressed to his father, for on 30 Dec. preceding, the son received a command to attend the marriage of the Princess Elizabeth, in which he is described as John de E. jun. *Fœdera*, N. E. vol. i, p. 850." [*Courthope*].

(b) See Vol. i, p. 111, note "a," *sub*. "Ap. Adam," as to this writ of 1297, not being such as could constitute a peerage.

(c) *Query* Colne-Engaine, co. Essex, which was one of the many manors belonging to the last Lord and possibly to this one.

(d) His *Inq. post mortem* states that he "died on Wednesday next after the Feast of St. Valentine 1358, so that the summons of 20 Nov. 1360 is probably a mistake; Sir John Engaine, his eldest son, *d.*, v.p., so that Thomas, the 2d son, became h. to his father." [*Courthope*].

III. 1358, 2. THOMAS ENGAINE, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. *de jure*, to apparently, LORD ENGAINE, but who never was sum. to Parl. as such. 1367. He was aged 22 in (1358), 32 Ed. III. He m. Katharine, said to be da. of Hugh (COURTENAY,) EARL OF DEVON. He d. 29 June (1367), 41 Ed. III., when any right to the *Barony* fell into *abeyance*, between his three sisters and coheirs. (*) His widow lived till (1399), 1 Hen. IV.

ENMORE.

i.e., "LOVELAND HOLLAND OF ENMORE, co. Somerset," *Barony* (*Perceval*), cr. 1762. See "EGMONT," Earldom of [L.], cr. 1733, under the second Earl.

ENNERDALE.

i.e., "ENNERDALE, co. Cumberland," *Barony* (*Hamilton*), cr. 1619, with the EARLDOM OF CAMBRIDGE, and ex. therewith 1651. See "HAMILTON," Marquessate [S.], cr. 1599, under the second and following holders thereof.

ENNISHOWEN.

i.e., "ENNISHOWEN AND CARRICKFERGUS of Ennishowen co. Donegal, and Carrickfergus, co. Antrim," *Barony* (*Chichester*), cr. 1841; ex. 1883. See "DONEGALL" Marquessate [L.], cr. 1771, under the third Marquess.

ENNISKILLEN.

See "MAGUIRE OF ENNISKILLEN, co. Fermanagh," *Barony* [L.] (*Maguire*), cr. 1628; *forfeited* 1644.

See "LIGONIER OF ENNISKILLEN, co. Fermanagh," *Viscounty* [L.] (*Ligonier*), cr. 1757; ex. 1770.

Viscounty [L.] I. WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY (COLE), BARON MOUNT-FLORENCE of Florence Court, co. Fermanagh [1760, I.], s. and h. of John (COLE), 1st BARON MOUNT-FLORENCE [L.], by Elizabeth, da. of Hugh Willoughby MONTGOMERY, of Carrow, co. Fermanagh, was b. 1736; took the grand tour of Europe, 1756-57; was M.P. for Enniskillen, 1761-67; *suc.* his father in the peerage, 30 Nov. 1767, taking his seat 7 March 1768, and was, eight years afterwards, 20 July 1776, cr. VISCOUNT ENNISKILLEN, co. Fermanagh [L.], taking his seat, as such, 14 Oct. 1777. He was, 18 Aug. 1789, cr. EARL OF ENNISKILLEN [L.] He m. 3 Nov. 1763, Anne, sister of Armar, 1st EARL OF BELMORE [L.], da. of Galbraith LOWRY, afterwards LOWRY-CORRY, of Athenis, co. Tyrone, by Sarah, da. and coheir of John CORRY, of Castle Coole, co. Fermanagh. She was b. 24 June 1742, and d. Sep. 1802. He d. 22 May 1803, aged 67. Will pr. 1809.

II. 1803. 2. JOHN WILLOUGHBY (COLE), EARL OF ENNISKILLEN, &c. [L.], 1st s. and h., b. 23 March 1768; styled VISCOUNT COLE, 1789-1803; B.A., Dublin, 1789; M.P. for co. Fermanagh, 1790-1800, and again [U.K.], 1801-03; REP. PEER [L.], 1804-40; K.P., 27 March 1810; Gov. of co.

(*) These were (1) Joyce, aged 30, wife of John de Goldington (2) Elizabeth, aged 26, wife of Sir Laurence Pabenhams, and (3) Mary, aged 24, wife of Sir William Bernak. Among these ladies his lands was divided.

"In 1 Hen. IV. (1399), the coheirs of the *Barony* were the above-mentioned Joyce de Goldington, Katherine the wife of Sir Thomas Aylesbury, da. and h. of the said Elizabeth, da. of the said John, Baron Engaine; and the above-mentioned Mary, who m. 2ndly Thomas le Zouche. Lady Katherine Aylesbury had by Sir Thomas, two daughters Isabel and Eleanor, and a son John, who was succeeded by his son Hugh, who d. 1423, s.p., leaving his aunts, Isabel wife of Thomas Chaworth, and Eleanor wife of Sir Humphrey Stafford, of Grafton, his coheirs; the said Katherine m. 2ndly Sir William Cheney, and by him had a son, Lawrence Cheney." [*Courthope*.]

Fermanagh. He was, 11 Aug. 1815, *cr.* BARON GRINSTEAD^(a) of Grinstead, co. Wilts [U.K.] He *m.* 15 Oct. 1805, Charlotte, sister of Henry William, 1st MARQUESS OF ANGLESEY, 4th da. of Henry (PAGET), 1st EARL OF UXBRIDGE, by Jane, da. of the Very Rev. Arthur CHAMPAGNE. She, who was *b.* 26 Oct. 1781, *d.* 26 Jan. 1817. He *d.* 31 March 1840, aged 72.

III. 1840. 3. WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY (COLE), EARL OF ENNISKILLEN, &c. [I.], also BARON GRINSTEAD, 1st s. and h., *b.* 25 Jan. 1807, in Dover street, Midx.; *styled* VISCOUNT COLE till 1840; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 4 Feb. 1826; *M.P.* for co. Fermanagh, 1831-40; *Hon. Col.* in the Enniskillen Militia Fusileers; *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 13 June 1834; LL.D. of Dublin, 1865; F.R.S., &c. He *m.* firstly, 16 Jan. 1844, Jane, 1st da. of James Archibald CASAMAJOR. She *d.* at 102 Eaton Place, Midx., 13 May 1855. He *m.* secondly, 5 Aug. 1865, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Mary Emma, 1st da. and coheir of Charles (BRODRICK), 6th VISCOUNT MIDLETON [I.], by Emma, da. of Thomas (STAPLETON), LORD LE DESPENCER. He *d.* 12 Nov. 1886, at Florence Court, co. Fermanagh, in his 80th year. Will resealed 2 April 1887, above [E. and I.] £18,000.^(b) His widow, who was *b.* 20 Feb. 1826, living 1890.

[JOHN WILLOUGHBY MICHAEL COLE, *styled* VISCOUNT COLE, 1st s. and h. ap., by 1st wife; *b.* 16 Dec. 1844; *d.* v.p., 15 April 1850, in his 6th year.]

IV. 1886. 4. LOWRY EGERTON (COLE), EARL OF ENNISKILLEN [1789], VISCOUNT ENNISKILLEN [1776] and BARON MOUNT-FLORENCE OF FLORENCE COURT [1760] in Ireland, also BARON GRINSTEAD [1815], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 21 Dec. 1845, in Mount street, St. Geo. Han. Sq. *styled* VISCOUNT COLE, 1850-86; *ed.* at Eton; sometime, 1865-68, an officer in the Rifle brigade; High Sheriff for co. Fermanagh, 1870; *M.P.* for that county, 1880-85; *Hon. Col.* Enniskillen Militia Fusileers. He *m.* 12 July 1869, at St. Peter's Eaton Sq., Midx., Charlotte Marion, da. and coheir of Douglas BAIRD, of Closeburn, co. Dumfries, by Charlotte, da. of Henry ACTON, Capt. 12th Lancers.

[JOHN-HENRY-MICHAEL COLE, *styled* VISCOUNT COLE, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap., *b.* 10 Sep. 1876.]

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 29,635 acres in co. Fermanagh, besides 569 in Wilts. Total 30,204 acres, worth £19,290 a year. *Principal Residence.* Florence Court, Enniskillen.

^(a) It is a curious fact that when Scotch or Irish Peers receive a peerage of the United Kingdom they *generally* (happily not always) prefer any title (often one entirely unknown and in some cases one most uncouth) to the title by which they and their ancestors have been known. Thus the Earl of Limerick and the Earl of Erne tho' both of them representative Peers of Ireland and known both *in* and *out* of the House of Lords *only* by such title chose (instead of a Barony of their own name) the one to be Baron "Foxford of Stackpole Court, co. Clare," and the other Baron "Fermanagh of Linaskea, co. Fermanagh." Thus, also, for instance, in 1880, instead of there being in the House of Lords a Lord Courtown, Aboyne, Glasgow, Kinnaird, Enniskillen, Limerick, Erne, Conyngham, Clanricarde, Crawford, Headfort, Meath, Gosford, Stair, Fife, Seafield, Dunraven, Rollo, Southesk, and Caithness, the peerages [U.K.] selected by the Scotch and Irish Peers so named (as if on purpose to puzzle the uninitiated and to escape from their own identity) are Saltersford, Meldrum, Ross, Rossie, Grinstead, Foxford, Fermanagh, Minster, Somerhill, Wigan, Kenlis, Chaworth, Worlingham, Oxenfoord, Skene, Stratspey, Kenry, Dunning, and [speak softly!] Balinhard, and Barrogill.

^(b) "King William's trunk, mustard pot, and spurs," are bequeathed therein as heirlooms.

ENNISMORE.

- Barony [I.]** WILLIAM HARE, was *cr.* 31 July 1800,^(a) **BARON ENNISMORE** co. Kerry [I.], being subsequently, 15 Jan. 1816, *cr.* **VISCOUNT ENNISMORE AND LISTOWEL** [I.] and, finally, 5 Feb. 1822, **EARL OF LISTOWEL** [I.], which see.

ENZIE.

i.e., "HUNTLY AND ENZIE"^(b) Earldom of (*Gordon*), *cr.* 1684, with the **DUKEDOM OF GORDON** [S.]; *ex.* therewith 1836.

ERDINGTON.

- Barony by Writ.** HENRY DE ERDINGTON, of Erdington, in Aston, near Birmingham, co. Warwick, s. and h. of Henry Erdington of the same, by Matilda, da. of Roger DE SOMER, feudal Lord of Dudley and his first wife Nicola, da. of William (ALBINI), EARL OF ARUNDEL (to which Nicola, the said Matilda^(c) was coheir); *suc.* his father in 1294, and was aged 24 at his mother's death, to whom he was heir, in 1302; **K.B.** (with Prince Edward) 1306; was in the Expedition to Scotland, and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD ERDINGTON), by Writ 22 Jan. (1335/6), 9 Ed. III., but never afterwards,^(d) as neither were any of his posterity.^(e) He m. Jane da. and coheir of Sir Thomas Wolvey, of Wolvey, co. Warwick. He *d.* before 1345, leaving male issue.^(e)

ERESBY.

See "WILLOUGHBY DE ERESBY," Barony (*Willoughby*), *cr.* 1313.

ERNE OF CROM CASTLE.

- Barony [I.]** 1. ABRAHAM CREIGHTON of Crom Castle, co. Fermanagh, I. 1768. only s. and h. of David C.^(f) of the same (Col. of Reg. of Foot and Major Gen. in the Army), by Catharine sister of Thomas, 1st **BARON SOUTHWELL OF CASTLE MATTRESS** [I.], da. of Richard SOUTHWELL, was *b.* about 1700; *suc.* his father 1 June 1728; M.P. for Lifford, 1727-68; and was *cr.* 15 July 1768, **BARON ERNE OF CROM CASTLE**, co. Fermanagh [I.], taking his seat 18 Dec. 1769. He *m.* firstly 1 July 1729, Elizabeth, 1st da. of the Rt. Hon. John ROGERSON, Lord Ch. Justice of the Kings Bench [I.], 1727-41. She *d.* 6 Aug. 1760. He *m.* secondly 7 Sep. 1762, Jane, widow of Arthur ACHESON, da. of John KING, of Charles-town, co. Roscommon, by his first wife Elizabeth, da. of Robert SHAW, of Newford, co. Galway. He *d.* 10 June 1772, aged about 72, and was *bur.* at Newtown Butler, co. Fermanagh. His second wife survived him.

^(a) See vol. i, p. 166, note "a," *circa finem*, under "Ashtown," as to this being one of 26 peerages [I.], conferred that year.

^(b) It is said that an **EARLDOM OF ENZIE** [S.], was *cr.* 17 April 1599, with the **MARQUESSATE OF HUNTLY** [S.], but no such creation is mentioned in the appendix to "Wood's Douglas," vol. ii, p. 673. If such was the case, it would of course, be still existing with the Marquessate of Huntly [S.]

^(c) See the "*Barons of Dudley*," by H. S. Grazebrook, pp. 21-25. Roger de Somer, br. of the *half* blood to this Matilda, was heir to their father, and ancestor of the Suttons, Lords Dudley.

^(d) It is of course not to be supposed that (even) the House of Lords would now hold that a hereditary peerage was thus constituted. The editor has however followed "Nicolas" and "Courthope," and not displaced Erdington from among the Baronies by Writ.

^(e) Giles, his s. and h. had pardon (1345), 19 Ed. III., for not receiving Knighthood. He left issue Thomas, whose posterity continued to reside at Erdington for several generations.

^(f) He defended Crom Castle against a large body of the Army of King James II.

II. 1772. } 2 and 1. JOHN (CREIGHTON), BARON ERNE OF CROM
 Viscounty [I.] } CASTLE [I.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* about 1738; M.P. for
 I. 1781. } Lifford, 1761-72; took his seat in the House of Lords [I.], 12 Oct.
 Earlom [I.] } 1773. He was *cr.* 6 Jan. 1781, VISCOUNT ERNE OF CROM
 I. 1789. } CASTLE, co. Fermanagh [I.], and on 18 Aug. 1789, EARL
 ERNE^(a) OF CROM CASTLE, co. Fermanagh [I.] He was Gov.
 of co. Fermanagh; REP. PEER [I.], 1801-28, being one of the
 original 28 so elected. He *m.* firstly, Feb. 1761, Catharine, sister
 of Ralph, 1st VISCOUNT WICKLOW [I.], da. of Robert HOWARD,
 Bishop of Elphin, by Patience, da. and h. of Godfrey BOLEYNE. She *d.* 15 June
 1775. He *m.* secondly, 22 Feb. 1776, Mary Caroline, 1st da. of Frederick Augustus
 (HERVEY), 4th EARL OF BUISTOL, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Jermyn DAVERS, Bart.
 He *d.* 15 Dec. 1828, aged about 90, in Great Denmark street, Dublin. Will pr. April
 1829. His widow *d.* 10 Jan. 1842, at Hampton Court Palace, Midx.

Earlom, &c. [I.] } 2. and 3. ABRAHAM (CREIGHTON), EARL
 II. } ERNE OF CROM. CASTLE, &c. [I.], 1st s. and h., by
 Barony [I.] } 1828. } 1st wife, *b.* about 1762; styled VISCOUNT CREIGHTON,
 IV. } 1789-1828; M.P. for Lifford, 1783-97. He *d.* unm.
 10 June 1842, "near London," aged about 80.

Earlom, &c. [I.] } 3. and 4. JOHN (CRICHTON), EARL ERNE
 III. } OF CROM CASTLE, &c. [I.], nephew and h., being s. and
 Barony [I.] } 1842. } h. of Lieut. Col. the Hon. John CRICHTON,^(b) by
 IV. } Jane, 2d da. of Col. Walter WELDON, of Rahinderry,
 Queen's County, which John was 2d s. of the 1st
 Earl and *d.* 10 May 1833, aged 67. He was *b.* 30
 July 1802, in Dublin; High Sheriff of co. Fermanagh,
 1831; of co. Donegal, 1833; Lord Lieut. of co.

Fermanagh, 1845; REP. PEER [I.], 1845-85. **K.P.** 17 Nov. 1868. He was, 13 Jan.
 1876, *cr.* BARON FERMANAGH OF LISNASKEA,^(c) co. Fermanagh [U.K.] He
m. 6 July 1837, Selina Griselda, 2d da. of the Rev. Charles Cobbe BERESFORD, Rector
 of Baillieborough, by Anna Maria, da. of the Rev. Frederick FITZPATRICK. She who
 was *b.* Dec. 1804, *d.* 6 Sep. 1884, in her 80th year at Red Lodge, Southampton. The
 Earl *d.* at Crom Castle, 3 Oct. 1885, in his 84th year. Will pr. Feb. 1886, in London.

Earlom, &c. [I.] } 4. and 5. JOHN HENRY (CRICHTON), EARL
 IV. } ERNE OF CROM CASTLE [1789], VISCOUNT ERNE OF
 Barony [I.] } 1885. } CROM CASTLE [1781], and BARON ERNE OF CROM
 V. } CASTLE [1768], in Ireland, also BARON FERMANAGH
 OF LISNASKEA [1876], 1st s. and h., *b.* 16 Oct. 1839,
 in Dublin, styled VISCOUNT CRICHTON, till 1885; ed.
 at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford. B.A., 1861; M.A.,
 1863; Sheriff for co. Fermanagh, 1864; for co.

(^a) See vol. ii, p. 102, note "a" as to the omission of the word "of" in several
 Earldoms, more especially in those of Ireland.

(^b) It is presumed that the change of spelling of the name, formerly Creighton, as
 Crichton took place about this time.

(^c) This was one of a batch of eight Peerages on which some remarks are made in
 "N and Q" 5th s. V. 101, and especially on this one. It is always objectionable to
 use the name of a COUNTRY as a title of a *Barony*, and the fact of this title being
 "Fermanagh of Lisnaskea" hardly makes it better; "Baron Suffolk of Ipswich," or
 "Baron Sussex of Hastings" do not commend themselves to our taste. The title of
Fermanagh (the county of which was constituted in 1579) was enjoyed as a Viscounty
 and Barony [I.], by the family of Verney, from 1703 to 1810. There are not now enough
counties left to form the titles of Earls or Viscounts, present and future, to admit of
 one being "*potted*" in this manner for a submerged Barony. In this case the grantee
 himself, being an Irish Rep. Peer, continued (*even in the House of Lords*, as of course,
 elsewhere) to be known only as *Earl Erne*. As to the strange practise of most Scotch
 and Irish Peers when created Peers [U.K.], taking some *unknown* designation in lieu
 of the title by which they *are* known, see p. 267, note "a," *sub* "Enniskillen."

Donegal, 1867; M.P. for Enniskillen, 1868-80; for co. Fermanagh 1880-85; was a Lord of the Treasury, 1876-80, and was sometime "Conservative whip." **K.P.** Aug. 1889. He *m.* 28 Dec. 1870, at Killesher, co. Fermanagh, Florence Mary, 2d da. of William Willoughby (COLE), 3d EARL OF ENNISKILLEN [I.], by his first wife, Jane, da. of James Archibald CASMAJOR. She was *b.* 5 Aug. 1849.

[HENRY-WILLIAM CRICHTON, *b.* 30 Sep. 1872, styled VISCOUNT CRICHTON from 1885; ed. at Eton.]

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 31,389 acres^(a) in co. Fermanagh, 4,826 co. Donegal, 2,184 co. Mayo, and 1,966 co. Sligo. Total 40,365 acres valued at £23,850 a year. *Principal Residence.* Crom Castle, near Newtown Butler, co. Fermanagh.

ERRIS OF BOYLE.

Barony [I.] The HON. ROBERT-EDWARD KING, 2d s. of Robert Henry, 2d EARL OF KINGSTON [I.], was, 29 Dec. 1800, *cr.* BARON ERRIS OF BOYLE,^(b) co. Roscommon. He was, on 28 May 1806, *cr.* VISCOUNT LORTON OF BOYLE, co. Roscommon [I.], which see.

ERROLL.

Earldom [S.] 1. SIR WILLIAM HAY, of Erroll, co. Perth, HEREDITARY I. 1453. CONSTABLE OF SCOTLAND,^(c) s. and h. of Gilbert Hay, by Alicia, da. of Sir William HAY, of Yester (which Gilbert *d. v.p.* in England about 1430) *suc.* his grandfather Sir William Hay in 1436 and was *cr.*, 17 March 1452/3, EARL OF ERROLL [S.] He was one of the Commissioners who concluded a treaty with the English in 1457. He *m.*, before 17 March 1449/50, Beatrix, sister of James, 1st EARL OF MORTON [S.], da. of James (DOUGLAS), LORD DALKEITH [S.] by his 1st wife, Margaret, da. of James (DOUGLAS), EARL DOUGLAS [S.] He *d.* about 1460. His widow was living 25 Nov. 1482.

II. 1460? 2. NICHOLAS (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, and HEREDITARY CONSTABLE [S.], s. and h., under age at his father's death. He *m.* before 31 Jany. 1466/7, Elizabeth, da. of Alexander (SETON, *alias* GORDON), 1st EARL OF HUNTLY [S.], by his third wife, Elizabeth, da. of William (CRICHTON), LORD CRICHTON [S.] He *d.* s.p. 1470. His widow *m.* before 12 July 1471, as his 2d wife, John (KENNEDY), 2d LORD KENNEDY [S.], who *d.* 1508.

III. 1470. 3. WILLIAM (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], br. and h. P. C. to King James III. [S.]; Commissioner to treat of peace with England, 1427. He *m.* firstly, Isabel, da. of George (GORDON), 2d EARL OF HUNTLY [S.], by his first wife, Lady Annabella STEWARD, da. of King James I. [S.] He *m.* secondly, before 25 March 1501, Elizabeth, da. of George (Leslie), 1st EARL OF ROTHES [S.] by his second wife, Christian, da. of Walter (HALYBURTON), 1st LORD DIRLETOUN [S.] She was living 1503, but *d.* s.p.m. He *m.* thirdly Margaret, widow of Sir James SANDILANDS, da. of Andrew KER, of Auldtonburn. He *d.* 1506. His widow living 17 May 1509.

(a) The Earl of Enniskillen has just about the same quantity of acres (30,000) in co. Fermanagh, as Lord Erne, tho' *his* are worth nearly £19,000 while those of Lord Erne (who in 1876 was *cr.* Baron *Fermanagh*) are estimated at £17,039 a year.

(b) He was the last commoner raised to the peerage of Ireland on the eve of the Union. See vol. i, p. 166, note "a," sub "Ashtown."

(c) The important office of *Constable* (together with the lands of Slains, co. Aberdeen), had been conferred 12 Nov. 1314, by King Robert I. [S.] on Sir Gilbert Hay, of Erroll, the great grandfather of Sir William Hay above-named, who was grandfather of the first Earl. It was probably in *right of this high office* that the precedence of this Earldom was allowed at the decret of ranking in 1606, above that of several Earldoms of more ancient creation and inferior only to three, *viz.*, Angus, Argyll (which last was also so *ranked* from, apparently, the same [*i.e.*, *official*] cause) and Crawford, whose date of creation was as early as 1398.

IV. 1506. 4. WILLIAM (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], s. and h. by first wife, served heir to his father 21 Sep. 1507. He had a grant of the Sheriffdom of Aberdeen, 10 Feb. 1510/1. He *m.* Elizabeth, yst. da. of William (RUTHVEN), 1st LORD RUTHVEN [S.], by his second wife, Christian, da. of JOHN (FORBES) 2d LORD FORBES [S.] He was slain at the battle of Flodden, 9 Sep. 1513. His widow *m.* as his second wife, before 9 Dec. 1529 (when she was living), Ninian (ROSS), LORD ROSS OF HALKHEAD [S.], who was living 30 June 1534.

V. 1513. 5. WILLIAM (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], only s. and h. He was P.C. to King James V. [S.]; was a commissioner sent to France 1515, and to England 1516. He *m.* before 1520, Helen, da. of John (STEWART), 3rd EARL OF LENNOX [S.], by Ann, da. of John (STEWART), EARL OF ATHOLE [S.] He was living 21 Oct. 1530, about which date he appears to have effected a settlement of the Earldom and Constablenesship to *heirs male*, and probably *d.* soon afterwards. His widow *m.* as his second wife, John (GORDON), EARL OF SUTHERLAND [S.], who *d.* July 1567, and *d.* 1563-65.

VI. 1535? 6. WILLIAM (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], only s. and h. who, on the resignation of his father, Earl William, 21 Oct. 1530, had charters of certain lands. He *d.* s.p. 11 April 1541, aged 20.^(a)

VII. 1541. 7. GEORGE (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, and HEREDITARY CONSTABLE [S.], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Thomas HAY, of Logy Almond, co. Perth, by Margaret LOGY, heiress of Logy Almond *afsd.*, which Thomas was 2d s. of William, the 3d Earl. Tho' kept out of possession some seven months his claim appears to have been acknowledged by charter 13 Dec. 1541, wherein the dignities were limited to him and his heirs male. He *m.*, firstly, before 25 Oct. 1542, Margaret, da. of Alexander ROBERTSON, of Strowan, by Isabel, da. of John (STEWART), EARL OF ATHOLE [S.] He *m.* secondly, before 3 Dec. 1571, Helen, da. of Walter BRUCE, of Pitcullen, co. Perth. She was living 6 March 1571/2. He was alive 1574 but probably *d.* soon afterwards.

VIII. 1575? 8. ANDREW (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], 1st s. and h., by first wife. He *m.* firstly his cousin, Jean,^(a) sister and heir of line of William (HAY), 6th EARL OF ERROLL, abovenamed. He *m.* secondly Agnes, da. of George (SINCLAIR), EARL OF CAITHNESS [S.], by Elizabeth, da. of William (GRAHAM), 2d EARL OF MONTROSE [S.] He *d.* 1585.

[ALEXANDER HAY, Master of Erroll, *styled* LORD HAY, s. and h. ap. by first wife, survived his father but was set aside by act of Parl. from succeeding to the Earldom and Constablenesship on ground of his insanity.]

IX. 1585. 9. FRANCIS (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], 2d s. by first wife and heir by act of Parl. as above mentioned. He, with some other Scotch Earls (Crawford, Huntly, and Bothwell), treasonably espoused the interest of Spain as early as 1588, giving a defeat to the Royal army 3 Oct. 1594. The Earl was, however, pardoned in 1596 and was in 1604 one of the Parl. Commissioners for treating of a union with England. He *m.* firstly Anne, da. of John (STEWART), 4th EARL OF ATHOLE [S.], by his second wife, Margaret, da. of Malcolm (FLEMING), LORD FLEMING [S.] She *d.* s.p. He *m.* secondly, Margaret, da. of James (STEWART), EARL OF MORAY [S.] (the "*Good Regent*"), by Ann, da. of William (KEITH), EARL MARISCHAL [S.] She, too, *d.* s.p. He *m.* thirdly, before 10 Aug. 1600, Elizabeth, yst. da. of William (DOUGLAS), 6th EARL OF MORTON [S.], by Agnes, da. of George (LESLIE), EARL OF ROTHES [S.] He *d.* 16 July 1631, at Slains, co. Aberdeen, and was privately *bur.* there.

^(a) Jean, only sister of the 6th Earl, was his heir and the *heir of line to the former Earls*. She *m.* her cousin Andrew (Hay) Earl of Erroll, and their posterity continued the line till 1674, when the dignities passed to the heir *male*, a descendant of Earl Andrew by his second wife, tho' the descendants (thro' the female line) of the said Jean still continued.

X. 1631. 10. WILLIAM (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], s. and h. by third wife. He was ed. as a Protestant and acted as *High Constable*^(a) at the coronation of King Charles I. in 1633. His extravagant and splendid style of living caused him to alienate the lands of Erroll, so long enjoyed by his ancestors. He m. Ann, 1st da. of Patrick (LYON), 1st EARL OF KINGHORN [S.], by Ann, da. John (MURRAY), 1st EARL OF TULLIBARDINE [S.] He d. at Erroll, 7 and was bur. there 18 Dec. 1636. His widow d. there 8 Feb. 1637.

XI. 1636. 11. GILBERT (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], only s, and h.; served heir to his father and grandfather, 30 Aug. 1638; obtained a pension, 1639; was Col. of Horse in "the Engagement" to rescue King Charles I., in 1648; raised a reg. for the service of Charles II., to whom, in 1661, he was P.C. Having resigned his dignities to the Crown, he received a new grant thereof, 13 Nov. 1666, to him and the heirs of his body, which failing, to the heirs he should appoint,^(b) rem. to the heirs male and of tailzee and provision in the former limitations, rem. to his heirs male and finally to his heirs whatsoever. He m. 7 Jan. 1658, at Kinnaird, Catharine, yst. da. of James (CARNEGIE), 2d EARL OF SOUTHESK [S.], by Isabel, da. of Robert (KER), EARL OF ROXBURGH [S.] Having executed a nomination of his successor, 16 Feb. 1674, he d. within six weeks thereof s.p. His widow was, in 1689, Chief Governess to Prince James Francis (*titular* Prince of Wales), at the court of St. Germain, in France, where she d. in 1693.

XII. 1674. 12. JOHN (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, and HEREDITARY CONSTABLE [S.], cousin and h. male, *suc.* to the above-named dignities by virtue of the nomination of 16 Feb. 1674, above-mentioned and had a charter of that Earldom, 4 March 1674. He was b. about 1635, being s. and h. of Sir Andrew HAY, of Killour, by Margaret, da. of Patrick KINNAIRD, of Inchture, co. Perth, which Andrew, was s. and h. of George Hay of Killour afsd., who was yst. s. of Andrew, 8th Earl of Erroll, by his second wife Agnes SINCLAIR.^(c) He m. Ann, da. of James (DRUMMOND), 3rd EARL OF PERTH, [S.], by Ann, da. of George (GORDON), 2d MARQUESS OF HUNTLY [S.] She was b. Jan. 1656. He d. 30 Dec. 1704.^(d)

XIII. 1704. 13. CHARLES (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], 1st s. and h., b. about 1680. He took the oaths and his seat in Parl. 28 June 1705, warmly opposing the Union [S.], and entering, 7 Jan. 1707, a protest against it. He was made K.T., in 1705, by the *titular* King James III. Being suspected of treason, he was in 1708, imprisoned in Edinburgh Castle. He d. unm. 16 Oct. 1717.^(e)

XIV. 1717. 14. MARY, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF ERROLL, &c. [S.] eldest sister and heir of line, *suc.* to the dignities enjoyed by her brother under the nomination of 16 Feb. 1674, above-mentioned, to whom she was served heir, 6 Feb. 1717/8. She m. Alexander FALCONER, next br. to David, 5th LORD FALCONER OF HALKERTOUN [S.] He was b. 1682. The Countess had her claim as *High Constable* [S.], allowed at the coronation, 11 Oct. 1727, of George II. Under the act, 1747, abolishing heritable jurisdictions, she received £1,200 for the regality of Slains. She d. s.p. 19 Aug. 1758, at Slains Castle, co. Aberdeen.

(a) A report on the honours and privileges of this office was issued 27 July 1631. See "Douglas," Vol. I., p. 551.

(b) See as to this class of Peerage (one in which the grantee is authorized to nominate his successor), vol. ii, p. 14 note "a," *sub.* "Breadalbane."

(c) The descent being by this second wife and not by the first wife Jean (the heir of line of the earlier Earls of Erroll), this Earl and his posterity were not the heirs *general* of those Earls. See p. 271, note "a."

(d) Of the "*Earl of Arrol*" it is said in Macky's Characters (about 1702), that he "hath lived retired since the Revolution, is of a brown complexion, middle stature, towards 70 years old."

(e) Macky, in his "*Characters*," says (about 1702) of him, that "my Lord Hays is one of the hopefulest young gentlemen in the Kingdom, and an enemy to Presbytery; not 25 years old."

XV. 1758. 15. JAMES (BOYD, afterwards HAY), EARL OF ERROLL and HEREDITARY CONSTABLE [S.], grandnephew and heir, being s. and h. of William (BOYD), 4th EARL OF KILMARNOCK [S.], by Ann, da. and h. of James (LIVINGSTONE), EARL OF LINLITHGOW and CALENDAR [S.], and Margaret, his wife, yst. and only sister of Mary, *suo jure* Countess of Erroll abovenamed. He was b. 20 Dec. 1726; ed. at Dalkeith school and at the Univ. of Glasgow; served in the 21st Foot, in 1745, King George's side, and was allowed to succeed to the *estates*, tho' not to the *peerage dignities of his father*, which had been forfeited in the Stuart cause, their possessor being executed 18 Aug. 1746. He took the name of *Hay* in lieu of that of *Boyd*, on succeeding to the Earldom of Erroll. At the Coronation of George III, he officiated as *High Constable* [S.] He was a Lord of Police, 1767; REP. PEER [S.] 1770. He m. firstly, 15 Sep. 1749, Rebecca, da. of Alexander LOCKHART, of Craighouse, a Lord of Session [S.], by the style of Lord Covington. She d. s.p.m., 2 May 1761, at Bristol. He m. secondly, 3, or 10 Aug. 1762, at Ford, co. Northumberland, Isabella, eldest of the two daughters and coheirs of William CARR, of Etall in that county, styling himself a Baronet,^(a) by (—) his wife. He d. 3 July 1778, in his 53d year, at Calendar House.^(b) Admon. 10 April 1779. His widow d. in Queen street, Edinburgh, 3 and was bur. 10 Nov. 1808, in Holyroodhouse chapel. Admon. March 1811.

XVI. 1778. 16. GEORGE (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], 1st s. and h. by 2d wife, b. 13 May 1767, at Slains afsd.; ed. at Harrow school; served in the army, 1780, becoming, 1745, Col. of the 1st Reg. of Foot Guards. REP. PEER [S.], 1796; on which occasion his right to the peerage was questioned on the ground of it having been originally a male fief, but was *confirmed* 19 May 1797, on the ground of the nomination^(c) of 1674. He m. 25 Jany. 1790, at Portpatrick, Elizabeth Jeminia, sister of Joseph Henry, 1st BARON WALLSCOURT [L.], da. of Joseph BLAKE, of Ardfry, co. Galway, by Honoria, da. of Dermot DALY. He d. s.p. 14 June 1798, aged 31, at Grenier's Hotel, and was bur. at St. Marylebone, Midx. His widow m. 12 Sep. 1816, at St. James', Westm., the Rt. Hon. John Hookham FRERE, who d. 7 Jany. 1846, in his 77th year. She d. 17 Jany. 1831, at Malta, and was (as was her second husband) bur. there. Admon. 1832.

XVII. 1798. 17. WILLIAM (HAY-CARR), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], next br. and h., b. 12 March 1772; took, by royal lic. 28 March 1795, the name of *Carr* in lieu of that of *Hay* on inheriting the estate of Etall (being that of his maternal grandfather) which, however, he forfeited on succeeding to the peerage;^(d) Knight Marischal [S.], 5 Feb. 1806; REP. PEER [S.], 1806 and 1818; Lord High Commissioner to the Church of Scotland. He m. firstly 9 Jany. 1792, at St. John's, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Jane, da. of Matthew BELL, of Woolsirgham. She d. s.p.m. 14 April 1793, aged 23, at Etal afsd. He m. secondly, 3 Aug. 1796, in London, Alicia, 3d da. of Samuel ELLIOTT, of Antigua, by Alice, da. of Col. William BYAM, of Byams, in Antigua. She d. 24 April and was bur. 1 May 1812, at Bath Abbey. He m. thirdly, 14 Oct. 1816, Harriet, sister of Mark, 16th LORD SOMERVILLE [S.], da. of

(a) It was apparently on the death s.p. (16 Aug. 1776) of Sir Robert Kerr, 7th Bart. [S.], of Greenhead that William Carr, of Etall, assumed the title. See notice of this family of Kerr by Mr. R. R. Stodart, in "Her. and Gen." vol. vi, pp. 231-240, and see page 234 thereof, for such alleged descent. "*Sir William*" d. 11 April 1777, and was *suc.* in his "*Baronetcy*," by his br., "*Sir Robert*," "(a mercer on Ludgate Hill), who d. (also s.p.m.) 6 March 1791, in his 85th year. Their ancestry has, apparently, never been ascertained.

(b) Had it not been for the attainder of his father and grandfather he would have united in himself the four Scotch Earldoms of Erroll, Kilmarnock, Linlithgow and Calendar. His description is given at some length in Wood's "*Douglas*" (vol. i, p. 554) as being "of the most graceful form, the most elegant, polished and popular manners," &c., it being also stated that "Dr. Johnson was positive that he resembled Homer's character of Sarpedon."

(c) It was urged on the other side that "*there no where exists such a nomination*," neither is there anything to "specify the dates of the deeds of nomination supposed to be executed," &c., which arguments, if true, seems very much *ad rem*.

(d) The cause was not concluded till 16 July 1806, when it was finally determined against the Earl by a decree of Chancery.

Lieut. Col. the Hon. Hugh SOMERVILLE, by his second wife, Mary, da. of the Hon. Wriothesley DRIGBY. He *d.* 26 Jany. 1819, aged 46. Admon. April 1819. His widow who was *b.* 23 May 1786, *d.* 28 Jany. 1864, at Rosiere, Lyndhurst, Hants, aged 77.

[JAMES CARR, 1st s. and h. ap. by 2d wife, *b.* 7 July 1797, *styled* LORD HAY, 1798-1815. He *d.* unm. and v.p., being slain at the battle of Waterloo, 18 June 1815, aged 18.]

XVIII. 1819. 18. WILLIAM GEORGE (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL, &c. [S.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., by second wife, *b.* 21 Feb. 1801; *styled* LORD HAY, 1815-19. He *m.* (when under age) 4 Dec. 1820, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Miss Elizabeth FITZ CLARENCE, illegit. da. of H.R.H. William Henry, DUKE OF CLARENCE (afterwards, 1830-37, **King William IV.**), by "Mrs. Jordan," i.e., Dora, da. of Francis BLAND, of co. Kerry. He was elected a REP. PEER [S.], 1826; made (by his Royal father-in-law) **G.C.H.** in 1830; and was, 17 June 1831, *cr.* **BARON KILMARNOCK** of Kilmarnock,^(a) co. Ayr [U.K.]; P.C., 1831; **K.T.**, 1834; Master of the Buckhounds, 1835-40; Steward of the Household, 1840-41; Lieut. Gen. of the Royal Archers [S.]; Rector of Marischal College, Aberdeen; Lord Lieut. of co. Aberdeen, &c. He *d.* 19 April 1846, aged 45, in Portman square, Midx. Will pr. Dec. 1847. His widow *d.* 16 Jany. 1856, aged 55, at Edinburgh. Will pr. Feb. 1856.

XIX. 1846. 19. WILLIAM HENRY (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL and HEREDITARY CONSTABLE [S.], also **BARON KILMARNOCK** [U.K.], 1831, only s. and h., *b.* 2 May 1823, *styled* LORD HAY till 1831 and then, apparently, *styled* LORD KILMARNOCK; served in the army 1841 to 1860, being severely wounded at the battle of Alma 20 Sep. 1854, and becoming, in 1855, Major in the Rifle Brigade. He *m.* 20 Sep. 1848, at Montreal, Eliza Amelia, 1st da. of Gen. the Hon. Sir Charles GORE, **G.C.B.**, by Sarah Rachel, da. of James FRAZER, member of the Council of Nova Scotia. She, who was *b.* 24 Feb. 1829, was a lady of the Bedchamber 1872. **V.A.**, 2d class.

[CHARLES GORE HAY, *styled* LORD KILMARNOCK, 1st s. and h. ap., *b.* 11 and *d.* 12 Oct. 1850].

[CHARLES GORE HAY, *styled* LORD KILMARNOCK, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap., *b.* 7 Feb. 1852, at Montreal; entered the Royal Horse Guards, 1869; Lieut. Col., 1887, and Silver Stick in Waiting. He *m.* 11 Aug. 1875, at St. Michael's, Muncaster, Mary Caroline, yst. da. of Edmond L'ESTRANGE, of Tynte Lodge, co. Leitrim, by Henrietta Susan Beresford, sister of Richard George (LUMLEY), 9th EARL OF SCARBROUGH.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 4,249 acres in co. Aberdeen and 4,015 in Northumberland. Total 8,264 acres, worth £9,599 a year. *Principal Residence.* Slains Castle, near Cruden, co. Aberdeen.

ERSKINE.

Barony [S.] 1. SIR ROBERT ERSKINE, of that Ilk [*i.e.*, Erskine, on the Clyde], s. and h. of Sir Thomas E. of the same by Janet,^(b) da. and h. of Sir Edward KEITH, of Syntoun, was taken prisoner at the battle of Homildon, in 1402; *suc.* his father about 1419, was one

^(a) *Kilmarnock* is the peerage title of the Earldom [S.] to which he would by paternal descent (from the Boyd family) have been entitled if the attainder of the 4th Earl, in 1746, had been reversed.

^(b) This Janet Keith, to whom (tho' she had a *daughter* by a first husband) this Robert Erskine was heir, brought into the Erskine family the right to the ancient *Earldom of Mar* [S.], thro' her mother Christian, da. of Sir John Menteith, by Elyne, sister of Donald and da. of Gratney, *Earls of Mar*. [S.]

of the hostages for the ransom of King James [S.], in 1424, when his revenue was estimated at 1,000 marks, was set at liberty 19 June 1425, being somewhere about that date, probably before 1426, but certainly before 24 May 1429, made a Lord of Parl.,^(a) as LORD ERSKINE [S.]. Soon after the death (1435) of Alexander, husband of Isabel, *suo jure* Countess of Mar [S.] (to which Alexander and his heirs by her, that Earldom^(b) had been resigned) Lord Erskine, was, in 1438, served heir to the said Countess Isabel, and assumed the title of EARL OF MAR [S.] He appears to have *m.* soon after 20 Dec. 1400^(c) a da. of David (LINDSAY), 1st EARL OF CRAWFORD [S.] He *d.* 1453.

II. 1453. 2. THOMAS (ERSKINE), LORD ERSKINE [S.], only s. and h., styled himself (like his father), EARL OF MAR [S.]. By, however, an assize of error, 15 May, confirmed by Parl. 5 Nov. 1457, the *Earldom of Mar*^(d) was declared to have devolved on the crown, on the death of Earl Alexander in 1435, and the service of Lord Erskine in 1438 as heir to the Countess Isabel was reduced. He had charter of the lands of Dalnotter in Lennox, 5 Jan. 1458/9, as *Lord Erskine*, and, as such, sat in Parl. [S.], 14 Oct. 1467. He took the part of King James III. [S.], in the insurrection of 1488. He *m.* before 1445 Janet Douglas.^(e) She was living Aug. 1489, when her life rent was reserved. He was also living at that date, but *d.* before 6 Dec. 1494.

III. 1490? 3. ALEXANDER (ERSKINE), LORD ERSKINE [S.], only s. and h. He was Gov. of Dumbarton Castle; was P.C. to King James IV. [S.], with whom he was in great favour. He *m.* firstly, before 9 Oct. 1466, Christian, da. of Sir Robert CREIGHTON, OF SANQUHAR. He *m.* secondly before 23 July 1489, Helen, widow of Adam (HEPBURN), 2d LORD HALES [S.], 1st da. of Alexander (HOME), 1st LORD HOME [S.], by his 1st wife, Mariota LANDALS. She was living 21 Nov. 1497. He was living 29 Jan. 1506/7, but *d.* before 17 June 1510.

IV. 1510? 4. ROBERT (ERSKINE), LORD ERSKINE [S.], 1st s. and h. He *m.* (mar. charter 1485) Isabel, 1st da. of Sir George CAMPBELL, of Loudoun, by his 1st wife, who was said to be a da. of Gilbert (KENNEDY), 1st LORD KENNEDY [S.]. She was living 8 June 1510. He *d.* 9 Sep. 1513, being slain at the battle of Flodden.

V. 1513. 5. JOHN (ERSKINE), LORD ERSKINE [S.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., was on an embassy to France in 1515; appointed Gov. of the young King James V. [S.] and Constable of Stirling Castle, which last office was confirmed to him and his heirs 15 May 1525; Ambassador to France, 1535, to treat of the King's marriage, which took place 1537; one of the extra Lords of Session, 15 Feb. 1539; was present at the King's death, 16 Dec. 1542; was one of the guardians of the person of the Queen Regent whom, in 1548, he escorted to France; was Keeper of Edinburgh Castle, &c. He *m.* Margaret, da. of Archibald (CAMPBELL), 2d EARL OF ARGYLL [S.], by Elizabeth, da. of John (STEWART), 1st EARL OF LENNOX [S.] He *d.* 1552.

(^a) There appears to be no record of the creation of the Barony of Erskine [S.] The late Lyon King (Burnett) wrote (4 Nov. [1885?]) "I am inclined to think the title of *Lord Erskine*, always used by the Earls of Mar, belongs of right to the heir general, not to Lord Mar and Kellie; the proof one way or another is probably in the Mar charter chest to which I have not access.

(^b) See "Earldom of Mar restitution" bill 1885; in which it is, also, stated that during the interval between the death (1407) of the Countess Isabella and the year 1565 "the succession and inheritance to the said Earldom was treated by successive Kings of Scotland as if the same had been by some means extinguished."

(^c) See Lindsay's "Lives of the Lindsays." Vol. i, p. 105 note. Edit. 1849.

(^d) Fuller particulars of the *Earldom of Mar* [S.] will be found under that heading.

(^e) She is stated in "Douglas" to be "da. of James, Earl of Morton, grandau. of King James I"; such, however (tho' her name was Janet Douglas) was certainly not the case. *See inform.* G. Burnett late Lyon King.

VI. 1552. 6. JOHN (ERSKINE), LORD ERSKINE [S.], 3d but first surv. s. and h.^(a) He renewed the claim of his ancestors to the Earldom of Mar and obtained 23 June 1565, a charter restoring him *per modum justicie* to that Earldom as the heir of the Countess Isabel.^(b) This restitution was, however, held by the House of Lords in 1875 not to have affected the peerage title, their Lordships holding that by an undiscovered document, dated 29 or 30 July 1565, he must have been *created* EARL OF MAR [S.] with a limitation to heirs male of his body. With the Earldom of Mar (which see) the *Barony of Erskine* remained united till both were *forfeited* (by the well known Earl of Mar) in the insurrection of 1715, the restorations of the *Earldom* in 1824 and 1885 in no way affecting this *Barony*.^(c)

ERSKINE OF DIRLETOUN.

Barony [S.] SIR THOMAS ERSKINE, of Gogar, having assisted in rescuing the King from the "*Gowrie plot*," received on the attainder, in 1600, of John (Ruthven), Earl of Gowrie, Lord Ruthven and *Lord Dirletoun* [S.], a third part of the Lordship of Dirletoun, co. Berwick (forfeited by the said Earl) and was, as "Thomas Areskyne, Knt., Prefect of the Royal Guard," *cr.* 8 July 1604, "BARON ERSKINE [Areskyne] OF DIRLETOWNE, in Scotland."⁽¹⁾ He was, as "Thomas Erskine, Lord Dirletoun," *cr.* 18 March 1606. VISCOUNT OF FENTOUN [S.], and, on 12 March 1619, was *cr.* EARL OF KELLIE [S.] See that dignity.

ERSKINE OF RESTORMEL CASTLE.

Barony. I. 1806. I. THE HON. THOMAS ERSKINE, 3d and yst. s. of Henry David (ERSKINE), EARL OF BUCHAN [S.], by Agnes, 2d da. of Sir James STEUART, Bart. [S.], was *b.* 10 Jan. 1749/50, in Gray's Close, Edinburgh:^(e) *ed.* at the grammar school and the Univ. of St. Andrews; joined the Royal Navy in March 1764; entered the army, 1st Foot, 1768, becoming a Lieut. in 1773, but, having imprudently married (before he was of age) in 1770, he on 13 Jan. 1776, *matric.* at Cambridge (Trin. Coll.) became M.A. in June 1778, and a Barrister at Law (Lincol. Inn) July 1778, in which profession by his diligence, his "courageous self-reliance, and his forensic eloquence" as displayed in the defence of Capt. Baillie in 1778, of Lord Keppel in 1779, of Lord George Gordon in 1781, &c. he soon became distinguished; M.P. for Portsmouth, 1783-84, and again 1790—1806, on the "liberal" side, being "full of admiration for the principles of the French revolution." King's Counsel 1783; Attorney Gen. to the Prince of Wales, 1783-92, at which date he was Counsel for Tom Paine, the writer of the "Rights of Man"; he successfully defended Hardy (the Shoemaker) "*Parson*" Horne-Tookey, and Thelwall, who in Oct. 1794 were tried for high treason; Chancellor of the Duchy of Cornwall, 1802, from which office he was *per saltum* raised to be LORD HIGH

(a) Of his two elder brothers (1) Robert, Master of Erskine, was slain at the battle of Pinkie, 10 Sep. 1547, s. p. legit. and (2) Thomas, also Master of Erskine, sometime Ambassador to England, *d.* (also) s. p. legit. 1551.

(b) In the "Earldom of Mar restitution" bill, 1885, it is stated that in the year 1565 John, then Lord Erskine, was the lawful heir general of the said Countess Isabella, who, if the said ancient territorial Earldom of Mar [S.] had not been by any lawful means forfeited or surrendered, was entitled thereto." See, also, *ante*, p. 275, note "b."

(c) As to the right to the Barony of Erskine (subject to the attainder) see p. 275., note "a."

(d) "Creations 1483—1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records. See also, *ante*, p. 201, note "a," *sub* "Dunbar," as to the *Scotch* creations of Hume of Berwick, Bruce of Kinloss, and Erskine of Dirletoun (all in 1604), being all three enrolled in *England*.

(e) It is said that his father's income at that time was but £200 a year. See Stephen's "*Nat. Biogr.*"

(1) A very long (5 full pages) burlesque upon Gray's "*Bard*," written by him at Trin. Coll. (1776-78), and entitled the "*Barber*" (beginning "Ruin seize thee, scoundrel Coe," &c.) attests, it is presumed, the extent of his talents for poetry and sarcasm. It is reprinted in Whibley's "*In cap. and gown*," 1890.

CHANCELLOR^(a) (by the ministry of "All the talents") being *cr.* 10 Feb. 1806, BARON ERSKINE OF RESTORMEL CASTLE,^(b) co. Cornwall. During his brief tenure of office (but 13 months) he presided as Lord High Steward, at the trial of Lord Melville in 1806. He resigned the seals, 7 April 1807, on the change of Ministry, since which period, till his death some 16 years later, he remained in comparative obscurity, tho' by the influence of the Prince Regent he was made **K.T.**, 23 Feb. 1815; espousing, however, the popular cause (against him) in 1820, in the matter of the trial of Queen Caroline. He *m.* firstly (when but 19) 29 March 1770, at Gretna Green, Frances, da. of Daniel MOORE, M.P. for Great Marlow. She *d.* 26 Dec. 1805, at 36 Lincoln's Inn fields, and was *bur.* at Hampstead, Midx. He *m.* secondly "at some time not ascertainable, at Gretna Green, a Miss Mary [Qy. Sarah?] BUCK, by whom he had a son, Hampden, *b.* 5 Dec. 1821."^(c) He *d.* 17 Nov. 1823, aged 73, at Almondell, in West Lothian and was *bur.* at Uphall, co. Linlithgow. Will pr. 1824. His widow was left "in very straitened circumstances,"^(c) and was living 1829.

II. 1823. 2. DAVID MONTAGU (ERSKINE), BARON ERSKINE OF RESTORMEL CASTLE, 1st s. and h., by 1st wife; *b.* 1777; ed. at Westm. school and at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1797; LL.D., 1811; Barrister (Lin. Inn), 1802; M.P. for Portsmouth, Feb. to July 1806; British Envoy at Washington, 1806-10; at Stuttgart, 1825-28, and at Munich, 1828-43. He *m.* firstly, 16 Dec. 1799, Frances, da. of General John CADWALLADER, of Philadelphia, U.S.A., one of the leaders of the American revolution. She *d.* at Genoa 25 March 1843. He *m.* secondly (four months subsequently) 29 July 1843, at Brighton, Anne Bond, da. of John TRAVIS, of Lancashire, 1st cousin of her predecessor. She *d.* at Brighton 18 April 1851. Her will pr. July 1851. He *m.* thirdly 21 Dec. 1852, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Anna, widow of Thomas Calderwood DURHAM, of Largo, da. of William CUNINGHAM-GRAHAM, of Gartmore, co. Peebles. He *d.* 19 March 1855, aged 78, at Butler's Green, Sussex. His widow *m.* (for her 3d husband and as his 2d wife) 3 April 1856, Ven. John SANDFORD, B.D., Archdeacon of Coventry, who *d.* 22 March 1873. She *d.* at 6 Newbold Terrace, Leamington, co. Warwick, 26 March 1886.

(a) Tho' the seals had been refused by Lord Ellenborough (Ch. Justice of the King's Bench), and by Sir James Mansfield (Ch. Justice of the Common Pleas), Erskine's appointment was "generally condemned." He was ignorant of equity, experienced only as an advocate at *Nisi Prius*, and in fact was, as Romilly wrote "totally unfit for the situation," (see Stephen's *Nat. Biogr.*). "The 13th vol. of Vesey [Vesey's Reports] is called, after Lord Erskine, *the apocryphal volume*, and the decisions which it contains are scarcely alluded to without derision and contempt." See Carpenter's "Peerage" [1849] *sub* "Brougham."

(b) This description was a compliment paid to him by the Prince of Wales, with whom he was then in high favour, and whose Chancellor he was, for the *Duchy of Cornwall*, to which the said Castle of Restormel is annexed.

(c) See Professor Harrison's able notice of him in Stephen's "*Nat. Biography*," where it is truly stated that tho' "his character was amiable and elevated, his distinguishing characteristic was an inordinate vanity, which perpetually made him ridiculous. He was caricatured as COUNSELLOR EGO and as BARON EGO OF EYE, and Cobbett always wrote of him as BARON CLACKMANNAN." He is thus spoken of by Wraxall, [*Memoirs*, vol. iii, p. 409, edit. 1884.] His vanity was obtrusive and insatiable; Narcissus was not more enamoured of his person, than Erskine was of his talents, nor contemplated his own image with more complacency, even in the most troubled fountain. His *own* speeches, actions and importance, which seemed ever present to his mind, continually formed the theme of his discourse." His incurable Egotism rendered him a favourite butt of Canning, who thus happily depicts him, as pointing out that he was indeed "but a very little lower than the angels," in a burlesque of his speech at the Whig Club in the "*Anti-Jacobin Papers*," and he is also wittily alluded to, as under, in a satirical index to that work.

"*Erskine, Mr.*—His definition of Himself at the meeting of the Friends of Freedom—clothed with the infirmities of man's nature—in many respects a finite being—disclaims all pretensions to superhuman power—has been both a Soldier and a Sailor—has a son at Winchester school—has been called by special retainers into many parts of the country, travelling chiefly in post chaises—is of Noble, perhaps Royal blood—has a house at Hampstead." See the 3d edit. of the "*Poetry of the Anti-Jacobin*," 1890, ed. by C. Edmonds.

III. 1855. 3. THOMAS AMERICUS (ERSKINE), BARON ERSKINE OF RESTORMEL CASTLE, 1st s. and h. by 1st wife; *b.* 3 May 1802; was Attaché at Turin, Naples, and Lisbon, 1824-27. He *m.* 12 May 1830, Louisa, widow of Thomas LEIGH, of Adlington, Cheshire, da. of George NEWMHAM, of Newtimber Place, Sussex. She *d.* 10 March 1867, at Bonishall, near Macclesfield, Cheshire. He *d.* s.p. 10 May 1877, aged 75, at Hillside, Adderley Edge, Cheshire.

IV. 1877. 4. JOHN CADWALLADER (ERSKINE), BARON ERSKINE OF RESTORMEL CASTLE, next br. (of the whole blood) and h.; *b.* 1804; was in the East India Company's service, 1826-53, being political agent at Subathoo in 1841, and subsequently British Resident at Nepal. He *m.* firstly, 30 April 1829, Margaret, yst. da. of John MARTYN, of co. Tyrone. She *d.* 21 June 1862. He *m.* secondly, 25 Jany. 1865, at Shinfield, Hants, Maria Louisa Cullen, 1st da. of Col. Alexander CAMPBELL, C.B., of Blackburn House, Ayrshire. He *d.* 28 March 1882, at Ettenheim House, Torquay, aged 78. His widow *m.* 20 Oct. 1886, at Christ Church, Paddington, Philip Henry EGERTON, of Gladwyn, near Wrexham, sometime of the Bengal Civil Service. She *d.* 12 April 1889.

V. 1882. 5. WILLIAM MACNAGHTEN (ERSKINE), BARON ERSKINE OF RESTORMEL CASTLE, only s. and h. by 1st wife; *b.* 7 Jany. 1841, at Simla, in India; ed. at Eton; sometime Capt. 9th Lancers; Barrister (Linc. Inn), 1873. He *m.* 2 April 1864, Caroline Alice Martha, da. of William GRIMBLE.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, were under 2,000 acres. *Principal Residence* Spratton Hall, co. Northampton.

ESCRICK.

See "KNYVET" sometimes called "KNYVET OF ESCRICK, co. York," Barony (*Knyvet*), *cr.* 1607; *ex.* 1622.

See "HOWARD OF ESCRICK, co. York," Barony (*Howard*), *cr.* 1628; *ex.* 1715.

ESHER.

Barony. I. THE RT. HON. SIR WILLIAM-BALIOI BRETTE, Master of the Rolls, was, 24 July 1885, *cr.* BARON ESHER of Esher, co. Surrey. He was 1st surv. s. of the Rev. Joseph George BRETTE, LL.B., Incumbent of Hanover Chapel, Regent street, Midx. [1832-52], by Dora, 2d da. of George BEST, of Chilston Park, Kent; was *b.* 13 Aug. 1817, at Lenham, Kent; ed. at Caius Coll., Cambridge; B.A. (senior opt.), 1840; M.A., 1845; Barrister (Linc. Inn), 1846; Queen's Counsel and Bencher, 1860; M.P. for Helston, 1866-68; Solicitor Gen., Feb. to Sep. 1868, being then knighted; one of the Justices of the Common Pleas, 1868-75, and of the High Court of Justice, 1875-76; one of the Lords Justices of Appeal, 1876-83; P.C., 1876; MASTER OF THE ROLLS, 1883, being two years afterwards *raised to the Peerage* as above stated. He *m.* 3 April 1850, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Eugenie, da. of Louis MAYER, step da. of Col. GURWOOD, C.B.

ESK.

i.e., "GRAHAM OF ESK," Barony [S.] (*Graham*), *cr.* 1681 with the VISCOUNTCY OF PRESTON [S.], which see; both *ex.* 1739.

In 1688 or 1689 RICHARD (GRAHAM), VISCOUNT PRESTON AND LORD GRAHAM OF ESK [S.] is said to have been *cr.* a Peer of England by King James II under the title of BARON ESK.^(a) He claimed his seat in the House of Lords 11 Nov. 1689, stating that the patent had passed the seals before the vote declaring the King's abdication. The house, however, declared the patent null and void. He was executed for high treason 22 Dec. 1695, and *attainted*, whereby this *English peerage*, even if it had been allowed valid, would be *forfeited*. See fuller particulars under "PRESTON," Viscounty [S.], *cr.* 1681.

(^a) See "Jacobite creations," 1689-1760, vol. i, p. 59, note "b," *sub* "Albemarle."

ESKDALE.

i.e., "MAXWELL, ESKDALE, AND CARLEILL," Barony [S.] (*Maxwell*), *cr.* 1620 (*with precedence from 1581*) with the EARLDOM OF NITHSDALE [S.], which see; *forfeited* 1715.

i.e., "SCOTT AND ESKDALE," Barony [S.] (*Scott*), *cr.* 1619, with the EARLDOM OF BUCCLEUCH [S.], which see.

i.e., "SCOTT OF WHITCHESTER AND ESKDALE," Barony (*Scott*), *cr.* 1663 with the DUKEDOM OF BUCCLEUCH [S.], which see.

ESLINGTON OF ESLINGTON PARK.

i.e., "ESLINGTON OF ESLINGTON PARK, co. Northumberland," Barony (*Liddell*), *cr.* 1874 with the EARLDOM OF RAVENSWORTH, which see.

ESMOND OF LIMERICK.

Barony [I.] SIR LAURENCE ESMOND, 2d s. of William E. of Johnstown, co. Wexford, by Margaret, da. of Michael FURLONG, of Horetown, being in command of a troop of Horse was knighted at Dublin Castle, 25 July 1603, by the Lord Deputy [I.] and having become Major Gen. of all the Royal forces in Ireland was *cr.* 20 May 1622, LORD ESMOND, BARON OF LIMERICK [I.] He *m.* Elizabeth, 2d da. of the Hon. Walter BUTLER (4th s. of James, EARL OF ORMOND AND OSSORY [I.]), by Jane, da. of O'Brien Goraghl. By her he had no issue and on his death 26 March 1646, the title was considered *extinct*.^(a) Admon. 6 April 1646, to Richard Esmond, nephew by the brother.

ESSENDON.

i.e., "CECIL OF ESSENDON, co. Rutland," Barony (*Cecil*), *cr.* 1603; see "SALISBURY" Earldom of, *cr.* 1605.

ESSEX (County of).

Earldom. 1. GEOFFREY DE MAGNAVILLE, or MANDEVILLE,^(b) s. and h. of William de M. Constable of the Tower of London, by Margaret, da. and h. of Eudo DE RIE,^(c) Steward ("dapifer") to King William in Normandy, was *b.* about 1090; Steward of Normandy; Constable of the Tower of London, 1135-43; and, having distinguished himself in quelling the rebellion in the isle of Ely against King Stephen, was, by him, *cr.* "by spec. charter dat. at

I. 1139,
or
1141
to
1144.

^(a) Sir Thomas Esmond, knighted (at Southwick, Hants), 16 Aug. 1628, and *cr.* a Baronet [I]. 23 Jany. 1628/9, is said to have been his son born in wedlock with a previous wife, sister of O'Flaherty, which lady being a zealous Roman Catholic is stated to have taken herself and her issue away from her Protestant husband. The admon. of 1646, however, militates against this conjecture.

^(b) MAGNAVILLE. According to de Gerville, the commune of *Magneville*, 2 leagues southward of Valognes, gave name to the ancient Earls of Essex of this surname. *Mem. Soc. Antiq. Normandie*, 1825.—"MANDEVILLE. In charters *De Magna Villa*, and *Mandavilla*. *Magneville* is near Valognes in Normandy, and there are 2 places called *Mandeville*, one near Louviers and another in the arrondissement of Bayeur." See Lower's "Family names, edit. 1860. "The French antiquaries differ respecting the locality. Mons. Le Prévost considering it to be *Magneville*, near Valognes, while Mons. Delisle reports that it was *Mandeville le Trévières*; the Norman estates of the *Magnavilles*, *Mandevilles* or *Mannevilles* (as they were indifferently called) lying partly in the neighbourhood of Creulli, and the rest round Argentan, where, at a later period, they held the honour of Chamboi." See Planche's "Conqueror and his Companions," vol. ii, p. 74.

^(c) A good account of this *Eudo Dapifer* is in Planche's "Conqueror and his Companions," vol. ii, pp. 126-132. The marriage of his da. with William Mandeville has, however, been questioned.

Westm."^(a) probably about 1139, EARL OF ESSEX. He, however, deserted that King, for the Empress Maud, from whom he received a grant of the hereditary Sheriffalty of London and Midx., Essex and Hertford, of the Constableness of the Tower of London, as also, probably about 1141, of the *Earldom of Essex* abovenamed. This charter (wherein the Empress is styled "Anglorum Domina") "is presumed to be one of the very earliest charters of *express creation of the title of Earl*; the words of creation are *Do et concedo Gaufrido de Magnavilla, pro servitio suo et hæredibus suis post eum hæreditabiliter ut sit COMES DE ESSEXIA et habeat tertium denarium Vicecomitatus de placitis, sicut Comes habere debet in comitatu suo.*"^(b) He was afterwards imprisoned by King Stephen and forced to give up many of his possessions. He was founder of Walden Abbey, in Essex, &c. The name of his first wife (by whom he had no male issue) is unknown, but he *m.* secondly before 1130, Rohesia, sister of Aubrey, 1st EARL OF OXFORD, da. of Aubrey DE VERE,^(c) Great Chamberlain of England, by Adeliza, da. of Gilbert DE CLARE. He was slain at the siege of Burwell Castle, co. Cambridge, 14 Sep. 1144, being then excommunicated, outlawed and under forfeiture. He was however finally *bur.* by the Knight Templars in the porch of their church in London. His widow *m.* Pagan DE BEAUCHAMP, of Bedford Castle, with whom she was joint founder of Chicksund Priory, Beds, and was living Nov. 1165.

II. 1155? 2. GEOFFREY DE MANDEVILLE, 2d s., but on the death s.p. of his elder br. Ernulph (who had been banished in 1155) heir; he was *b.* before 1130; was *cr.* by King Henry II, probably about 1155 (or restored, as) EARL OF ESSEX; was joint Ch. Justice in Eyre 1166, and joint Commander against the Welsh, 1169. He *m.* Eustachia, said to be a kinswoman of the King. She was however divorced by him.^(d) The Earl *d.* s.p. somewhat suddenly at Chester, 21 Oct. 1167 (14 Hen. II) and was *bur.* at Walden Abbey.

III. 1167 3. WILLIAM (DE MANDEVILLE), EARL OF ESSEX, br. to and h., whose succession to the title seems to have been generally acknowledged. He was *b.* about 1135; was knighted by the Count of Flanders, before 1167; attended the King into France, 1173; took the cross, 1176; became a crusader, 1177—79, being joint Commander in Chief of their army, 1177. He *m.* 14 Jan. 1180, at Pleshy, Essex, Hawise, *suo jure*, COUNTESS OF ALBEMARLE, in whose right he assumed that Earldom, and as Earl of Albemarle and Essex, carried the great crown at the Coronation of Richard I. He *d.* s.p. at Ronen in Normandy, 14 Nov. (or 12 Dec.) 1189, and was *bur.* in the Abbey of Mortimer. His widow survived him many years. See "ALBEMARLE" Earldom of, under the 4th holder.

[On the death of this Earl the *Earldom of Essex* probably reverted to the *Crown*. He is said, but probably in error, to have left a sister Alice, wife of Robert de Lacy (sometimes called Alice de Vere) who apparently would have been his father's da. by a first wife and so, being of the *half* blood, not capable of inheriting. The heir to his estates was his aunt, Beatrice, widow of William de Say, which lady survived to a great age till April 1207, leaving Geoffrey de Say her 2d son (who inherited Sawbridgeworth, Herts, &c.), as her heir *male* and her two granddaughters, Beatrice and Matilda, the children of her eldest son, William, as her heirs *general*.]

IV. 1199. 4 or 1. GEOFFREY FITZPIERS, or FITZPETER, whose parentage is unknown but who probably was a yr. br. (or possibly s.) of Simon Fitzpeter (Sheriff of the counties of Northampton, Buckingham, and Bedford, *temp.* Hen. II.), was *b.* 1165; became Sheriff of co. Northampton, 1185, and having *m.* Beatrice, 1st da. and coheir of William DE SAY, which William (who *d.* v.p.) was 1st s. of another William de Say, by Beatrice, da. of Geoffrey (DE MANDEVILLE),

(a) Dugdale, vol. i, p. 201.

(b) "*Courthope*," see also Selden's *Titles of Honour*, p. 647.

(c) Clutterbuck's "Herts," vol. iii, p. 104.

(d) She *m.* secondly Anselm de Campadene, having obtained (by the King's interest) the lordships of Waltham and Walden from her previous husband.

1st Earl of Essex, aunt and heir^(a) to the last Earl, obtained a large inheritance in right of his said wife; was made Sheriff of the counties of Essex and Hertford, 1191, and was by Richard I., in 1198, made Chief Justiciar of England (gaining a victory over the Welsh) and Constable of the Tower of London. He was, 27 May 1199, on the day of the coronation of King John (for whose succession he had taken an active part) *cr.* or confirmed as EARL OF ESSEX.^(b) He was Warden of the Cinque ports, 1206; Joint Guardian of England, 1213, &c. He *m.* firstly, Beatrice de Say, as above stated, who *d.* in childbed about 1200 and was *bur.* at Chicksand Priory. He *m.* secondly, before 1206, Aveline. He *d.* 14 Oct. 1213, and was *bur.* at Shouldham Priory, Norfolk.

V. 1213. 5 or 2. GEOFFREY (DE MANDEVILLE), EARL OF ESSEX,
1st s. and h. by 1st wife, *b.* about 1191; assumed the name of
de Mandeville; Constable of the Tower of London, Oct. to Nov. 1214. He *m.* Jany.
1213/4, Isabel, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF GLOUCESTER, the repudiated wife of King
John, and was accordingly *jure uxoris* called EARL OF GLOUCESTER in the
convention (*Magna Charta*) June 1215. He *d.* s.p. soon afterwards, being slain
in a tournament in London 23 Feb. 1216. He was *bur.* at Trinity Priory, near
London. His widow *m.* (as his 4th and penultimate wife) Hubert (DE BURGH), EARL
OF KENT, who *d.* 12 May 1243. She *d.* 1217. See fuller particulars of her *sub*
"Gloucester" Earldom of.

VI. 1216, 6 or 3. WILLIAM (DE MANDEVILLE), EARL OF ESSEX,
to br. and h. of the whole blood, who also assumed the name of *de*
1227. *Mandeville*; *b.* about 1192; knighted 10 Feb. 1215; Joint Amba-
sador to France, 1225. He *m.* Christian, da. of Sir Robert FITZ
WALTER, of Dunmow, Essex ("Marshal of the Army of God and Holy
Church"), by Gunnora, da. and h. of Robert DE VALOINES. He *d.* s.p. "in the flower
of his youth" 8 Jany. 1227, and was *bur.* at Shouldham afsd.^(d) His widow *m.*
Raymond DE BURGH.

[On the death of this Earl the *Earldom of Essex* probably reverted to the Crown. The heir *general* was, however, the sister of the last Earl and her s. and h. was within twelve years confirmed or created anew as under.]

1227. MAUD, DOW. COUNTESS OF HEREFORD, sister and
heir (of the whole blood) to the late Earl of Essex, may,
possibly, be considered (as heir general), to be *suo jure* COUNTESS OF
ESSEX. After the death, 1 June 1220, of her husband, Henry (De Bohun),
Earl of Hereford, she *m.* ROGER DE DANTSEY, from whom she was "ere
long divorced." She *d.* 27 Aug. 1236.

See fuller account under
"Hereford" Earldom
of, *cr.* 1199; *ex.* 1374.

(a) This lady *d.* at a great age 19 April 1207. Her right of inheritance does not seem to have been much respected in her *own* person.

(b) Geoffrey de Say, his wife's uncle, who was *second* son but heir *male* of Beatrice de Say, *née* Mandeville (and who was by her recognised as her heir) opposed his claim to the Mandeville estates and dignities.

(c) Matthew Paris speaks of him as "ruling the reins of government so that after his death the realm was like a ship in a tempest without a pilot." This was indeed most truly the case during the three years that King John survived him, tho' that King is said to have rejoiced at the Earl's death as freeing him from his subjection.

(d) His br. of the half blood, *viz.*, John Fitzpiers, s. of his father by his *second* wife Aveline (and so, consequently, not descended from the Mandeville family) inherited a considerable part of his estates. He was grandfather of Richard Fitz John, sum. to Parl. by writ (LORD FITZ JOHN) 1295.

- VII. 1228 7 or 1. HUMPHREY (DE BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD, or and EARL OF ESSEX, s. and h. of Humphrey, EARL OF 1236. HEREFORD, by Maud, only sister and heir (of the whole blood) of William (DE MANDEVILLE), *Earl of Essex* above-named. He was *b.* before 1208; *suc.* his father, as *Earl of Hereford*, 1 June 1220, and is said to have been *cr.* (or confirmed as) EARL OF ESSEX, 28 April 1228,^(a) and is recognised as such when godfather at the christening, June 1239, of Prince Edward. He *d.* 24 Sep. 1275.
- VIII. 1275. 8 or 2. HUMPHREY (DE BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD and EARL OF ESSEX, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir Humphrey de Bohun, who was s. and h. ap. of the former Earl, but who *d. v.p.* He was *b.* 1251 and *d.* 30 Nov. 1298.
- IX. 1298. 9 or 3. HUMPHREY (DE BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD and EARL OF ESSEX, s. and h.; *b.* before 1280; slain at Boroughbridge, 16 March 1321/2.
- X. 1322. 10 or 4. JOHN (DE BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD and EARL OF ESSEX, s. and h.; *b.* about 1307; *d. s.p.*, 20 Jan. 1335/6.
- XI. 1336. 11 or 5. (HUMPHREY DE BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD and EARL OF ESSEX, br. and h.; *b.* about 1311; *d. s.p.*, 15 Oct. 1361.
- XII. 1361 12 or 6. HUMPHREY (DE BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD, ESSEX AND NORTHAMPTON, nephew and h., being s. and 1373. h. of William, EARL OF NORTHAMPTON, next br. to Humphrey, Earl of Hereford and Essex above-named. He was *b.* 1341; *suc.* his father as *Earl of Northampton*, 16 Sep. 1360; and *suc.* his cousin as *Earl of Hereford* and *Earl of Essex*, 15 Oct. 1361. He *d. s.p.m.*, 26 Jan. 1372/3, when the *Earldom of Essex* (as also the *Earldoms of Hereford* and *Northampton*) became *extinct*.
- XIII. 1374, THOMAS (PLANTAGENET), surnamed "of Woodstock," to yst. s. of King Edward III., was *b.* 7 Jany. 1355, and having *m.* 1397. in 1374 Eleanor, 1st da. and coheir of Humphrey (DE BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD, ESSEX, and NORTHAMPTON, above-named, appears to have had the style of EARL OF ESSEX,^(b) tho' of neither of the other Earldoms. He was *cr.* 15 July 1377, EARL OF BUCKINGHAM, and on 6 Aug. 1385, DUKE OF GLOUCESTER. He was murdered 8 Sep. 1397, and his only s. and h. Humphrey (who *d. unm.* two years later in 1399) was known (only) as EARL OF BUCKINGHAM. In 1399, certainly, tho' more probably in 1397 this *Earldom of Essex* may be considered as *ended*. See fuller particulars under "GLOUCESTER," Dukedom of, *cr.* 1385; *ex.* 1399.
- XIV. 1461. 1. HENRY BOURCHIER, s. and h. of Sir William Bouchier, COUNT OF EU,^(c) in Normandy (so *cr.* 10 June 1419), by Ann, Dow. COUNTESS OF STAFFORD, the only child that had issue of Thomas (PLANTAGENET), DUKE OF GLOUCESTER, EARL OF ESSEX, &c., above-named, was *b.* 1406; *suc.* his father as COUNT OF EU, 28 May 1420; and about thirteen years later *suc.* his cousin, 1 July 1433, as LORD BOURCHIER [1342], being sum. to Parl. 5 July (1435), 13 Hen. VI. to 31 Jany. (1444/5), 23 Hen. VI. by writs^(d) variously directed

^(a) Doyle's "Official Baronage."

^(b) His widow is styled on her mon. at Westm. Abbey wife of "Prince Thomas de Wodestoke, Duc de Glocestre, Count D'Essex et de Buckingham."

^(c) See vol. i, p. 393, note "c," *sub* "Bouchier" for notice of a treatise on the "Counts of Eu," by R. E. Chester Waters, and see also this vol. *sub* "Eu."

^(d) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

"Henrico Bourghier, Ch^{tr}," "Henrico Bourghier de Bourghier" or "Henrico Bourghier, Comiti de Eve."^(a) Shortly after this last writ he [1446?] was *cr.* VISCOUNT BOURCHIER^(b) (possibly VISCOUNT BOURCHIER OF TICKILL,^(c) *co.* York), and was *sum.* to Parl. as such 14 Dec. (1446), 25 Hen. VI. to 23 May (1461), 1 Ed. IV. **K.G.**, 22 April 1452. Treasurer, 1455-56, but having deserted the Lancastrian side, he obtained large grants of the forfeited estates of its adherents and was by the new King again made Treasurer 1461-62. On 30 June 1461, he was *cr.* EARL OF ESSEX;^(d) Steward of the Household, 1463-71; Treasurer (3d time), 1471; Lord Keeper, June to July 1472. He *m.* Isabel,^(e) sister of Richard, DUKE OF YORK (the father of King Edward IV.), *da.* of Richard (PLANTAGENET), EARL OF CAMBRIDGE, by Ann, *da.* of Roger (MORTIMER), EARL OF MARCH. He *d.* 4 April 1483, and his widow *d.* 2 Oct. 1484, both being *bur.* in the abbey of Byleigh, near Maldon, and thence removed to Little Easton, Essex. Mon. brass.

[WILLIAM BOURCHIER *styled* VISCOUNT BOURCHIER, *s.* and *h.* ap. He *m.* Anne (sister to Elizabeth, the Queen Consort), *da.* of Richard (WIDVILLE), EARL RIVERS. He *d.* *v.p.*, being slain at the battle of Barnet on the Yorkist side 14 April 1471. His widow *m.* in 1480 George (GREY), Earl of Kent, who *d.* 21 Dec. 1503. She *d.* 30 July 1489.]

XV. 1483 2. HENRY (BOURCHIER), EARL OF ESSEX [1461], VIS-
to
COUNT BOURCHIER [1446?] and LORD BOURCHIER [1342], also COUNT
1540. OF EU, in Normandy [1419], grandson and *h.*, being posthumous *s.*
and *h.* of Henry Bourchier, *styled* VISCOUNT BOURCHIER and Ann his
wife abovenamed. He was *b.* 1472; was *styled* VISCOUNT BOURCHIER,
till 1483; was bearer of the spurs at the Coronation of Hen. VII, 30 Oct. 1485; was
sum. to Parl. 14 Oct. 1495; **K.G.** 1496; had command in the battle of Blackheath
1497; P.C., 1505; bearer of the sword of state at the Coronation of Hen. VIII, 24
June 1509, to whom he was Capt. of the Guard; Chief Capt. of the King's "Spears"
in France in 1513 and at the tournament of 1516; Marshal of the King's train at
the "field of the cloth of gold," June 1520; was one of the Peers who wrote to the
Pope in favour of the King's divorce; was carver at the coronation of Queen Ann
Boleyn, 1 June 1533. He *m.* about 1498, Mary, 1st *da.* and coheir of Sir William
Say, by Elizabeth, his second wife,^(f) widow of Sir William WALDEGRAVE, *da.* of Sir
John FRAY, Ch. Baron of the Exchequer.^(g) He *d.* *s.p.m.*, 13 March 1539/40, being

(a) See vol. i, p. 393, note "d," *sub* "Bourchier," as to this last writ not being in the same form as a writ to an English Earl.

(b) See vol. i, p. 393, note "e," *sub* "Bourchier," as to this Viscounty.

(c) See "The Counts of Eu" as referred to in vol. i, p. 393, note "c."

(d) This title had, as before stated, been borne by Thomas (Plantagenet), Duke of Gloucester, his maternal grandfather. Lord Bourchier, however, was not the heir to such grandfather, not being the *eldest* son of his mother, the *da.* of that Duke. Such son (by her *first*) husband was Humphrey (Stafford), Earl of Stafford, *cr.* in 1444 Duke of Buckingham. "He had long aspired to exchange his Norman Earldom for one of the three *English* Earldoms which his mother claimed to inherit from the Bohuns. For altho' her *eldest son*, the Duke of Buckingham, had assumed the style of Earl of Hereford and Northampton the Earldom of Essex remained." This title accordingly he obtained. See "The Counts of Eu" as in note "c," *ante*.

(e) In Doyle's "Official Baronage" she is called "widow of Thomas Grey."

(f) Sir William Say's *first* wife was living 1478, but both his daughters were, by his second wife. *Ex inform.* F. M. Nichols, F.S.A., and see also Clutterbuck's "Herts," vol. iii, p. 196, correcting statement in vol. ii, p. 391.

(g) The age assigned to this lady is an instance of how lax are such statements in the inquisitions *post mortem*, provided such statement is sufficient for the purpose in hand. She is called but "30 years and upwards" on the death of her father in 1530, while in 1529, when giving evidence in the King's divorce suit, she describes herself as over 44 years, and bears testimony to events that occurred in 1501. See a paper on "Inquisitiones post mortem," by F. M. Nichols, in the "Genealogist." [N.S.] vol. v, p. 104.

thrown from his horse at his manor of Basse, Herts, and was *bur.* at Little Easton, Essex. On his death the *Earldom of Essex*, as also the Viscounty of Bouchier, became *extinct*; the Barony of Bouchier devolving on his da. and h., general, and the Countship of Eu in Normandy on the heir male of the body of the grantee.^(a)

XVI. 1540. THOMAS (CROMWELL), BARON CROMWELL, the well-known Vicar General of the King, was, on 17 April 1540, *cr.* EARL OF ESSEX. He was *attainted* two months later, 29 June 1540, whereby *all his honours were forfeited*. He was executed 28 July following. See fuller particulars under "Cromwell," Barony, *cr.* 1536.

XVII. 1543 WILLIAM (PARR), BARON PARR (so *cr.* 1539) having to *m.* in Feb. 1576/7, Ann, only da. of Henry (BOURCHIER), EARL OF ESSEX abovenamed, which Lady became, in 1539/40, *suo jure* BARONESS BOURCHIER, was, 23 Dec. 1543, *cr.* EARL OF ESSEX, "with the same place and voice in Parl. as [was held by his father in law] Henry Bucher, late Earl of Essex."^(b) This creation is more remarkable inasmuch as early that same year he had repudiated his said wife and obtained an act of Parl. 17 April 1543, declaring her children bastards. She *d. s.p. legit.* 28 Jan 1570/1. See fuller account of her, *sub* "Bouchier" Barony, *cr.* 1342, under the 7th holder thereof. He was *cr.* 16 Feb. 1546/7, MARQUESS OF NORTHAMPTON; was *attainted* in 1553, whereby the *Earldom of Essex* and all his other honours were *forfeited*, tho' on 13 Jany. 1558/9, he was *restored* as *Marquess of Northampton*. He *d. s.p.* 1 Aug. 1571. See fuller particulars of him under "Northampton" Marquessate, *cr.* 1547; *cx.* 1571.

XVIII. 1572. I. WALTER (DEVEREUX), VISCOUNT HEREFORD [1550], LORD FERRERS [1299], and LORD BOURCHIER [1342], s. and h. of Sir Richard DEVEREUX, by Dorothy, da. of George (HASTINGS), EARL OF HUNTINGDON, which Richard was 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap. of Walter, 1st VISCOUNT HEREFORD, &c., but *d. v.p.* 13 Oct. 1547, was *b.* 16 Sep. 1541,^(c) at Carmarthen Castle; *suc.* his grandfather in the family estates and as Viscount Hereford and Lord Ferrers 27 Sep. 1558, and *suc.* his cousin, as Lord Bouchier, 28 Jany. 1570/1; joint custodian of the Queen of Scots, 1568; Lord Lieut. of co. Stafford, 1569; Marshal of the army in the north, 1569; **K.G.**, 23 April 1573, and having been one of the few Peers of the old blood who, during the conspiracy of the Duke of Norfolk, had been faithful throughout to the Queen, obtained from her in 1571 the manor of Marks Hall, Essex (on the death of the Marquess of Northampton sometime *Earl of Essex*) and was, 4 May 1572, *cr.* EARL OF ESSEX.^(d) He was, 9 July 1573, made Capt. Gen. and Gov. of Ulster, and, as such, conducted a colony thither, being made *Earl Marshal of Ireland*, 9 May 1576. He *m.*, between 1560 and 1565, Lettice, sister of William, 1st EARL OF BANBURY, 1st da. of Sir Francis KNOLLYS, **K.G.**, by Catharine, da. of William CARY, and Mary, his wife, sister to Anne BOLEYN, the Queen Consort. The Earl *d.* (not without suspicion of poison) 22 Sep. 1576, aged 35, at Dublin Castle and was *bur.* at Carmarthen. Will, in which he styles himself "Earl of *Essex* and *Ewe*,"^(e) and Erle Marshall of Ireland, Viscount

^(a) See vol. i, p. 394, note "a," *sub* "Bouchier," and see also this vol. *sub* "Eu."

^(b) Creations, 1483—1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D. K. Pub. Records.

^(c) See Craik's "Romance of the Peerage," vol. i, p. 26, where a good account is given of him and his relatives.

^(d) His grandfather, the 1st Viscount Hereford, was s. and h. of John (Devereux), Lord Ferrers, by Cicely, sister (whose issue became heir) of Henry (Bouchier), Earl of Essex. An elaborate account of his investiture (together with that of Edward, Lord Clinton, then *cr.* Earl of Lincoln), is in Milles' "Catalogue of Honour," p. 38.

^(e) With respect to his being Earl of Ewe [*i.e.*, Count of Eu, in Normandy], that title was so persistently used with the (Devereux) Earldom of Essex that it has been suggested it was a creation (therewith) in 1572. Such, however, is not the case, the patent roll having been carefully examined. The Earldom of Eu was indeed still in existence (not becoming *extinct* till 1637) but it belonged to the Earls of Bath (of Bouchier family) the heirs male of the body of the grantee of 1419. See under "Eu."

Hereford and Bouchier,^(a) Lord Ferrers of Chartley, Bourghchier and Lovayne,^(b) dat. 14 June and pr. 12 Nov. 1576. His widow, who was *b.* in 1539 or 1540, *m.* (as his second or third wife) 21 Sep. 1578, publicly^(c) at Wanstead, Essex, Robert (DUDLEY), EARL OF LEICESTER (the well known "favorite" of Queen Elizabeth) who *d.* 4 Sep. 1588, aged 53. The Countess *m.* thirdly (within a year) before Aug. 1589 Sir Christopher BLOUNT, one of the gentlemen of the late Earl's Horse (who was executed for high treason 18 March 1600/1, on Tower Hill), and *d.* 25 Dec. 1634, aged about 95, at Drayton Basset, being *bur.* (with her second husband) at Warwick. M.I.

XIX. 1576 2. ROBERT (DEVEREUX), EARL OF ESSEX, &c., 1st s. to and h., *b.* 10 Nov. 1567, at Netherwood, co. Hereford; being *styled* 1601. VISCOUNT HEREFORD till 1576; ed. at Trin. Coll., Cambridge (1 July 1579), becoming M.A., 6 July 1581, and being incorporated M.A., at Oxford, 11 April 1588. He was *cr.* Knight Banneret, 21 Sep. 1586, by his stepfather, the Earl of Leicester, at the battle of Zutphen. Master of the Horse, 1587—1600; **K.G.**, 23 April 1588; Gen. of the Horse, at Tilbury camp, 1588; P.C., 1593 and Lord President of the Council; Lieut. Gen. of the Forces against the Azores, effecting, 15 Sep. 1596, the capture of Cadiz; EARL MARSHAL OF ENGLAND 1597—1600; Chancellor of the Univ. of Cambridge, 1598; Chancellor of the Univ. of Dublin, 1598; LORD LIEUT. OF IRELAND, March to Nov. 1599, whence returning (without leave) to justify his measures, he was imprisoned, but eventually released. He shortly afterwards took the lead in a foolish plot against the Queen and was *beheaded*^(d) for high treason 25 Feb. 1600/1 on Tower Hill, and *bur.* in the Chapel of the Tower of London, aged but 33; being *attainted*, all his honours became forfeited. Admon. (now lost) Feb. 1662/3 in the Court of Delegates and again (in C.P.C.) 8 July 1676. He *m.* about 1590, Frances, widow of the famous Sir Philip SIDNEY (*d.* 17 Oct. 1586), da. and h. of Sir Francis WALSINGHAM, Princ. Sec. of State, by his 2d wife, Ursula, widow of Sir Richard WORSLEY, da. of Henry St. BARBE, of Ashington, Somerset. The Countess *m.* secondly, before 8 April 1603, Richard (DE BURGH), 4th EARL OF CLANRICARIE [I.], and 1st EARL OF ST. ALBANS, who *d.* 12 Nov. 1635, and in whose will (dat. 5th inst.) no mention is made of her.

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XX. 1604 ROBERT DEVEREUX, 1st s. and h., *b.* at Lady Walsingham's [his grandmother's] house in Seething lane and *hap.* 22 Jan. 1590/1, at St. Olave's, Hart Street, London; *styled* Viscount Hereford, 1646. till 1604, in which year, on 18 April 1604, he was *restored* in blood and honours, by act of Parl., becoming thereby^(e) EARL OF ESSEX [1572], VISCOUNT HEREFORD [1550], LORD FERRERS [1299] and LORD BOUCHIER [1342]; *cr.* M.A. of Oxford, 30 Aug. 1605;^(f) Lord Lieut. of co. Stafford, 1612.

(a) The Viscounty of Bouchier, *cr.* 1446, had become extinct in 1540 by failure of the issue male of the grantee.

(b) The Barony of Lovayne never existed as a Peerage dignity; one Eleanor de Lovain, heiress of Little Easton, co. Essex, *m.* Sir William Bouchier and was mother of William, *cr.* Count of Eu in Normandy in 1419, the father of Henry, *cr.* Earl of Essex in 1461.

(c) There is reason to suppose there had been a private marriage previously. She was strongly suspected of over familiarity with this Earl of Leicester in her first husband's lifetime.

(d) The romantic story of the ring given by the Queen, and kept back by the Countess of Nottingham, is shewn to be "quite apocryphal" in the masterly account of this Earl of Essex by "S. Lee," in Stephen's "*Nat. Biogr.*"

(e) The titles of *Earl of Eve*, *Viscount Bouchier* & *Lord Lovayne* are attributed to him in the following private act in the "*Certiorari bundles*," *temp.* Jac. I., No. II. *viz.* "an act for restoration of Robert Devereux, son, and Frances and Dorothy, daughters of Robert, Earl of Essex." In this occurs a recital that "the said Robert, late Earl of Essex, before his said attainder was lawfully and rightly invested * * * with the name, state, place, and dignity of *Earl of Essex* and *Eve*, *Viscount Hereford* and *Bouchier*, Lord Ferrers of Chartley and Lord Bouchier and *Lovayne*." *Ex inform.* Walford D. Selby. See as to the *Earldom of Eve*, or Eu, p. 284, note "e," and as to the *Viscounty of Bouchier* and the *Barony of Lovaine*, notes "a" and "b" next above.

(f) See p. 236, note "a," *sub* "Effingham," as to the creations of that day.

He was Commander of the expedition against Cadiz, 1625; was bearer of the sceptre with the dove at the Coronation of Charles I, 2 Feb. 1626; was one of the four knights dubbed at Windsor, 20 May 1638, with the Prince of Wales when that Prince was installed as Knight of the Garter.^(a) Tho' early inclined to oppose the Court Measures, he was Lieut. Gen. of the army (north) 1639, and was one of the 16 "popular" noblemen^(b) named Sep. 1640, by the King to treat with the Scots at Ripon; P.C. 1641; Lord Lieut. of co. York, 1641-42; Lord Chamberlain of the Household, 1641-42, and Capt. Gen., south of Trent, 1641. He now however, *openly*, abandoned the King, and was made by the Parliament, Lord Lieut. of the counties of York, Stafford, Montgomery, Hereford, and Salop, and, in July 1642, "*General of the Army of the Parl.*," a post he retained till April 1645.^(c) He m. firstly, 5 Jan 1605/6 (when he was close upon 15 and she 14), Frances, yr. da. of Thomas (HOWARD, EARL OF SUFFOLK, by his second wife, Catherine da. and h. of Sir Henry KNYVET. She was divorced Oct. 1613, on the grounds of his "incapability" (not as to women in general, but) as to this woman in particular.^(d) He m. secondly, 11 March 1630/1, at the house of the Earl of Hertford, at Netley, Hants, Elizabeth, da. of Sir William PAULETT, of Eddington, Wilts, one of the illegit. sons of William, 3rd MARQUESS OF WINCHESTER. He d. s.p.s., 14 Sep. 1646, at Essex House, in the Strand, Midx., aged 56, and was bur. 19 Oct. following in Westm. Abbey, at the expense of £5,000 by the Parl.^(e) Admon. 14 Oct. 1646; will (in which he styles himself "Earl of Essex and Ewe,"^(f) &c.) dat. 4 July to 5 Aug. 1642, pr. 15 Dec. 1646.^(g) On his death the *Earldom of Exeter* became *extinct*, while the Viscounty of Hereford (together with the Baronies of Ferrers and Bouchier) devolved on his cousin and heir. See "HEREFORD" Viscounty, cr. 1550. His widow, from whom he had been separated^(h) soon after their marriage, m. shortly after his death, Thomas HIGGONS (some 30 years younger than her late husband) of Gruell, Hants, who was knighted 17 June 1663, and who d. 1691, aged 67. She was bur. 16 Sep. 1656, in Winchester Cathedral. Funeral oration upon her. Admon. 23 Jan. 1657/8, to her husband, "Thomas Higgons, Esq."

[ROBERT DEVEREUX, styled VISCOUNT HEREFORD, only s. and h. ap. by 2d wife; b. 5 Nov. [1632?] but d. at the age of 5 years v.p.]

(a) See the names of the Knights so dubbed p. 251 note "a," sub "Elgin."

(b) These were the Earls of (1) Hertford; (2) Bedford; (3) Salisbury; (4) Warwick; (5) Essex; (6) Holland; (7) Bristol and (8) Berkshire, together with the Lords; (9) Kimbolton, afterwards Earl of Manchester; (10) Wharton; (11) Dunsmore, afterwards Earl of Chichester; (12) Paget; (13) Brooke; (14) Saville, afterwards Earl of Sussex; (15) Poulett, and (16) Howard of Escrick.

(c) See list of the Commonwealth Commanders who were Peers or sons of Peers, vol. i, p. 299, note "d," sub "Bedford." It is to be observed that tho' the Earl of Essex was "nominally Commander in Chief of all the parliamentary armies he practically exercised no authority over the other Generals," while his own career ("his military experience" being "of the slightest") was ended "by a blunder of the worst description," viz., a march into Cornwall, where he abandoned, in Sep. 1644, his troops (surrounded by a superior force) "leaving Skippon to arrange the terms of surrender." See Stephen's "*Nat. Biogr.*"

(d) This shameless proceeding was effected entirely thro' the influence of the Court, being carried by the votes of seven out or twelve of the Commissioners, the Archbishop (Abbot) being in the minority. Robert (Kerr), Earl of Somerset, the King's then favourite, espoused the lady (whose intrigues with him previously were notorious) 26 Dec. 1613.

(e) "A hearse was erected for him in the south cross [of the Abbey], which was afterwards by Cromwell's soldiers defaced, his effigies hacked to pieces, his spurs and achievements torn down." [Collins, vol. iv. p. 17.]

(f) As to the Earldom of Ewe and other his assumed titles, see p. 285, note "e."

(g) His coffin plate, exposed June 1879, is inscribed as under "The Right Hon^{ble} and excellent Lord Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex and Ewe, Viscount Hereford, Lord Ferrers of Chartley, Bouchier and Lovayne, late Lord General of y^e forces raised and employed by y^e Parliament of England, dyed at Essex House, London, on Monday y^e 14th of Septemb. A^o Dni 1646, aged 56."

(h) She was accused of crim. con. with Mr. Uvedale.

XXI. 1661. 1. ARTHUR (CAPELL), BARON CAPELL OF HADHAM, was, on 20 April 1661, *cr.* VISCOUNT MALDEN, co. Essex, and EARL OF ESSEX.^(a) He was 1st s. and h. of Arthur, 1st BARON CAPELL OF HADHAM, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir Charles Morrison, Bart., of Cashiobury Park, Herts; was *bap.* 28 Jan. 1631/2, at Hadham parva, Herts; *suc.* his father (who was beheaded in the Royal cause) 9 March 1648/9; ^(b) Lord Lieut. of Herts, 1660-81, and, shortly after the restoration, was *cr.* an Earl and Viscount as above stated^(a) with a spec. rem. to the heirs male of the body of his father, for whose fidelity the honours were conferred; Lord Lieut. of Wilts, 1668-75; was sent in 1669, as Ambassador to Copenhagen; P.C. 1672. From 1672 to 1677, he was LORD LIEUT. OF IRELAND and from March to Nov. 1679, First Lord of the Treasury. Being a partisan of the Duke of Monmouth, he was imprisoned for complicity in the Rye House plot, in the Tower of London, where he was found, with his throat cut, 13 July 1683, and was bur. the 18th in St. Peters ad Vincula^(c) aged 52. Will pr. 1684. He *m.* 19 May 1653, at Petworth, Sussex, Elizabeth, 5th da. of Algernon (PERCY), 10th EARL OF NORTHUMBERLAND, by his first wife, Ann, da. of William (CECIL), 2d EARL OF SALISBURY. She who was *b.* 1 Dec. 1636, *d.* 5 Feb. 1717/8, aged 81, and was *bur.* at Watford, Herts. Will pr. April 1718.

XXII. 1683. 2. ALGERNON (CAPELL), EARL OF ESSEX, &c., 5th but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 28 Dec. 1670, and *bap.* 3 Jany. 1670/1, at Watford; *styled* VISCOUNT MALDEN till 1683. He was Gent. of the Bedchamber to King William III. with whom he served in all his campaigns, being Col. of the 4th Dragoons in 1693, and becoming Lieut. Gen. in the army in 1707; Lord Lieut. of Herts, 1692; Constable of the Tower of London, &c., 1707; P.C., 1708. He *m.* 28 Feb. 1691/2, Mary, 1st da. of William (BENTINCK), 1st EARL OF PORTLAND, by his first wife, Anne, da. of Sir Edward VILLIERS. He *d.* 10 Jany. 1709/10, in his 40th year and was *bur.* 19th at Watford.^(d) Will pr. June 1710. His widow *m.* in 1714 (as his first wife) Sir Conyers DARCY, **K.B.** (who *d.* s.p. 1 Dec. 1758), and *d.* 20 Aug. 1726, being *bur.* the 29th at Watford afsd.

XXIII. 1710. 3. WILLIAM (CAPELL), EARL OF ESSEX, &c., only s. and h., *b.* 1697; *styled* VISCOUNT MALDEN till 1710; took his seat 11 Nov. 1718; Gent. of the Bedchamber to the Prince of Wales, Feb. 1718/9 to 1727 and to the king, 1727; Lord Lieut. of Herts, 1722; **K.T.**, 2 Feb. 1725, till 1738, when he resigned it for the Garter;^(e) Keeper of Hyde Park, 1728-29; *cr.* LL.D. of Cambridge, 25 April 1728; Envoy, 1731-32, and afterwards, 1732-37, Ambassador to Turin; P.C., 1735; **K.G.**, 20 Feb. 1737/8, being installed 15 June following. Capt. of the Yeomen of the Guard, 1739; Ranger of St. James' Park, &c. He *m.* firstly 27 Nov. 1718, at Petersham, Surrey, Jane, 3d da. of Henry (HYDE), 4th EARL OF CLARENDON, by Jane, da. of Sir William LEVESON-GOWER. She, who was a lady of the Bedchamber to the Princess of Wales, *d.* s.p.m. in Paris of a fever and was *bur.* 30 Jany. 1723/4, at Watford.^(f) He *m.* secondly 3 Feb. 1725/6, Elizabeth, yst. da. of Wriothoesley (RUSSELL), 2d DUKE OF BEDFORD, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of John HOWLAND. He *d.* 8 and was *bur.* 17 Jany. 1742/3, at Watford. Will pr. 1743. His widow *d.* 8 and was *bur.* 14 June 1784, at Watford. Her will pr. June 1784.

(a) See an account of this creation (six Earls and six Barons) vol. ii, p. 275, note "d," *sub* "Clarendon."

(b) His estates were compounded for to the Sequestrators during the commonwealth at the sum of £4,706.

(c) The entry of his burial says "cutt his own throat with a knife," and such probably, tho' by no means *certainly*, was the fact.

(d) The character of him when about thirty years old (1700?) is thus given by Macky. "Is a good companion; loves the interest of his country; hath no genius for business; nor will ever apply himself that way; is a well bred gentleman; brown complexioned and well shaped, but his mouth is always open."

(e) See list of the twelve (ordinary) Knights of the Thistle who have received the Garter, vol. i, p. 11, note "b," *sub* "Aberdeen."

(f) Charlotte, the eldest of her two daughters, *b.* 1721 *m.* 1752 Thomas Villiers, *cr.* Earl of Clarendon, in consequence of such alliance.

XXIV. 1743. 4. WILLIAM ANN HOLLES (CAPEL), EARL OF ESSEX, &c., 1st s. and h. by 2d wife; *b.* at Turin 7 Oct. 1732; styled VISCOUNT MALDEN till 1743; a Lord of the Bedchamber to Geo. II., 1755-60, and to Geo. III., 1782. Lord Lieut. of Herts, 1764-71; Master of the Stag Hounds, 1779-82. He *m.* firstly, 1 Aug. 1754, Frances, 1st da. and coheir of Sir Charles HANBURY-WILLIAMS, K.B., by Frances, da. of Thomas (CONINGSBY), EARL OF CONINGSBY. She *d.* in childbed 19 and was *bur.* 22 July 1759, at Watford. He *m.* secondly, 2 March 1767, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Harriott, da. of Col. Thomas BLADEN, of Glastonbury Abbey, Somerset. He *d.* 5 and was *bur.* 12 March 1799, at Watford, aged 66. Will pr. April 1799. His widow *d.* 12 March 1821, in her 87th year, at Curzon street, Mayfair. Will pr. 1821.

XXV. 1799. 5. GEORGE (CAPEL-CONINGSBY), EARL OF ESSEX, &c., s. and h. by 1st wife; *b.* 13 Nov. 1758; styled VISCOUNT MALDEN till 1799; ed. at Corpus Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1777; took the name of *Coningsby* after that of *Capel* on succeeding by the death (20 Dec. 1781), of his grandmother (Lady Frances Hanbury-Williams, *née* Coningsby), to Hampton Court,^(a) co. Hereford, and other the estates of that family; was M.P. for Westminster, 1779-80; for Lostwithiel, 1781-84; for Okehampton, 1784-90, and for Radnor, 1796-99. Lord Lieut. of co. Hereford, 1802-17; Recorder and High Steward of Leamington, 1802; cr. D.C.L. of Oxford, 3 July 1810; F.R.S., &c.^(b) He *m.* firstly, 6 June 1786, at St. Marylebone, Sarah, widow of Edward STEPHENSON, da. of Henry BAZETT, of St. Helena. She, from whom he had long been separated, *d.* 16 Jan. 1838, in Hill street, Berkeley sq., aged 77. Will pr. March 1838. He *m.* secondly (three months subsequently) 19 April 1838, at his house in Belgrave square, Catharine, da. of Edward STEPHENS, of Leadwell, Oxon, a tradesman at the west end of London. The Earl *d.* s.p. in Belgrave square 23 April 1839, aged 81. Will pr. June 1839. His widow well known (under the name of "Kitty Stephens") as a vocalist^(c) was *b.* in London Sep. 1794, *d.* of bronchitis, at 9 Belgrave square, 22 Sep. 1882, aged 87 or 91,^(d) and was *bur.* in Kensal Green Cemetery. M.I. at Watford. Will pr. 6 April 1882, above £71,000, by her niece and universal legatee Esther Matilda Johnstone, spinster.

XXVI. 1839. 6. ARTHUR ALGERNON (CAPEL, afterwards CAPELL), EARL OF ESSEX, &c., nephew and h., being s. and h. of the HON. JOHN THOMAS CAPEL, by Caroline, da. of Henry (PAGET), 1st EARL OF UXBRIDGE, which John Thomas, who was 2d s. of the 4th Earl (being his 1st s. by his 2d wife above-named) and br. of the half blood to the late Earl, *d.* 5 March 1819, in his 50th year. He was *b.* 28 Jan. 1803, at Holmbush, near Horsham, Sussex; ed. at Eton, 1817; resumed the name of *Capell*, in lieu of that of *Capel*, by royal lic. 23 July 1880. He *m.* firstly 14 July 1825, at St. James, Westm., Caroline Janetta, 3d. da. of William (BEAUCLERK), 8th DUKE OF ST. ALBANS, by his 2d wife, Maria Janetta, da. and h. of John NELTHORPE. She, who was *b.* 28 June 1804, *d.* 22 Aug. 1862, aged 58 at Cassiobury Park. He *m.* secondly, 3 June 1863, at Trinity Church, Chelsea, Louisa Caroline Elizabeth, sister of Richard Edmund St. Lawrence, 9th EARL OF CORK [I.], and 1st da. of Charles BOYLE, styled VISCOUNT DUNGARVAN, by Catherine,

(a) Hampton Court was sold by him in 1808. Some account thereof with several plates is in Robinson's "Mansions of Herefordshire," 1873, p. 148.

(b) A friend of the Prince of Wales, of the same politics and pursuits, he was, as Lord Malden, among "the men of fashion of that period (1780-99.)" As to his taste for the "*violincello*" see vol. i, p. 352, note "a," *sub* "Bessborough."

(c) She appeared first on the stage as an actress in 1813, excelling in low comedy. Her unrivalled voice as a ballad singer will, however, be that by which she will be remembered. It is (in a somewhat peculiar manner) thus alluded to on her mon. inscr. at Watford, where, however, she is *not* buried.

"Rest undisturbed within this peaceful shrine,
Till Angels wake thee with a note like thine."

(d) The age of 91 is on the monument at Watford but perhaps with no greater truth than the statement that she is buried within it.

da. of William (St. LAWRENCE), 2d EARL OF HOWTH [I]. She, who was *b.* 3 June 1833, *d.* 5 May 1876, at Cashibury Park. He *m.* thirdly, 25 April 1881, at St. Saviours, Upper Chelsea, Louisa, widow of Gen. LORD GEORGE PAGET, da. of Charles Fisechi HENAGE, by Louisa Elizabeth, da. of Thomas North (GRAVES), 2d BARON GRAVES OF GRAVESEND [I].

[ARTHUR DE VERE CAPELL, *styled*, 1839-79, VISCOUNT MALDEN, 1st s. and h. ap. by 1st wife; *b.* 22 July 1826, in St. James sq., Midx.; ed. at Sandhurst; 1st Lieut. Rifle Brigade, 1847, and afterwards in the Horse Guards, retiring 1852; Lieut. Col. Herts Yeo. Cavalry. He *m.* 23 Jan. 1853, Emma Martha, 3d da. of Sir Henry MEUX, 1st Bart., by Elizabeth Mary, da. of Thomas SMITH, of Castlebar House, Midx. He *d.*, *v.p.*, 10 March 1879, aged 52, at 39 Lowndes street, Midx. His widow living 1890.]

[GEORGE DEVEREUX DE VERE CAPELL, *styled* since 1879, LORD CAPELL, grandson and h. ap., being s. and h. of ARTHUR DE VERE CAPELL, *styled* VISCOUNT MALDEN, by Emma Martha, his wife, both abovenamed. He was *b.* 24 Oct. 1857; Lieut., Gren. Guards, 1877-82; Capt. Herts Yeo. Cav. 1885. He *m.* 13 July 1882, at St. Paul's, Knightsbridge, Eleanor Harriet Maria, 1st da. of William Henry HARFORD, of Oldtown, Almondsbury, co. Glouc. Lady Capell *d.* 31 Dec. 1885, at Cannes.]

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of about 10,000 acres in England and about 5,000 in Ireland, *viz.*, 5,545 in Herts, 3,090 in Essex, and 690 in Warwickshire, besides 2,906 co. Roscommon, 1,303 co. Meath, 658 co. Dublin, and 658 co. Wicklow. Total 14,870 acres (exclusive of 180 of English woodland, the county of which is not specified) worth £18,936 a year. *Principal Residence.* Cashibury Park, near Watford, Herts.

ESTAINES AD TURRIM.

See "MAYNARD OF ESTAINES AD TURRIM, *alias* LITTLE EASTON, co. Essex," Barony (*Maynard*), *cr.* 1628; *ex.* 1775.

ETHIE.

Earldom [S.] JOHN (CARNEGIE), LORD LOUR [S.], was, 1 Nov. 1647, I. 1647. *cr.* EARL OF ETHIE, LORD LOUR AND EGGLESMADIE [S.] These titles were changed in 1662 for those of EARL OF NORTHESK and LORD ROSEHILL [S.] See "NORTHESK" Earldom [S.], *cr.* 1662 with precedency of 1647.

ETTRICK.

i.e., "RUTHVEN OF ETTRICK," Barony [S.] (*Ruthven*), *cr.* 1639; see "FORTH" Earldom [S.], *cr.* 1642; both *ex.* 1651.

i.e., "DOUGLAS OF ETTRICK," Barony [S.] (*Douglas*), *cr.* 1675, with the EARLDOM OF DUNBARTON [S.], which see; both *ex.* 1738.

Barony. The Rt. Hon. FRANCIS (NAPIER), LORD NAPIER [S.], I. 1872. was, 16 July 1872, *cr.* BARON ETTRICK of Ettrick, co. Selkirk [U.K.] See "NAPIER," Barony [S.], *cr.* 1627, under the 9th Lord.

ETTRICK FOREST.

It is sometimes stated that the title of the Barony of Elibank [S.] (*Murray*), *cr.* 1643, should properly be that of "ELIBANK OF ETTRICK FOREST." *See quere.*

EU, OR EWE.

It is stated in "*Courthope*," under "Ewe," that "the Counts of Ewe were considered as having the rank of Earls in England and were probably summoned as such to the king's councils, altho' their possession of the Castle and Barony of Hastings made them only Barons in England." As territorial Barons they have no place in this work, and it is truly remarked that "albeit they had lands in England yet were they never reputed of the nobilitie of England, never Parliamentary Earles of Englar.d, and if not Parliamencie, what have we to do with them?"^(a) The logical answer to this is doubtless "nothing"—yet, in spite of logic, the order of the succession, and a brief notice of such of those Counts as were territorial Barons in England, is (in consideration of their great importance) given as under.^(b)

I. 1066. ROBERT, COUNT^(c) OF EU, in Normandy, s. and h. of William,^(d) COUNT OF EU, *suc.* his father before 1039; was one of the Conqueror's most trusted Generals at the English invasion, was at the battle of Hastings, 1066, and was rewarded with the grant of the castle and rape of Hastings,^(e) and 52 manors in co. Sussex. He *m.* Beatrix, and *d.* 1090.

II. 1090. WILLIAM, COUNT OF EU, in Normandy, feudal Lord of Hastings, &c., s. and h. He *m.* Beatrix, da. of Roger and sister and h. of another Roger DE BUSLI, of Tickhill, co. York, by which match that Lordship became the inheritance of these Counts. He, who was living Feb. 1096, *d.* before 1100.^(f)

(a) "*Vincent on Brooke*," p. 190. Vincent goes on to say "would any, but *blind-bayard*, have recounted these Earls unto us among our English nobilitie?" Hee might as well have inserted the Earles of Anjou, Blois, Bolloigne, Brabant, Brionie, Cariet, Champaigne, Dunbarre, Ulster, Evreux, Gisnes, Harecourt, Holland, Juliers, Lorraine, Moriton, Mellent, Perch, Poitiers, Tholouse, Zeland, and others, as these of Ewe."

(b) See an exhaustive account of "the Counts of Eu, sometime Lords of the honour of Tickill, by Edmond Chester Waters, B.A." in *the Yorkshire Arch. Journal*, vol. ix, pp. 257-302 and 401-420, from which the dates and facts in this short account are taken.

(c) "At the time of the Conquest of England there were only four subjects in Normandy, who held the rank of Count," viz (1) The Count of Eu; (2) The Count of Evreux, both decendants of Richard I, of Normandy; (3) the Countess of Aumale, sister and (4) the Count of Mortain, uterine brother to the Conqueror. A pedigree of these "Norman Counts, who were Domesday Barons," shewing their connexion "with the reigning Sovereign and with each other" is given in Mr. Chester Waters', "*Counts of Eu*," see note "b."

(d) This William who was one of the illegit. sons of Richard I, of Normandy, was *cr.* Count of Eu, about 1018 and *d.* about 1038. He and his decendants are the Counts of Eu, "*of the second house*." Those of "*the first house*" consist of Geoffrey de Brionne, another of the illegit. sons of Richard I, of Normandy, which Geoffrey was *cr.* Count of Eu in 996, by Richard II, of Normandy, being *suc.* about 1010 by his son Gilbert (ancestor of the house of Clare) who was deposed about 1016. See note "b."

(e) Of the six rapes of Sussex, (1 and 2) *Chichester* and *Arundel* were assigned to Roger de Montgomery; (3) *Bramber* to William de Braose; (4) *Leves* to William de Warenne; (5) *Pevenscy* to the Count of Mortain, and (6) *Hastings* to the Count of Eu, while the custody of Kent was assigned to, the King's half brother, the Bishop of Bayeux; thus the whole coast that commanded Normandy was in command of a "few great Barons whom the King could thoroughly trust." See note "b."

(f) He is generally confounded with William of Eu, who *m.* a sister of the Earl of Chester, and was executed for treason Jan. 1096. See Eyton's "*Domesday Dorset Surrey*."

III. 1100? HENRY, COUNT OF EU, feudal Lord of Hastings, &c., s. and h., founder of Foucarmont Abbey, in Eu. He *m.* Margaret da. of William DE SULLI, 1st s. of Stephen, COUNT OF BLOIS, and elder br. of Stephen, King of England. She *d.* before him. He became a monk and *d.* 12 July 1139, being *bur.* at Foucarmont Abbey.

IV. 1139. JOHN, COUNT OF EU, feudal Lord of Hastings, &c., s. and h., who espoused the side of his uncle, King Stephen, whereby the honour of Tickill fell into hands of the Empress Maud and was never restored to him, nor, till 1214, to his descendants. He *m.* Alice, da. of William (ALBINI), EARL OF ARUNDEL, by Adeliza, the Queen Dowager of England. With her consent he became a monk and *d.* 1170, being *bur.* in Foucarmont Abbey. His widow is said to have *m.* Alured de St. MARTIN. She survived her son Henry (who *d.* in 1183) but *d.* before 1204.

V. 1170. HENRY, COUNT OF EU, feudal Lord of Hastings, &c., s. and heir, under age in 1170. He *m.*, about 1179, Matilda, widow of Osbert DE PREAUX, da. of Hamelin PLANTAGENET, *jure uxoris* EARL WARRENNE. He *d.* 1183 and was *bur.* in Foucarmont Abbey. His widow (sometimes called Matilda DE LONGEVILLE) *d.* 1207.

VI. 1183. RALPH, COUNT OF EU, feudal Lord of Hastings, &c., s. and h. He *d.* a minor of the age of about six, 1186, when his estates in England and Normandy as also the Honour of Eu passed to his only sister, as below.

VII. 1186 ALICE, sister and h., a mere child in 1186, at her to brother's death. She *m.* at an early age, Ralph (DE LUSIGNAN), 1247. SEIGNEUR DE ISSOUDON in Poitou,^(a) who in her right, before 16 Oct. 1197, was known as COUNT OF EU. The lands of the honour of Eu had, however, been, as early as 1201,^(b) wrested from him by King John, and in July 1204, the whole of Normandy was lost to England. King John, however, guaranteed to the Count, the value of the Norman lands till their restoration, as also all such lands as his wife ever possessed or was entitled to in England, whereby the possession of the rape of Hastings and the right to the honour of Tickill (of which the possession was recovered in 1214) accrued to him.^(c) The Count fought in the English ranks, 27 July 1214. He *d.* at his castle of Mello, in Poitou, early in May 1219, and was *bur.* in Foucarmont Abbey. The widowed Countess obtained, a few months later, from the King of France, restitution of the County of Eu, which honour was transmitted to her posterity. She finally left England in 1225 and *d.* 11 Sep. 1247, when her English estates (the rape of Hastings, the honour of Tickill, &c.), devolved on the Crown, in consequence of her s. and h., Ralph, Count of Eu,^(d) being an alien and incapable, of inheriting them.^(e)

(*) This Ralph was 2d s. of "Hugh IX, de Lusignan, by Matilda, Countess of La Marche and Angoulême," being "a Cadet of one of those semi-royal families, who were connected by marriage with the Kings of England and France." See p. 290, note "b."

(b) King John, on a false report of the death of this Alice, directed, 1 April 1202, that her uncle, John of Eu, should be acknowledged as the heir of the County. This John, who was living 15 April 1207, was the last male descendant of the Counts of Eu of this line.

(c) The honour of Tickill had only for a short time (1139-41) been in the actual possession of any Count of Eu. A pedigree of the family of Busli, whose heiress *m.* the Count of Eu, shewing the descent therefrom of Itonia de Busli (wife of Robert de Vipont) the claimant (1214-22) and an account of the law suit is in Chester Waters' "Counts of Eu." See p. 290, note "b."

(d) This Ralph *d.* s.p.m. Aug. 1248 within a year of his mother. Alfonso DE BRIENNE, who *m.* Mary his da. and h., became Count of Eu, as did their son, grandson, great grandson, and great great grandson, which last (Ralph, Count of Guisnes and Eu, Constable of France), was beheaded 19 Nov. 1350, when all his dignities were confiscated, Guisnes being reunited to the Crown while Eu was conferred on John of Artois. From Chester Waters' "Counts of Eu." See p. 290, note "b."

(e) Louis IX. of France is said in Oct. 1259 to have requested King Henry III. to

I. 1419. SIR WILLIAM BOURCHIER, s. and h. of Sir William B., by Eleanor DE LOVAIN, heiress of Little Easton, co. Essex, which Sir William, last named, was a yr. s. of Robert, LORD BOURCHIER (Lord Chancellor, 1340-49), was aged 23 on 5 Oct. 1397, at the death of his mother whom he *suc.* in her lands in Essex and Suffolk, and having *m.* in 1404 Anne, Dow. Countess of STAFFORD, da. and eventually sole h. of Thomas (PLANTAGENET), DUKE OF GLOUCESTER, by Eleanor, da. and coheir of Humphrey (BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD, ESSEX, and NORTHAMPTON, served in the wars in France under (his wife's cousin) Henry V., was, by that King, made in 1415 Constable of the Tower of London; in Feb. 1418/9 Governor of Dieppe and finally 10 June 1419, (a) COUNT OF EU in Normandy^(b) with rem. to his heirs male by his said wife. He *d.* 28 May 1420, and was *bur.* in Lanthony Abbey, co. Brecon.^(c) His widow *d.* 16 Oct. 1438, aged 56, and was *bur.* there also.

II. 1420. HENRY BOURCHIER, COUNT OF EU in Normandy, s. and h., *b.* 1406, *suc.* his cousin 1 July 1433, as LORD BOURCHIER, and was *sum.* to Parl. 5 July 1435, to 13 Jany. 1444/5, by various writs, some being directed "*Henrico Bourchier Comiti de Ewe.*"^(d) He was *cr.* VISCOUNT BOURCHIER before 14 Dec. 1446, and EARL OF ESSEX 30 June 1461. He *d.* 4 April 1483, aged 77.

III. 1483. HENRY (BOURCHIER), EARL OF ESSEX, &c., also COUNT OF EU in Normandy, grandson and h. He *d.* s.p.m. 13 March 1539/40, aged 68, when the *Earldom of Essex* and the *Viscounty of Bourchier* became *extinct*.

IV. 1540. JOHN (BOURCHIER), EARL OF BATH, &c., also *de jure* COUNT OF EU in Normandy,^(e) cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of John, 1st EARL OF BATH (*d.* 1539), s. and h. of Fulke, LORD FITZWARINE (*d.* 12 Sep. 1479), s. and h. of Sir William BOURCHIER, **K.G.**, *jure uxoris* LORD FITZWARINE, who was 3d s. of William, 1st Count of Eu in Normandy. With the Earldom of Bath, the Countship of Eu continued united till both became *extinct* 15 Aug. 1654, by the failure of the male line of the grantee. See "BATH" Earldom, *cr.* 1536; *ex.* 1654.

See fuller account under
"Essex" Earldom, *cr.* 1461;
ex. 1540.

restore to Alfonso, Count of Eu, the honours of Hastings and Tickill, the inheritance of his wife, da. and h. of Ralph, Count of Eu, the s. and h. of the Countess Alice, the last possessor thereof. The reply was "when the King of France restores to *Englishmen* their lands in *Normandy*, I will give back to *Frenchmen* the lands and tenements which were theirs in *England*."

(a) The following Norman Earldoms were conferred by Henry V., *viz.* (1) that of HARCOURT, 1 July (1418), 6 Hen. V., on Thomas (Beaufort), Duke of Exeter (2) that of TANQUERVILLE or TANKERVILLE, 31 Jany. (1418/9), 6 Hen. V. on Sir John Grey, **K.G.**, slain at Bauge, 22 March 1421, ancestor of the Lords Grey of Powis (3) PERCHE 26 April (1419), 7 Hen. V. on Thomas (Montacute), Earl of Salisbury (4) EU, 10 June (1419), 7 Hen. V. on Sir William Bourchier, father of Henry, 1st Earl of Essex, and (5) LONGUEVILLE, 11 June (1419), 7 Hen. V. on Gaston de Foix, Captal de Buch, who *circa* 1438 was made **K.G.**

(b) Charles of Artois, Count of Eu (to whose ancestor, John of Artois, that "County" had been granted by the King of France in 1352) refused in 1419 to acknowledge Henry V. of England as his suzerain, who accordingly dealt with that dignity as an escheat, and regranted the same as stated in the text.

(c) Of his five children, the only da. Eleanor became Duchess of Norfolk, while of the sons (1) Henry, Count of Eu, was *cr.* Earl of Essex 1461 (2) Thomas, *Cardinal Bourchier*, was Archbishop of Canterbury (3) Sir William Bourchier, **K.G.**, became Lord Fitzwarine and was ancestor to the Earls of Bath and (4) Sir John Bourchier, **K.G.**, became Lord Berners.

(d) He continued in possession of the revenues of Eu till 1450 when the English were driven out of Normandy since which period the barren title was all that remained to the Bourchier family.

(e) "It is a curious fact that whilst none of the four Earls of Bath, who were *de*

EURE [or EVERS].

- Barony.**
- I. 1544. 1. SIR WILLIAM EURE, of WITTON co. Durham, s. and h. of Sir Ralph Eure, of the same, by Muriel, his 1st wife, da. of Sir Hugh HASTINGS, of Feunwick, co. York, was b. about 1483; Sheriff of co. Northumberland, 1527; Capt. of Berwick Castle, 1538; *suc.* his father, 22 April 1540; Warden of the East Marches towards Scotland, and was by letters patent, 24 Feb. (1543/4), 35 Hen. VIII, *cr.* (apparently) "LORD EURE, BARON OF WITTON, co. Durham,"^(a) and *sum.* to Parl. 1st Dec. 1544, by writ directed "Willo, D'no Evers, Ch'l." He m. Elizabeth, da. of Christopher (WILLOUGHBY), LORD WILLOUGHBY DE ERESBY, by Margaret, da. of Sir William JENNY. He d. 15 March 1547/8. *Inq. post. mortem.*
- II. 1548. 2. WILLIAM (EURE), LORD EURE, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir Ralph Eure, Warden of the East Marches, by Margery, da. of Sir William BOWES, of Streatham, which Ralph was s. and h. ap. of the first Lord, but was slain v.p. by the Scots, 6 March 1544/5, at the battle of Ancrum moor. He was b. 1530; was Warden of the Middle Marches, *temp.* Ed. VI., Mary and Eliz. and was Capt. of Berwick Castle; was one of the Commissioners to negotiate with Scotland in 1587. He was contracted in marriage (at his age of 11, the lady being but 4), at Eynsham, Oxon, in 1541, to Mary, da. of George (DARCY), LORD DARCY, by Dorothy, da. and h. of Sir John METTON, of Aston, co. York. This contract was however set aside, by decree at Durham, 3 Nov. 1554. He then m. before 1558, Margaret, da. of Sir Edward Dymoke, of Scrivelsby, co. Lincoln, Knight Banneret, by Anne, da. of Sir George TALBOYS. She was *bur.* 15 Sep. 1591, at Ingleby, co. Lincoln. He d. 12 and was *bur.* there 13 Feb. 1593/4. Will dat. 22 Dec. 1592. *Inq. post mortem*, 24 Sep. 1594, at Stokelsey, co. York.
- III. 1594. 3. RALPH (EURE), LORD EURE, s. and h., b. 24 Sep. 1558, at Berwick Castle; Warden of the Middle Marches, 1586; Sheriff of Yorkshire, 1594; Ambassador to Germany, 1603; Lord President of the Council of Wales, 1607. He m. firstly, about 1580, Mary, da. of Sir John DAWNAY, of Sesay, co. York, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Marmaduke TUNSTALL. She d. 16 March 1612, and was *bur.* at Ludlow. M.I. He m. secondly Elizabeth, Dow. BARONESS HUNSDON, 2d da. of Sir John SPENCER, of Althorp, co. Northampton, by Catharine, da. of Sir Thomas KITSON. He d. 1 April 1617, and was *bur.* at Ludlow. *Inq. post mortem* at Malton, his will (without date) being pr. 7 April 1617.^(b) His widow was *bur.* 2 March 1617/8 (with her first husband) in Westm. Abbey. Her admon. 20 March 1617/8, and 28 Feb. 1638/9.
- IV. 1617. 4. WILLIAM (EURE), LORD EURE, only s. and h., by 1st wife, b. about 1587; **K.B.** at the coronation, 25 July 1603. He m.

jure Earls of Eu, ever cared to assume the Earldom, it was persistently usurped by the Earls of Essex, who had no right whatever to the title." From Chester Waters' "Counts of Eu." See p. 290, note "b."

^(a) "The patent of nobility was not enrolled, but, about 1830, it was in the possession of Michael Jones, Esq., a descendant of Michael Johnson and Mary Eure, [da. and h. of William, s. of Sir William Eure, the br. of Ralph, 3d Baron,] and after his death [he was living 1832], was sold among his books and MSS." See additional pedigree (p. 613), to Foster's "The Visitation of Yorkshire, 1584/5, &c., which contains a good account of this family. With respect to this patent it is stated in 'Creations, 1483—1646,' in ap. 47th Rep. D. K. Pub. Records, that "No mention of this has been found in the calendar to the Pat. Rolls, nor has any Privy Seal or signed bill (Chancery Series) been found relating to it," tho' Sir William was *sum.* to Parl. *by writ*, 1 Dec. 1544. The authority for the Barony conferred in 1544 is, by Dugdale, given as "Ex autogr. penes Georgium Eure, an 1562" [i.e., 1662], and it seems clear from the devolution of the Barony that it was granted *by patent* to heirs male of the body of the grantee.

^(b) In 1619 he sold the estate of Ingleby (long the inheritance of his family) to Sir David Foulis.

Lucy, sister of Edward, VISCOUNT CAMPDEN, da. of Sir Andrew NOEL, of Dalby, co. Leicester, by Mabel, da. of Sir James HARRINGTON. She was *bur.* at Old Malton 20 Jan'y. 1615.^(a) He was *bur.* there 23 June 1646.^(b)

V. 1646. 5. WILLIAM (EURE), LORD EURE, grandson and h., being only s. and h. of the Hon. Ralph Eure, by Katharine, da. of Thomas (ARUNDELL), 1st BARON ARUNDELL OF WARDOUR, which Ralph was 1st s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, but d. v.p. shortly before 1640, at Southwark, aged about 31. He d. unm. and was *bur.* at Old Malton 25 June 1652.^(c)

VI. 1652. 6. GEORGE (EURE), LORD EURE, cousin and h. male, who as h. male of the body of the grantee *suc.* to the title but not to the estates of the family. He was 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. of Horatio Eure, of Easby, co. York, by Deborah, da. and coheir of John BRETT, of Romney Marsh, co. Kent, which Horatio (who d. 20 Jan'y. 1636/7, aged 46), was s. and h. of Sir Francis Eure (who d. 1 May 1621), next br. to Ralph, the 3d Lord. He was M.P. in Sep. 1656 (four years after his succession to the Peerage) for the N. Riding in Yorkshire, and was one of the few Peers^(d) who in 1657 formed one of the members of Cromwell's "*Upper House*." He d. unm. and was *bur.* 24 Oct. 1672, at St. Paul's, Covent Garden, Midx. Will (in which he is described as of Easby, co. York), dat. 15 and pr. 24 Oct. 1672.

VII. 1672, 1707. 7. RALPH (EURE), LORD EURE, yst. b. and h. He took to his seat in the House of Lords, 4 Feb. 1672/3. He d. unm.^(e) at High Holborn, 27 April and was *bur.* 1 May 1707, at St. Andrew's, Holborn. Admon. 16 May 1707 to his niece Bathsua Lister, widow. At his death the *Barony* is presumed to have become *extinct*.^(f)

(a) "The virtuous wife of the honourable Sir William Eure."

(b) He proceeded with the alienation of the family estates begun by his father selling Witton to Sir Richard Forster, Bart., and Jarrow [by deeds 1622-27] to Henry Gib, afterwards [1634] a Bart. [S.]

(c) He is generally said to have been *suc.* by his uncle, Sir William Eure, Col. of a Reg. of Horse, who, however, d. s.p.m. in his lifetime, being slain, *ex parte regis*, at Marston Moor and *bur.* in York Minster 7 July 1644, leaving two daughters and coheirs *viz.* (1) Margaret, who m. Thomas Danby, and (2) Mary, who m. William Palmes. These ladies inherited, in 1652, what was left of the estates, and in 1675 under a writ of partition between them "the family mansion was pulled down and stone by stone was divided between the unyielding sisters." See Foster's "Addit. pedigrees" as in p. 293, note "a." To these two ladies was granted, by royal sign manual 2 May 1673 "the precedence of daughters of a Baron the same as if their father, Col. William Ever, had survived his nephew and *suc.* to the title." See Howard's "*Mis. Gen. et Her.*," vol. ii, n.s., p. 71.

(d) See vol. i, p. 229, note "d" (*circa finem*); and see also vol. ii, p. 84, note "c," *sub* "Burnell," for a complete list of Cromwell's "Upper House."

(e) There is a marr. lic. at the Fac. off. 27 July 1650 for Ralph Eure, of Gray's Inn, Esq., about 42, widower and Thomazine, da. of John Aderley, Esq., of South Mims, Midx., but this apparently refers to the "Ralph Eure, s. and h. of Peter E., Knt., late of Wasingborough, co. Lincoln, decd.," who entered Gray's Inn, 7 Aug. 1623. There are, also, entries there, 10 Aug. 1610, of "Sampson Eure," and of "Francis Eure, Knt.," which Sampson was br. of Ralph the 7th Lord, but none of Ralph himself.

(f) "Ever, Lord, dyed 29 April 1707, s.p., a bachelor, so the title is extinct, and the estate before, for he had not above £100 per annum. Before the title came to him he was a journeyman to a wollen draper at £20 a year and his diet. *Q're*, the title is not extinct." Le Neve's "*Memoranda*." As to this query it would appear that all male issue of the 2d Lord was probably extinct before 1707, but that possibly issue male may be (or might have been in 1707) existing of Henry Eure, of Bishop's Middleham (a yr. son of the first Lord) whose wife, Eleanor was *bur.* there 4 April 1580, leaving issue William and Ralph. See Foster's "Addit. pedigrees" as in p. 293, note "a."

EUSTON.

i.e., "EUSTON, co. Suffolk," Earldom (*Fitzroy*), *cr.* 1672, with the DUKEDOM OF GRAFTON, which see.

EVANDALE, see AVONDALE.

i.e., "JOHNSTON OF LOCKWOOD, LOCHMABEN, MOFFATDALE AND EVANDALE" Barony [S.], *cr.* 1661, with the EARLDOM OF ANNANDALE AND HARTFELL [S.], which see; *dormant* since 1722.

EVERARD.

SIR REDMOND EVERARD, Bart. [I.], of Fethard, co. Tipperary, was *cr.* a Viscount [VISCOUNT EVERARD?] in 1722, by the titular King James III. See "Jacobite Peerages," vol. i, p. 59, note "b," *sub* "Albemarle." He apparently *d. s.p.* His will, styling him as "Baronet" [only] and as heretofore of Fethard in Ireland, but now living in France, dat. 10 March 1739/40, was *pr.* at Dublin, 16 April 1746, by the administrator of the executrix and residuary legatee, Dame Mary Everard, the relict of the decd.

EVERINGHAM, or EVERINGHAM DE LAXTON.

- Barony by Writ.
- I. 1309. 1. SIR ADAM EVERINGHAM, of Everingham and Stainborough, co. York, and of Lexington, *alias* Laxton, co. Nottingham, s.^(a) and h. of Robert E. of the same, by Lucy, da. and h. of Robert DE THWENCE; *suc.* his father (1287), 15 Ed. I, being then aged 7 years. He served in the Scotch wars 1303, was made **K.B.** (with Prince Edward), 1306, and was *sum.* to Parl. as a Baron (LORD EVERINGHAM) by writs dat. 4 March (1308/9), 2 Ed. II. to 6 Oct. (1315), 9 Ed. II. He joined in the rebellion against the King by whom he was made prisoner at Boroughbridge 16 March 1322, and fined 400 marks. He *d.* (1341), 15 Ed. III.
- I. 1341, 1379. 2. ADAM (EVERINGHAM), LORD EVERINGHAM, s. and h., aged 30 in 1341 at his father's death. He was in the French wars and was at the battle of Cressy, 26 Aug. 1346, but was not *sum.* to Parl. till 8 Jany. (1370/1), 44 Ed. III., when he received a writ directed "*Adw de Everingham de Laxton* [LORD EVERINGHAM DE LAXTON.] He *m.* Joan, da. of John DEYVILLE. He *d.* s.p.m.s. 8 Feb. (1378/9), 2 Ric. II. when the *Barony* fell into *abeyance*.^(b)

^(a) Dugdale makes him to be a *brother* of this Robert, whose age of 24, in 9 Ed. I, shews him to have been *b.* circa 1257, while Adam must have been *b.* circa 1280. Banks in his "*Baronia Angl.*" makes Adam s. and h. of Robert, as in the text.

^(b) The coheirs were his two granddaughters Joane, aged 25, and Catharine, aged 23, at the time of their grandfather's death, which ladies were sisters and coheirs of Robert, who *d.* young, 27 Dec. 1370, and daughters of William Everingham (1st s. and h. ap. of the last Lord) who *d.* v.p. 16 Aug. 1369. Of these ladies Joane *m.* firstly Sir William Ellys and secondly John Waterton, while Catharine *m.* John Elton. Both left issue. See Banks' "*Bar. Angl.*"

EVERS or EVRE, see EURE.

EVERSLEY OF HECKFIELD.

Viscounty. THE RT. HON CHARLES SHAW-LEFEVRE, late Speaker of the House of Commons, was *cr.* 11 April 1857, **VISCOUNT EVERSLEY OF HECKFIELD**, co. Southampton. He was 1st s. and h. of Charles SHAW-LEFEVRE, formerly SHAW, by Helena, only da. and h. of John LEFEVRE, of Heckfield Place, co. Southampton; was *b.* 22 Feb. 1794, in Bedford square; *ed.* at Winchester and at Trin Coll., Cambridge; B.A., 1815; M.A., 1819; Barrister (Linc. Inn), 1819; M.P. for Downton, 1830-31; for Hants, 1831-32, and for North Hampshire, 1832-57; P.C., 1839; **SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS**, 1839-57, being, on his retirement, raised to the Peerage, as above stated, with a life pension of £4,000 a year. Gov. of the Isle of Wight, 31 Oct. 1857; D.C.L., Oxford, 16 June 1858; LL.D., Cambridge, 3 June 1864; Yeomanry aide de camp to the Queen; Hon. Lieut. Col. of the Hants Yeomanry, &c. He *m.* 24 June 1817, Emma Laura, 2d da. of Samuel WHITBREAD, of Southill, Beds, by Elizabeth, 1st da. of Charles (GREY), 1st Earl GREY. She *d.* 20 June 1857 (two months after her husband's elevation to the Peerage) aged 59 at Eaton Place, Midx. He *d.* s.p.m.s. at Heckfield Place *afsd.* 28 Dec. 1888, in his 95th year (being at that time the "father" of the House of Lords) when the *Viscounty* became *extinct*. He was *bur.* (from 114 Eaton square) in Kensal Green Cemetery with his wife. Will *pr.* 1889 at £167,894.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 2,388 acres in Hants (at and near Heckfield) worth £3,008 a year.

EVRE or EVERS, see EURE.

EVESHAM.

See "SOMMERS OF EVESHAM, co. Worcester," Barony (*Sommers*), *cr.* 1697; *Ex.* 1716.

See "LECHMERE OF EVESHAM, co. Worcester," Barony (*Lechmere*), *cr.* 1721; *Ex.* 1727.

See "SOMMERS OF EVESHAM, co. Worcester" (*Cocks*), Barony, *cr.* 1784.

EWE, see EU.

EWELM.

i.e., "PARKER OF EWELM, co. Oxford," Viscounty (*Parker*), *cr.* 1721, with the EARLDOM OF MACCLESFIELD, which see.

EXETER.

[*Memorandum.* The Earls of Devon, of the family of de Redvers [1100 to 1262] were, not unfrequently styled EARLS OF EXETER. See p. 100, note "d."]

Dukedom. JOHN HOLLAND, 3d s. of Thomas, 1st EARL OF KENT, by I. 1397 Joan ("the fair maid of Kent," afterwards Princess of Wales, and mother of King Richard II.) da. of Edmund (PLANTAGENET), to 1400. EARL OF KENT (jr. s. of King Edward I.), was *b.* about 1355, and being brother (*ex parte materna*) to King Richard II, was made Chief Justice of Chester (1381-85) and K.G., in 1381. In 1385, having murdered Ralph Stafford (1st s. of the Earl of Stafford) he had hard matter to obtain pardon, but was, notwithstanding, after having served Spain (at the request of Parl.), *cr.* 2 June 1387, EARL OF HUNTINGDON, with rem. to the heirs male of

his body, by Elizabeth, his wife; P.C., 1389; Great Chamberlain 1390; Warden of the west marches, 1376, &c. On 29 Sep. 1397, he was *cr.* DUKE OF EXETER,^(a) and was made Capt. of Calais, in Feb. 1397/8. He was, however, *degraded from his Dukedom*,^(b) 6 Oct. 1399, by the Parl. of (the new King) Henry IV. tho' he retained the Earldom of Huntingdon. Joining in the plot against the King, he was taken prisoner and beheaded at Pleshey, co. Essex, 15 Jan. 1399/1400, and was *bur.* there. He was *attainted* in Parl. (under the designation of "John Holand, late Earl of Huntingdon) when *all his honours* became *forfeited*. He had *m.* probably about 1380 (certainly before Sep. 1386), the lady Elizabeth PLANTAGENET, sister of the whole blood to King Henry IV, 2d da. of John "of Gaunt," DUKE OF LANCASTER, by his 1st wife, Blanche, da. and coheir of Henry (PLANTAGENET), DUKE OF LANCASTER. She was *b.* about 1368 (certainly before Sep. 1369) and was, in April 1379 (as "one of the two daughters of the Duke of Lancaster"), one of the ladies for whom *robes of the Garter* were provided, as also (when "Duchess of Exeter") in April 1399.^(c) She *m.* (secondly), Sir John CORNWALL, of Fanhope, co. Hereford, who, after her death, was *cr.* in 1433, BARON FANHOPE and who *d.* 1443, see that dignity. She *d.* (1425-26), 4 Hen. VI, and was *bur.* at Burford, Salop. M.L., at Burford and at Amphill, Beds.

II. 1416. THOMAS BEAUFORT, yst. of the three legitimated sons of
to JOHN (PLANTAGENET, styled "OF GAUNT"), DUKE OF LANCASTER, by
1426. Dame Katharine SWINFORD, widow, da. of Sir Payne ROELT, was *b.*
about 1377; *legitimated* 6 Feb. 1397, by act of Parl. which was
confirmed 10 Feb. 1407;^(d) Capt. of Calais, 1400 to 1403, again
1406 and finally 1426/7. **K.G.**, 1400; Admiral of England, &c., 1409; P.C., 1409;
LORD CHANCELLOR, 1410-12, being, 5 July 1411, *cr.* EARL OF DORSET. He was,
in 1416, Lieut. of the Duchy of Normandy and was, 18 Nov. 1416, *cr.* DUKE OF
EXETER for life only, and was *cr.* 1 July 1418, *Count of Harcourt in Normandy*.^(e)
In 1422 he was a Councillor of the Regency. He *m.*, before 1408, Margaret, da. and
h. of Sir Thomas NEVILL, of Hornby, co. Lincoln. She for whom (as "the *Lady de*
Beaufort") *robes of the Garter* were prepared (1408), 9 Hen. IV. *d.* before him and
was *bur.* at Bury St. Edmunds. He *d.* s.p.s.^(f) at Greenwich 30 Dec. 1426, and was
bur. at Bury afsd.^(g) when *all his honours* became extinct. Will dat. 29 Dec. 1426,
pr. 28 Jany. 1426/7.^(h)

III. 1443. I. JOHN HOLLAND, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. of John
(HOLLAND), DUKE OF EXETER, by Elizabeth (sister to King Henry
IV.) both abovenamed; was *b.* 1394; **K.B.**, 8 April 1413; **K.G.**, 1415, and was
restored in blood as also to his father's *Earldom* as EARL OF HUNTINGDON by act

(^a) Four Dukedoms were conferred that day (1) ALBEMARLE, on Edward (Plantagenet) Earl of Rutland, afterwards (1402) Duke of York; (2) SURREY, on Thomas (Holland) Earl of Kent; (3) EXETER, on John (Holland) Earl of Huntingdon, and (4) NORFOLK, on Thomas (Mowbray), Earl of Nottingham; also one Marquessate, that of DORSET, on John (Beaufort), Earl of Somerset. Of these five grantees, all but Norfolk, were by the Parl. (1 Hen. IV.), 6 Oct. 1399, degraded from the titles so conferred on them.

(^b) See previous note, *circa finem* as to those similarly degraded.

(^c) Beltz's "*Knights of the Garter*," pp. 247 and 255.

(^d) In the *confirmation* the words "*exceptâ dignitate regali*" are inserted. See full account of this transaction in "*Excerpta Historica*" (1831), pp. 152-154.

(^e) This was "by the service of rendering to the king at Rouen *unum florem deliciarum* annually on the feast of St. John the Baptist. *Norman Roll* 6 Hen. V." [*Courthope*.] See some account of the Norman Earldoms conferred by Henry V., p. 292, note "a," sub "Eu."

(^f) Henry, his only son, *d.* an infant probably before 1412.

(^g) "On 20 Feb. 1772, the coffin was sold as old lead." See "*Excerpta Historica*," p. 152.

(^h) This is printed *in extenso* in Nichols's "*Royal Wills*."

of Parl. 1417; (a) Constable of the Tower of London, 1420; P.C. 1426 and 1437; EARL MARSHAL, 1432-34; Lord High Admiral, 1435; Lieut. of Aquitaine, 1439. He was 6 Jan. 1443, *cr.* DUKE OF EXETER, and on the 17th had a *warrant of precedence* "in parliament and councils" placing him next to the Duke of York. (b) He *m.* firstly between 1424 and 1427, Ann, Dow. COUNTESS OF MARCH, da. of Edmund (STAFFORD), 5th EARL OF STAFFORD, by Ann, da. of Thomas (PLANTAGENET), DUKE OF GLOUCESTER. She *d.* (1432-33), 11 Hen. VI. and was *bur.* at St. Katharines by the Tower. He *m.* secondly (lic. 20 Jan. 1432/3) Beatrix, Dow. COUNTESS OF ARUNDEL (see more of her under that title), illegit. (but probably legitimated) da. of John I., KING OF PORTUGAL, by Donna Agnes PEREZ. She *d.* s.p. at Bordeaux, 23 Oct. 1439, and was *bur.* at Arundel. M.I. He *m.* thirdly Ann, widow of Sir John FITZ-LEWIS, relict formerly of Sir Richard HANKFORD, da. of John (MONTACUTE), 3rd EARL OF SALISBURY, by Maud, da. of Sir Adam FRANCIS. He *d.* 5th Aug. 1447, and was *bur.* at St. Katharines afsd.; Admon. at Lambeth, 13 Dec. 1447; Will pr. 16 Feb. 1447/8. (c) His widow was *bur.* with him. Her will dated 20 April 1457; admon. 3 Dec. 1457, at Lambeth.

2. HENRY (HOLAND), DUKE OF EXETER and EARL OF HUNTINGDON, only s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 27 June 1430; Knighted to 15 May 1440; Constable of the Tower of London, 1447. He was a zealous Lancastrian, fighting at Wakefield (1460), and at Towton (1461), being in consequence *attainted* 4 Nov. 1461, whereby *all his honours* became forfeited and he for the next 12 years lived in great penury. He again fought at Barnet 14 April 1471, being most severely wounded. He *d.* s.p. (being found dead in the sea between Dover and Calais) in 1473. (d) He had *m.* before 30 July 1447, Ann (sister of King Edward IV.), 1st da. of Richard (PLANTAGENET), DUKE OF YORK, by Cicely, da. of Ralph (NEVILL), EARL OF WESTMORLAND. She who was *b.* 10 Aug. 1439, at Fotheringay Castle, was divorced from him, at her own suit, 12 Nov. 1472. (e)

- Marquessate. HENRY (COURTENAY), EARL OF DEVON, *b.* about 1498, who in 1511, *suc.* his father in that Earldom, was, 18 June 1525, (f) *cr.* MARQUESS OF EXETER. He was beheaded 9 Jan. 1538/9, when, having been *attainted*, *all his honours* became *extinct*. (g) See fuller particulars under "Devon" Earldom, *sub* the XXth holder.

(a) In Doyle's Official Baronage it said that he was "restored Earl of Huntingdon before April 5 1416."

(b) The date of the Dukedom of York (conferred on Edmund *Plantagenet*, 5th son of King Edward III.), was 1385, but the Duke of Exeter was by this warrant placed before the Dukedoms of [1], Norfolk (*Mowbray*), *cr.* 1397 [2], Warwick (*Beauchamp*), *cr.* 1445, with precedence before Buckingham, and [3], Buckingham (*Stafford*) *cr.* 1444. See p. 147 note "b" *sub*. "Dorset" for an earlier instance of precedence, and see Vol. i. p. 229 note "a," *sub*. "Banbury," for some account of "precedency of Peers in parl. by royal warrant."

(c) This is printed *in extenso* in Nichols's "Royal Wills."

(d) According to "Sandford," he had an only da. Ann, 1st wife of Thomas (Grey), 1st Marquess of Dorset. If so she probably *d.* young and s.p. See p. 148, note "c," *sub* "Dorset."

(e) She *m.* secondly Sir Thomas St. Leger, but *d.* about 2 years afterwards, 14 Jan. 1475/6, leaving an only da. and h., Ann, who *m.* George (Manners), Lord de Roos.

(f) This was one of the creations made the same day that the King's illegit. son Henry Fitzroy was *cr.* Duke of Richmond. See a list of these, vol ii, p. 438, note "c," *sub* Cumberland. See also p. 107, note "a," *sub* "Devon" as to Marquessates previously created, and p. 146, note "g," *sub* Dorset.

(g) His only s. and h. Edward Courtenay, *cr.* Earl of Devon, 3 Sep. 1553, was restored in blood, but *not* to the honours of his family. He is, however, often (tho' erroneously) considered to have been thereby *restored* to the *Marquessate of Exeter*. See Mr. Horace Round's article in "the Genealogist," new series, vol. iv, p. 124. This Earl of Devon *d.* unm. 18 Sep. 1556, when, in any case, the *Marquessate* became *extinct*.

Earldom. I. "THOMAS CECIL,^(a) K.G., BARON OF BURGHLEY, late Lord President of the Council in the northern parts to Queen Elizabeth and to James I,"^(b) was 4 May 1605,^(c) cr. EARL OF EXETER.^(d) He was 1st s. and h. of the celebrated statesman, William (CECIL), 1st BARON BURGHLEY, being his only child by his first wife, Mary, da. of Peter CHEKE, of Pirgo, Essex; was b. 5 May 1542, at St. Mary's the Great, Cambridge; ed. at home, but sent to travel 1561 to 1563; M.P. for Stamford 1563-81; for Lincolnshire, 1585-87, and for Northamptonshire, 1592-93; M.A., of Cambridge (of which Univ. his father was Chancellor) 30 Aug. 1571; was at the storming of Edinburgh, 28 May 1573; knighted by the Queen, at Kenilworth, 18th July 1575, High Sheriff of co. Northampton, 1578; was Capt. of Horse in the wars in the low countries and Governor of Brill, 1585-87; suc. his father (at whose funeral the Queen directed him "to mourn as an Earl,"^(e)) as *Baron Burghley*, 4 Aug. 1598, Lord Lieut. of co. York 1599-1603; LORD PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF THE NORTH, 1599-1603; Col. of the London Foot, 1601, in which capacity he contributed greatly to the suppression of the insurrection of the Earl of Essex; K.G., 23 April, being installed 20 May 1601. On the accession of James I, he was made P.C., Lord Almoner for the Coronation, and Lord Lieut. of co. Northampton, all in 1603 and was 4 May 1605 (the same day on which his br. Robert was cr. Earl of Salisbury), cr. *Earl of Exeter*^(e) as above stated. He m. firstly, 27 Nov. 1564, Dorothy,^(f) 2d da. and coheir of John (NEVILL), 3d LORD LATIMER, by Lucy, da. of Henry (SOMERSET), EARL OF WORCESTER. She d. in London, 23 March 1608, and was bur. in Westm. Abbey.^(g) He m. secondly, about 1610, Frances (38 years his junior), widow of Sir Thomas SMITH (who d. 28 Nov. 1609) da. of William (BRYDGES) 4th BARON CHANDOS OF SUDELEY, by Mary, da. of Sir Owen HOPTON. He d. in London, 8 Feb. 1622/3, aged 80 and was bur. the 10th at Westm. Abbey afsd. M.I. Will dat. 21 Nov. 1622, pr. 11 March 1622/3.^(h) His widow, who survived him 40 years, d. 1663, aged 83 and was bur. in Winchester Cathedral. M.I. Her Will pr. 1663.

(a) CECIL is one of the 12 families treated of in Drummond's "Noble British Families." See vol. i, p. 77, note "a," sub "Alvanley."

(b) See "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records.

(c) On 4 May 1605, three Earls, one Viscount and four Barons were created, viz, the Earls of Exeter, Montgomery and Salisbury, the Viscount L'Isle and the Barons Cavendish of Hardwick, Carew of Clopton, Arundell of Wardour and Stanhope of Harrington.

(d) Dugdale (quoting Selden's "Titles of honour,") writes that this creation "is observed to be the first precedent whereby it appears that any man was advanced to the title of *Earl of the principal city*, when another had the dignity of *Earl of the same county*; Charles Blount, being then Earl of Devonshire." This may be true but, if so, it does not apply (taking this case of Exeter for example) to a *Dukedom* of the city during the existence of an *Earldom* of the county. It does not appear that the Cecil family had any connection with Devon or Exeter, any more than the Cavendish family, who a dozen years later took the title of Devonshire had with that county. See p. 69, note "d," sub "Derby," as to titles of Earldoms from places or counties not apparently connected with the grantees.

(e) He appears to have declined an Earldom some 2 years before. See his letter 12 Jan. 1603 to Sir John Hobart, the Attorney Gen. in "Collins," vol. ii, p. 600. Perhaps the fact of his younger brother being about to be elevated to an Earldom, made him now change his mind.

(f) "A curious document quoted in the 4th report of the Hist. MSS. Com., p. 125, appears to throw some doubt upon the marriage of Thomas Cecil to Dorothy Nevill. The fact of the marriage is so certain that it is not worth while to discuss the matter." See Stephen's "Nat. Biogr."

(g) No record of her burial is in the register, but this inscription on her coffin plate, in the Cecil vault, in St. John the Baptist chapel, was copied by Mr. Henry Poole, in June 1879. "Here lyeth the body of Dorothe Nevill, Countes of Exeter, one of y^e coheires of y^e Lo. Latimer; and verteous and dere wife to Thomas Cecyll, Earl of Exeter, who dyed 23 March 1608." That on her husband's coffin plate is "Thomas, Comes Excestriae, obiit, London, 8 Feb. 1622, anno ætatis suæ 80."

(h) He was a liberal benefactor to Clare Hall, Cambridge; was the founder of a Hospital for 12 poor men and 2 women at Liddington, co. Rutland, but, writes Dr.

II. 1623. 2. WILLIAM (CECIL), EARL OF EXETER, &c., s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* 1566; Knighted, by James I, 17 April 1603; styled LORD BURGHLEY 1605-23; Lord Lieut. of co. Northampton, 1623; P.C., 1626; **K.G.**, 18 April, being installed, 5 Oct. 1630. He *m.* firstly, in 1589, Elizabeth, *de jure, suo jure* BARONESS DE ROOS, da. and h. of Edward (MANNERS), 3d EARL OF RUTLAND, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Thomas HOLCROFT. She *d.* and was *bur.* 19 May 1591, in Westm. Abbey. He *m.* secondly Elizabeth, sister and coheir of Sir Robert, da. of Sir William DRURY, of Hawsted, co. Suffolk, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir William STAFFORD, of Blatherwick, co. Northampton. He *d.* s.p.m.s.^(a) 6 July 1640, at Exeter House, St. John's Clerkenwell and was *bur.* the 9th at Westm. Abbey *afsd.* Fun. Certif. in Public Record office. Will dat. 9 July 1639, pr. 13 July 1640, by his widow and universal legatee. She, who was *b.* 4 Jan. 1578, *d.* at Exeter house *afsd.*, 26 Feb. and was *bur.* 4 March 1653/4, M.I. Will dat. 20 March, pr. 20 April 1654.^(b)

III. 1640. 3. DAVID (CECIL), EARL OF EXETER AND BARON BURGHLEY, nephew and h. male, being only s. and h. of Sir Richard Cecil, of Wakerley, co. Northampton, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Anthony COPE, Bart., of Hanwell, Oxon, which Richard was 2d s. of the 1st Earl and *d.* 15 Feb. 1633, aged 53. He was *b.* about 1600, and was M.P. for Peterborough, 1640. He *m.* Elizabeth, 3d da. of John (EGERTON), 1st EARL OF BRIDGWATER, by Frances, da. and coheir of Ferdinando (STANLEY), 5th EARL OF DERBY. He *d.* in London, 18 April 1643 and was *bur.* at St. Martin's Stamford, co. Northampton. Will pr. April 1645. His widow was *bur.* there 24 March 1686/7. Her Will pr. 1688.

IV. 1643. 4. JOHN (CECIL), EARL OF EXETER, &c., s. and h., *b.* 1628 (being aged 6 at the Her. Visit. of 1634) styled LORD BURGHLEY, 1640-43. He was Lord Lieut. of co. Northampton, 1660-73. He *m.* firstly, 8 Dec. 1646, at St. Bride's, London, Frances, 1st da. of John (MANNERS), 8th EARL OF RUTLAND, by Frances, da. of Edward (MONTAGU), 1st BARON MONTAGU OF BOUGHTON. She, who was *b.* at Haddon, co. Derby, *d.* 2 Dec. 1660, and was *bur.* 14, at St. Martin's, Stamford. He *m.* secondly 24 Jan. 1669/70, at Ashwell, Mary, widow of Francis PALMES, 4th da. of Mildmay (FANE), EARL OF WESTMORLAND, by his 2d wife, Mary, da. and coheir of Horatio (VERE), BARON VERE OF TILBURY. He *d.* 18 March 1677/8, at Burghley House, near Stamford and was *bur.* at St. Martin's *afsd.* Will pr. 1678. Her will pr. 1681.

V. 1678. 5. JOHN (CECIL), EARL OF EXETER, &c., s. and h., by first wife, *b.* about 1648, and styled LORD BURGHLEY, till 1678; M.P. for co. Northampton, 1675-73; Lord High Almoner at the Coronation of James II, 23 April 1685. Though he espoused the cause of the Prince of Orange in 1688,^(c) he declined taking the oaths of the Revolution. He *m.* (lic. from Bp. of London, 4 May 1670 to marry at St. Mary le Savoy, he 21, Bach, she 21, widow) Anne, widow of Charles RICH, styled LORD RICH, da. of William (CAVENDISH), 3d EARL OF DEVONSHIRE, by Elizabeth, da. of William (CECIL), 2d EARL OF SALISBURY. He *d.* at Issy, near Paris, 29 Aug. 1700 and was *bur.* 20 Oct. following, at St. Martin's, Stamford. M.I. Will pr. May 1701. His widow *d.* 18 June 1703, and was *bur.* 30 at St. Martin's *afsd.* Her admon. 28 Jan. 1703/4, and again 4 Nov. 1707 to a creditor.

Jessop, "it is clear that the first Lord Exeter was a person of very ordinary abilities and that if he had been born of *other* parentage, we should have heard nothing of him." See Stephen's "*Nat. Biog.*"

(a) William Cecil his only son, the only child of his first wife, *b.* 1590, *suc.* his mother the next year as LORD DE ROOS. He *d.* s.p. 27 June 1618 ("a Papist" at Naples) before his father's accession to the Earldom, so that he is not noticed in the text of this work. The Earl, by his second wife, had three daughters and coheirs, all of whom married and had issue.

(b) Pedigree of Drury of Hawsted in Gage's "*Thingoe Hundred, co. Suffolk.*"

(c) See list of Noblemen in arms for that cause, vol. i, p. 28, note "b," *sub* "Abingdon."

VI. 1700. 6. JOHN (CECIL), EARL OF EXETER, &c., s. and h., *b.*

15 May 1674, at Mr Sheffield's house, Kensington, Midx., and was *bap.* there, being styled LORD BURGHLEY, 1678-1700; M.P. for Rutland, 1695-1700; Recorder of Stamford, 1697; Chief Butler at the coronation of Queen Anne, 22 April 1702; Lord Lieut. of Rutland, 1712-15. He *m.* firstly, 9 Feb. 1696/7, at Harlington, co. Midx., Annabella, sister of Charles, 1st EARL OF TANKERVILLE, da. of John (BENNET), 1st BARON OSSULTON, by his second wife, Bridget, da. of John HOWE, of Langar, Notts. She *d.* s.p. Aug. 1693, and was *bur.* at St. Martin's, Stamford. He *m.* secondly, Sep. 1699, Elizabeth, 1st da. and coheir of Sir John BROWNLOW, 3d Bart., of Humby, co. Lincoln, by Alice, da. of Richard SHERARD, of Lopethorp, in that county. He *d.* 24 Dec. 1721, and was *bur.* at St. Martin's afsd. Will pr. 1722.^(a) His widow *d.* 28 Nov. 1723, in her 43d year, and was *bur.* there. Her will pr. 1724.

VII. 1721. 7. JOHN (CECIL), EARL OF EXETER, &c., s. and h., by second wife, *b.* about 1700 and styled LORD BURGHLEY till 1721.

He *d.* unm. 9 April 1722, and was *bur.* at St. Martin's, Stamford. Admon. 28 May 1722, and 2 Jany. 1723/4.

VIII. 1722. 8. BROWNLOW (CECIL), EARL OF EXETER, &c., br. and h., *bap.* 4 Aug. 1701, at St. Martin's, Stamford; ed. at St. John's

Coll., Cambridge; M.P. for Stamford, 1722, and Recorder of Stamford; Lord High Almoner at the coronation of George II. He *m.* 18 July 1724, at St. James', Westminster, Hannah Sophia, da. of Thomas CHAMBERS, of Derby and London. He *d.* 3 Nov. 1754, and was *bur.* 11 at St. Martin's, Stamford. Will pr. 1754. His widow *d.* 30 April 1765, aged 63, and was *bur.* 8 May at St. Martin's afsd. Her will pr. May 1765.

IX. 1754. 9. BROWNLOW (CECIL), EARL OF EXETER, &c., 1st surv.

s. and h., *b.* 21 and *bap.* 25 Sep. 1725, at St. Martin's, Stamford; styled LORD BURGHLEY till 1754; ed. at St. John's Coll., Cambridge, of which univ. he was *cr.* LL.D. 21 June 1751. He was M.P. for Rutland, 1747-1754; Lord Lieut. of Rutland, 1751; Recorder of Stamford; F.R.S., F.S.A. 1767, &c. He *m.* 24 July 1749, or 27 July 1748, Lætitia, da. and h. of the Hon. Horatio TOWNSEND, by Alice, da. of (—) STARKEY. She *d.* 17 April 1756, aged 30, and was *bur.* 26 at St. Martin's, Stamford. He *d.* s.p. 26 Dec. 1793, aged 68, and was *bur.* 14 Jany. 1794, at St. Martin's afsd. Will pr. Jany. 1794.

X. 1793. 10 and 1. HENRY (CECIL), EARL OF EXETER, and

Marquessate.

I. 1801.

BARON BURGHLEY, nephew and h., being only s. and h. of the Hon. Thomas-Chambers Cecil, by Charlotte GARNIER,^(b) his wife, which Thomas-Chambers was next br. to the last Earl and *d.* 14 Aug. 1778, aged 50. He was *b.* 14 March 1754, at Brussels; ed. at St. John's Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1773; M.P. for Stamford, 1774-90; Recorder of Stamford, 1794; F.S.A., F.R.S. 1800, &c. He was, 4 Feb. 1801, *cr.* MARQUESS OF EXETER. He *m.* firstly, 23 May 1776, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Emma, da. and h. of Thomas VERNON, of Hanbury, co. Worcester. After a marriage of fifteen years and the birth of three children she was divorced by act of Parl. June 1791. Three months afterwards, he, on 3 Oct. 1791, *m.* secondly, at St. Mildred's, Bread street, London, Sarah, da. of Thomas HOGGINS, of Bolas Magna, Salop. She *d.* in childbed 18 Jany. 1797, at Burghley House, and was *bur.* 28th at St. Martin's, Stamford.^(c) He *m.* thirdly, 19 Aug. 1800, at Langley Park, Beckenham, Kent,

^(a) He appears to have been not more distinguished than any of the preceding Earls. He is said in Macky's "*Characters*" to be "a gentleman who never was yet in business, loves hawking, horse matches, and other country sports."

^(b) They were *m.* at Mayfair Chapel 20 Feb. 1751.

^(c) This was "*the peasant Countess.*" The romantic story is told in Tennyson's "*Lord of Burleigh*" the hero and heroine (of whom *he* was in reality a fashionable gentleman of nearly 40, who had just divorced a wife after 15 years marriage) figuring as "*but a landscape painter and a village maiden, she*;" while the grimy church of St. Mildred's, in Bread street, personates the "village altar" to which he led her. It is to be observed that three years after her death his lordship consoled himself by a marriage with another *divorcée*.

Elizabeth Anne, the divorced wife [1794] of Douglas (HAMILTON), 8th DUKE OF HAMILTON [S.] (who *d.* 3 Aug. 1799), sister of Peter Robert, 1st BARON GWYDIR, da. of Peter BURRELL, of Langley Park afsd., by Elizabeth, da. and coheir of John LEWIS. He *d.* 1 May 1804, at Pembroke house, Privy Gardens, Whitehall, aged 50, and was *bur.* at St. Martin's, Stamford. Will pr. 1804. His widow *d.* s.p. 17 Jan. 1837, in Privy Gardens as afsd. Her will pr. Feb. 1837.

Marquessate.	} 1804.	2 and 11. BROWNLOW (CECIL), MARQUESS OF EXETER, &c., 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., ^(a) <i>b.</i> and <i>bop.</i> 2 July 1795, at Burghley House afsd. and styled LORD BURGHLEY till 1805; ed. at St. John's Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1814; <i>cr.</i> LL.D., 6 July 1835; Recorder of Stamford, 1816; Grand Almoner at the coronation of George IV.; Lord Lieut. of co. Rutland, 1826; K.G., 10 May 1827; Groom of the Stole to the Prince Consort, 1811-46; P.C., 1841; Lord Lieut. of co. Northampton, 1842; Lord Chamberlain of the Household, Feb. to Dec. 1852; Lord Steward, 1858-59. He <i>m.</i> 12 May 1824, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Isabella, 3d da. and coheir of William Stephen POYNTZ, of Cowdray, Sussex, by Elizabeth Mary, da. of Anthony Joseph (BROWNE), 7th VISCOUNT MONTAGU. He <i>d.</i> 16 Jan. 1867, at Burghley House afsd., in his 72d year. Will pr. 1 Feb. 1867, under £160,000. His widow <i>d.</i> 6 March 1879, aged 76, at 32 Upper Brook street, Midx.
II.		
Earldom.		
XI.		

Marquessate.)	} 1867.	3 and 12. WILLIAM ALLEYNE (CECIL), MARQUESS OF EXETER [1801], EARL OF EXETER [1605], and BARON OF BURGHLEY, [1571], s. and h., <i>b.</i> 20 April 1825, in Connaught Place, Hyde Park, Midx.; ed. at Eton and at St. John's Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1847. M.P. for Lincolnshire, 1847-57 and for north Northamptonshire, 1857-67. Militia aide-de-camp to the Queen and Colonel, 1860; Treasurer of the Household, 1866-67; P.C., 1866; Capt. of the corps of Gent. at Arms, 1867-68, and 1874-75, &c. He <i>m.</i> 17 Oct. 1848, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Georgiana Sophia, 2d da. of Thomas (PAKENHAM), EARL OF LONGFORD [L.], by Georgiana Emma Charlotte, da. of William (LYGON), 1st EARL BEAUCHAMP. She was <i>b.</i> 11 Oct. 1827.
III.		
Earldom.		
XII.		

[BROWNLOW-HENRY-GEORGE CECIL, *styled*, since 1867, LORD BURGHLEY, 1st s. and h. ap., *b.* 20 Dec. 1849; Capt. Gren. Guards, 1871-77; M.P. for north Northamptonshire since 1877; Groom in waiting to the Queen since 1886. He *m.* 7 Sep. 1875, at Aswarby, co. Lincoln, Isabella, only child of Sir Thomas WHINCORE, 6th Bart., by his 2d wife, Isabella Elizabeth, yst. da. of Sir Henry Conyngham MONTGOMERY, 1st Bart.]

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 15,625 acres in Northamptonshire, 8,998 in Rutland, 3,095 in Lincolnshire, and 553 in Leicestershire. Total 28,271 acres, worth £49,044 a year. The large property in the Strand, Westminster is not included herein and would materially increase the value. See vol. ii, p. 51 (*sub* "Buccleuch") note "a," *circa finem*. *Principal Residence.* Burghley House, near Stamford.

Like the Duke of *Devonshire* the Earl of *Derby* and others, the Marquess of *Exeter* has not one acre in the county or place from which his title is derived.

^(a) His elder br. Henry was *b.* 1 Jan. 1793, at Bolas, Salop, and *d.* June following some few months before his father *suc.* to the peerage.

EXMOUTH and EXMOUTH OF CANONTEIGN.

Barony. I. 1814. I. EDWARD PELLEW, 2d s.^(a) of Samuel P., of Flushing, co. Cornwall, by Constance, da. of Edward LANGFORD, b. 19 April 1757, at Dover; entered the Navy at the age of 14; post Capt. 1780; was knighted 29 June 1793, having that month captured a French frigate (the *Cleopatra*) of 63 guns; he, subsequently, effected various other captures, rescued from shipwreck, at great peril to himself, the crew of a large East Indiaman off Plymouth, early in 1796, and was *cr.* a BARONET (as "*of Trevery, co. Cornwall*"), 18 March 1796; was M.P. for Barnstaple, 1802-04; Rear Admiral of the White, 1804, becoming afterwards Vice Admiral of the Blue, 1808; of the Red, 1810; Admiral of the Blue, 1814; of the White, 1821; of the Red, 1830, and VICE ADMIRAL OF ENGLAND, 1832. Commander in Chief in the East Indies, 1804-09; in the North Sea, 1810 in the Mediterranean, 1811-16; was *cr.* 1 June 1814, BARON EXMOUTH OF CANONTEIGN, co. Devon, with a grant of £2,000 a year to him and his successors in that peerage; **K.C.B.**, 2 Jan. 1815, becoming **G.C.B.**, 16 March 1816, in which year he commanded (and was wounded) at the celebrated bombardment of Algiers being, for that service, some 3 months later, 10 Dec. 1816, *cr.* VISCOUNT EXMOUTH, co. Devon. In 1817, he became Knight Grand Cross of Charles III, of Spain; of St. Ferdinand and Merit, of Naples; of Wilhelm, of the Netherlands; of Saints Maurice and Lazare, of Savoy and Knight of the Annunciation, of Savoy. He was Commander in Chief at Plymouth, 1817-21. He *m.* 28 May 1783, Susannah, 2d da. of James FROWDE, of Knoyle, Wilts. He *d.* 23 Jan. 1833, in his 76th year at his house at Teignmouth, and was *bur.* (from Canonteign) at Christow, Devon. Will *pr.* Feb. 1833. His widow *d.* 29 Oct. 1837, aged 75, at Teignmouth. Her will *pr.* Nov. 1837.

II. 1833. 2. DOWNSOLL BASTARD (PELLEW), VISCOUNT EXMOUTH, &c., 1st s. and h.,^(b) b. 1 July 1786; Capt. Royal Navy, 1806, becoming in 1830 Naval aide-de-camp to the King. M.P. for Launceston, 1812-20, and 1826-30. He *m.* firstly, 1 Oct. 1808, Eliza Harriet, da. of Sir George Hilary Barlow, 1st Bart., **G.C.B.**, by Elizabeth, da. of Burton SMITH, of Westmeath. She was divorced by act of Parl. July 1820. He *m.* secondly, 2 April 1822, Georgiana Janet, da. of Mungo DICK, of Pitarrow House, co. Angus, and of Richmond. He *d.* 3 Dec. 1833, aged 47. Will *pr.* Feb. 1834. His widow *d.* 15 Feb. 1870, in her 70th year at Canonteign. Will *pr.* under £12,000.

III. 1833. 3. EDWARD (PELLEW), VISCOUNT EXMOUTH, &c., s. and h., by first wife, b. 14 Feb. 1811, near Plymouth; was in the Bengal Civil Service, 1829 to 1839. He *m.* in 1850 Madeline Honorine DOROWSKI. She *d.* 22 Jany. 1870, at 1 Prince of Wales' terrace, Kensington. He *d.* there s.p. 11 Feb. 1876, aged 65.

IV. 1876. 4. EDWARD FLEETWOOD JOHN (PELLEW), VISCOUNT EXMOUTH [1816] and BARON EXMOUTH OF CANONTEIGN [1814] and a Baronet [1796], nephew and h. male, being s. and h. of the Hon. Fleetwood-John Pellew, by Emily Sarah, da. of Thomas FERGUSON, of Greenville, co. Down, which Fleetwood John was 4th s. of the 2d Viscount (his 2d son by the 2d wife) and *d.* 2 Aug. 1866, aged 35. He was b. 24 June 1861. He *m.* 3 June 1884, at Arborfield Berks, Edith, 3d da. of Thomas HARGREAVES, of Arborfield Hall, by Sarah, da. of Washington JACKSON, of Belgrave sq., Midx.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 2,864 acres in Devon worth £2,755 a year. *Principal Residence.* Canonteign (in Christow parish) near Chudleigh, Devon.

EXTON.

See "HARINGTON OF EXTON, co. Rutland," Barony (*Harington*), *cr.* 1603; *cr.* 1614.

^(a) The 3d s. was Admiral Sir Israel Pellew. **K.C.B.**, who was in command at the battle of Trafalgar and who *d.* 1832.

^(b) The 2d s. was Admiral the Hon. Sir Fleetwood-Broughton-Reynolds Pellew **C.B.**, **K.C.B.**, who *d.* 28 July 1861, aged 71.

EYE.

See "CORNWALLIS OF EYE, co. Suffolk," Barony (*Cornwallis*), *cr.* 1661; *ex.* 1852.

EYEMOUTH.

See "CHURCHILL OF EYEMOUTH, co. Berwick," Barony [*S.*] (*Churchill*); *cr.* 1682; *ex.* (on the death of the grantee, the famous Duke of Marlborough) 1722.

EYRE OF EYRECOURT.

Barony [*L.*] JOHN EYRE, of Eyrecourt Castle, co. Galway, s. and h. of the Very Rev. Giles Eyre, Dean of Killaloe, by Mary, da. of Richard Cox, 1st s. of Richard Cox, Lord Chancellor [*L.*], *b.* about 1725; *suc.* his father 1747 and was, 16 July 1768, *cr.* BARON EYRE OF EYRECOURT, co. Galway [*L.*] He *m.* in 1746, Eleanor, da. of James STAUNTON, of co. Galway. He *d.* s.p.m.^(a) 20 Sep. 1781, when *the* Barony became *extinct*.

EYRECOURT.

See "EYRE OF EYRECOURT, co. Galway," Barony [*L.*] (*Eyre*) *cr.* 1768; *ex.* 1781.

EYTHIN.

Barony [*S.*] "Lieut.-General SIR JAMES KING, of Barracht" was by *I.* 1642 patent dat. at York, 28 March 1642, *cr.* LORD EYTHIN^(b) [*S.*] to him and the heirs male of his body.^(c) He was s. and h. of James King, of Barracht afsd. 1584-87; served under Gustavus Adolphus, King of Sweden, in whose army he was Lieut.-General, which rank was allowed him by King Charles I, on the breaking out of the civil war. He was of great service to that King, having the chief direction of the forces of the Earl of Newcastle. A "decreet of forfait" was passed 25 July 1644, by the Parl. [*S.*], against "*Lord Ythan*";^(b) but was rescinded 14 Jan. 1647, and on 19 Feb. following an act was passed in favour of Lieut.-Gen. King, "*Lord Ythan*."^(b) He is said to have been created a Swedish Baron. He *m.* twice but *d.* s.p. at Stockholm in Sweden in, or shortly before, 1652, when the Barony became *extinct*. His admon. as 'Rt. Hon. Edward King, Lord of Eythen and Kerrey in the nation of Scotland' was granted, 28 Oct. 1652, to the principal creditor.

(^a) His only da. and h., Mary, *m.* Hon. Francis Caulfeild and had issue, but the Eyrecourt estate descended to his nephew and h. *male*, Giles Eyre, who *d.* 1829, leaving issue.

(^b) The title probably was assumed from the river *Ythan*, co. Aberdeen.

(^c) "*Mag. Sig. L. lvii, No. 94*," as quoted in Wood's "*Douglas*" (vol. ii, p. 534), where (vol. i, p. 558) the recital to the patent is quoted.

F.

FAIRFAX OF CAMERON.

Barony [S.] 1. SIR THOMAS FAIRFAX, of Denton and Nun Appleton,
I. 1627. co. York, s. and h. of Sir Thomas F.^(a) of the same, by Dorothy, da.
of George GALE, Lord Mayor of York (1534 and 1549), was *b.* 1560
at Bilbrough, co. York; was in command of a Reg. of Foot in the

Low Countries; knighted by the Earl of Essex before Rouen; was employed in frequent missions to King James VI. [S.] to whom, on his accession as James I. [E.] he was one of the first Englishman to swear fealty; was a member of the Council of the north, and was by pat., dat. at Whitehall, 18 Oct. 1627, *cr.* LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.]^(b) He *m.*, in 1582, Ellen, da. of Robert ASKE, of Aughton, co. York, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir John DAWNEY. She *d.* 28 Aug. 1620, and was *bur.* in Otley church, co. York. He *d.* 2 May 1640, in his 80th year and was also *bur.* there. M.I. Will dat. 25 May 1635 to 12 Apr. 1640, pr. 1640.

II. 1640. 2. FERDINANDO (FAIRFAX), LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.], 1st s. and h., *b.* 29 March 1584, at Denton afsd. and *bur.* there; appears to have been knighted about 1607; M.P. for Boroughbridge, 1640; for Yorkshire, 1641-48; Gen. of the northern forces for the Parl., 1642-45,^(c) and, as such, being in high command obtained several times a success over the Royalist party;^(d) Gov. of York, 1644-48. He *m.* firstly, in 1607, Mary, da. of Edmund (SHEFFIELD), 1st EARL OF MULGRAVE, by his first wife, Ursula, da. of Sir Robert TIRWHT. She *d.* in childbed at Steeton and was *bur.* 4 June 1619, at Bolton Percy, co. York. He *m.* secondly, 16 Oct. 1646, at St. Giles in the fields, Midx., Rhoda, widow of Thomas HUSSEY, da. and h. of Thomas CHAPMAN, of London. He *d.* (from an accident) 14 March 1647/8, at Denton, and was *bur.* at Bolton Percy. M.I. Will dat. 12 March 1647/8, pr. 11 Oct. 1649. His widow was *bur.* 11 Oct. 1686, at Aynhoe, co. Northampton, in her 70th year.

III. 1648. 3. THOMAS (FAIRFAX), LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.], s. and h. by 1st wife, *b.* 17 Jan. 1612, at Denton afsd.; matric. at Cambridge (St. John's Coll.) 1626, was knighted at York, 28 Jan. 1640/1, by the King, against whom, however, he took an active part. He with his father, shared the Parl. victory at Selby, 10 April 1644 and afterwards at Marston moor. He was, 21 Jan. 1644/5, appointed *Commander in Chief* of the army of the Parl., defeating the King, 14 June 1645 (at Naseby), and Lord Goring (at Langport), 10 July following, taking Bridgwater, Bristol, Dartmouth, Exeter, Oxford, &c.; Constable of the Tower of London, 1646; besieged and reduced Colchester, June to Aug. 1648, but took no

(a) This Thomas was 1st surv. s. and h. of Sir William Fairfax, of Steeton, co. York, by Isabella, da. of John Thwaites, of Denton afsd., which last estate he inherited, while the *paternal* property of Steeton devolved (after the death of his said father 31 Oct. 1557), on his yr. br. Gabriel Fairfax. See a good account of this branch of the Fairfax family in the "Her. and Gen.," vol. vi, pp. 395-407. The birth and other particulars of the children of the first Lord with other interesting matters are given in "N. and Q.," 7th s., ix, 321.

(b) It is so given in the *appendix* to Wood's "Douglas," tho' in the body of the work it is given as "*Baron* Fairfax of Cameron," possibly the correct form is "*Lord* Fairfax, *Baron* of Cameron." See vol. i, p. 168, note "c," *sub* "Aston" Barony [S.]

(c) See vol. i, p. 299, note "d," *sub* "Bedford," for a list of such Peers as were commanders in the army of the Commonwealth.

(d) His own father is, however, reported to have said of him that tho' he "sent him into the Netherlands to train him up a soldier, he makes a tolerable country justice but is a mere *coward* at fighting."

further part with the "Independents"^(a) against the King and resigned his command, 25 June 1650. He was, M.P. for Cirencester, 1649 and was in the Council of State,^(b) was made D.C.L., of Cambridge, 1647, and of Oxford, 19 May 1649.^(c) Lord of the isle of Man, 1650. In Richard Cromwell's Parl., 1660 (as also subsequently), he was M.P. for Yorkshire, and sat in the *interim* Council of State, 3 March 1660, favouring the Restoration. He *m.* 20 June 1637, Anne, 4th da. and coheir of Horatio (VERE), BARON VERE OF TILBURY, by Mary, da. of Sir William TRACY. She *d.* 16 Oct. 1665 and was *bur.* in Bilbrough church, co. York. He *d.* s.p.m.,^(d) 12 Nov. 1671, in his 60th year, at Nun Appleton and was *bur.* at Bilbrough afsd. M.I.

IV. 1671. 4. HENRY (FAIRFAX), LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.],
nephew and h. male, being 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. of Hon. the Rev. Henry Fairfax, Rector of Bolton Percy, co. York (1646-60), by Mary, da. of Sir Henry CHOLMLEY, of Whitby, co. York, which Henry was 2d s. of the first Lord and *d.* 6 April 1665, aged 77. He was *b.* 20 Dec. 1631, at Ashton under Line, was M.P. for co. York, 1678-88. He *m.* Frances, da. of Sir Robert TOLSTON, of Barwick, co. York, Recorder of York, by Ursula, da. of Walter STRICKLAND. She *d.* 14 and was *bur.* 18 Feb. 1684, at Denton. He was *bur.* 16 April 1688, at Denton afsd. Admon. 28 April 1688, at York.

V. 1688. 5. THOMAS (FAIRFAX), LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.],
s. and h., *b.* 16 Feb. 1657, at Bolton Percy; matric. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.), 10 Nov. 1675, aged 18; M.P. for co. York, 1688 till 1707, when, under the act of Union, he was ineligible; was one of nobility in arms for the Prince of Orange in 1688^(e) in support of the revolution; Lieut.-Col. of the 3d Horse Guards, Dec. 1689; of the 3d Dragoons, 1694 becoming, in 1701, Brig. Gen. in the army. He *m.* about 1685, Catharine, only da. and h. of Thomas (COLEPEPER), 2d BARON COLEPEPER OF THORSEWAY, Gov. of Virginia (1675-82), by Margaret, da. and coheir of Jean VAN HESSE, Seigneur de Perschill and Wena, in Holland. He *d.* 6 Jan. 1709/10, and was *bur.* the 10th at St. Martins in the fields, Midx. His will pr. June 1711. His widow, who inherited Leeds Castle, &c., co. Kent, besides 300,000 acres in the Shenandoah valley, in Virginia, *d.* 1719, and was *bur.* (with her parents) at Broomfield, Kent. Will dat. 21 April and pr. 23 June 1719.

VI. 1710. 6. THOMAS (FAIRFAX), LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.], s. and h., *b.* 1692 at Denton afsd.; matric. at Oxford (Oriell), 24 Jany. 1709/10; was sometime an officer in the Horse Guards. He sold, shortly after coming of age, Denton Hall and all the Yorkshire estates, the last sale being made in 1716. About 1739 he visited his American estates, where, in 1747, he finally settled, being Lieut. of Frederick-county. He built a magnificent house called Greenway Court, near Winchester, in Virginia, where he *d.* unm. 12 March 1782, aged 90, being *bur.* at Winchester afsd.

(a) It is to be observed that "if any man deserved to be excepted [from pardon as a traitor] no man deserved it more than himself, who being General of the army [at the time of Charles the first's trial and execution] and having power sufficient to prevent the proceedings against the King had not thought fit to make use of it to that end." These words he is represented as saying openly as to himself. See Stephen's "Nat. Biogr."

(b) The Council of State of 1649, was 38 in number. They were to give all military and naval orders; to digest all business before it was introduced to Parl., &c. Six Peers were included therein, *viz.*, the Earls of Denbigh, Mulgrave, Pembroke and Salisbury, the Lord Grey and Lord Fairfax [S].

(c) So many of Fairfax's officers received Honorary degrees on this occasion that this was termed the *Fairfaxian creation*. See Stephen's "Nat. Biogr."

(d) Mary, his only surv. da. and h., *b.* 30 July 1638, *m.* 15 Sep. 1657, George (Villiers) the well-known Duke of Buckingham and *d.* his widow, and s.p., 20 Oct. 1704.

(e) See a list of these, vol. i, p. 29, note "b," *sub* "Abingdon."

VII. 1782. 7. ROBERT (FAIRFAX), LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.], only surv. br. and h., *b.* 1707, was sometime an officer in the Horse Guards, and finally Major of the 1st troop of Life Guards, resigning in 1746; was M.P. for Maidstone, 1740-54, and for Kent, 1751-61, residing at Leeds Castle, co. Kent (which his brother had given up to him), where he entertained the King and Queen, 3 to 5 Nov. 1779. He was Lieut. Col. of the West Kent Militia when it was first embodied in 1759. He *m.* firstly, 25 April 1741, Martha, da. and coheir of Anthony COLLINS, of Badow, Essex, niece of Sir Thomas CHILD. She was *bur.* 17 Sep. 1743, at Broomfield, co. Kent. He *m.* secondly, July 1744, Dorothy, da. of Mawditsly BEST, of Boxley, co. Kent, by Elizabeth, da. of (—) FEARNE. She *d.* 21 and was *bur.* 23 May 1750, at Broomfield afsd. He *d.* at Leeds Castle^(a) afsd., s.p.s., 15 July 1793, in his 87th year and was *bur.* at Broomfield. Will pr. Aug. 1793.

VIII. 1793. 8. BRYAN (FAIRFAX), LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.], cousin and h. male, being yst. but only surv. s. and h. of William Fairfax, of Belvoir, in Virginia, by his 2d wife Deborah CLARKE, of Salem, Massachusetts, which William (who *d.* 3 Sep. 1757, aged 65), was 3d s. of the Hon. Henry Fairfax, of Toulston, co. York (who *d.* 1708, aged 49), next br. to the 5th and son of the 4th Lord. He was *b.* 1737; was sometime an officer in the army, but took holy orders in 1789, residing at Mount Eagle in Virginia. He was chief mourner at the funeral of his well known relative, Gen. George Washington. His claim to the Peerage was established in the House of Lords 6 May 1800. He *m.* firstly, 1757, Elizabeth, da. of Col. Jefferson CARY, of Hampton, Virginia. She *d.* about 1788. He *m.* secondly Jenny DENNISON. He *d.* Aug. 1802, at Mount Eagle in Virginia.

IX. 1802. 9. THOMAS (FAIRFAX), LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., by first wife, *b.* 1762. He *m.* firstly, Mary, da. of (—) AYLETT. She *d.* s.p. He *m.* secondly, Louisa, da. of Warner WASHINGTON. She *d.* s.p. He *m.* thirdly, about 1800, Margaret, da. of William HERBERT, by Sarah Carlyle, his wife. He *d.* at Vacluse, in Virginia, 21 April 1846, aged 84. His widow *d.* 1860.

X. 1846. 10. CHARLES SNOWDEN (FAIRFAX), LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. Albert FAIRFAX, of Vacluse afsd., by Caroline Eliza, da. of Richard SNOWDEN, of Oakland, in Prince George's, co. Maryland, U.S.A., which Albert, was 1st s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, by his 3d wife, but *d.* v.p. 9 May 1835, aged 33. He was *b.* 8 March 1829, at Vacluse afsd.; went to California in 1851, where he became, in 1854, Speaker of the House of Delegates, and, 1857-62, Clerk of the Supreme Court. He *m.* 10 Jan. 1855, Ada, 2d da. of Joseph S. BENHAM, of Cincinnati, Ohio, U.S.A., Major in the Army. He *d.* s.p., 5 April 1869, at Baltimore, aged 40. His widow living 1890, at San Marin, California.

XI. 1869. 11. JOHN CONTEE (FAIRFAX), LORD FAIRFAX OF CAMERON [S.], next br. and h., *b.* 13 Sep. 1830, at Vacluse afsd. took degree of M.D., and practised as a Physician at Northampton, Bladensburg, in Maryland. He *m.* 8 Oct. 1857, Mary da. of Col. Edmund KIRBY, U.S.A.

FAIRFAX OF EMLEY.

Viscounty [1]. 1. SIR THOMAS FAIRFAX, of Watton and of Gilling Castle,^(b) co. York, only s. and h. of Sir William F. of the same by his second wife, Jane, da. and h. of Bryan STAPLETON, of Burton Joyce, Notts, was *b.* 1574; High Sheriff of co. York.

^(a) The estate of Leeds Castle devolved at his death on the issue of his sister Frances, by Denny Martin (which Frances *d.* 13 Dec. 1791, aged 88), of whom the Rev. Denny Martin, afterwards Fairfax, D.D., *d.* unm. April 1800 and was *suc.* by his br. Philip Martin who *d.* s.p. Aug. 1821, aged 88, leaving the estate to his paternal relative Fiennes Wykelam. See *ped.* in "Her. and Gen.," vol. vi, p. 407.

^(b) See account of this family in the "Her. and Gen.," vol. vii, pp. 149-156, and vol. viii, pp. 225-240.

1628; and was *cr.* by pat. dat. at Westm. 10 Feb. 1628/9, VISCOUNT FAIRFAX OF EMLEY, co. Tipperary [I.], taking his seat, as such, 4 Nov. 1634. He *m.* firstly Catharine, sister of Henry, 1st VISCOUNT DUNBAR [S.], da. of Sir Henry CONSTABLE, of Burton Constable, co. York, by Margaret, da. of Sir William DORMER. She who was aged 5 in 1584, *d.* in or before 1626. He *m.* secondly, (articles dat. 1 Jan. 1626/7), Mary, widow of Sir William BAMBURGH, Bart., da. of Sir Robert FORD, of Butley, co. Suffolk. He *d.* at Howsham, co. York, 23 Dec. 1636, aged 62 and was *bur.* at Scrayingham. M.I. Will dat. 22 Oct. 1634 to 17 Dec. 1636, pr. at York, 2 Jan 1636/7. His widow *d.* March 1638/9. Her will pr. 22d of that month.

II. 1636. 2. THOMAS (FAIRFAX), VISCOUNT FAIRFAX OF EMLEY [I.], *s.* and *h.* by 1st wife, *b.* about 1604. He *m.* Alathea, da. of Sir Philip HOWARD, of Naworth, by Margaret, da. of Sir John CARYL, which Philip was *s.* of Lord William Howard, 2d surv. *s.* of Thomas, 4th DUKE OF NORFOLK. He *d.* 24 Sep. 1641, and was *bur.* at Walton. His widow *d.* 3 Sep. 1677, and was also *bur.* there.

III. 1641. 3. WILLIAM (FAIRFAX), VISCOUNT FAIRFAX OF EMLEY [I.], *s.* and *h.*, *b.* 6 June 1630, at Naworth Castle. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Alexander SMITH, of Stulton, co. Suffolk. He *d.* 1648. His widow *m.* Sir John GOODRICKE, 1st Bart., who *d.* 1670. Her will, as of Moulsham Hall, in Chelmsford, Essex, dat. 4 June and pr. 15 Sep. 1692, at York.

IV. 1648? 4. THOMAS (FAIRFAX), VISCOUNT FAIRFAX OF EMLEY [I.], 1st and only surv. *s.* and *h.* He *d.* young and unm. Admon. 25 Feb. 1650/1, to his mother.

V. 1651. 5. CHARLES (FAIRFAX), VISCOUNT FAIRFAX OF EMLEY [I.], uncle and *h.* male, being next br. to the 3d Viscount. He is said to have *m.* Abigail, da. of Sir John YATES. He *d.* in Suffolk street, Midx., 6 July 1711.

VI. 1711. 6. CHARLES (FAIRFAX), VISCOUNT FAIRFAX OF EMLEY [I.], great nephew and *h.* male, being *s.* and *h.* of Nicholas FAIRFAX (who *d.* 2 Feb. 1702/3), by Mary da. of William WELD, of Lulworth, Dorset, which Nicholas was 1st *s.* of Nicholas F., yr. br. of the 5th and 3d Viscounts. He *d.* young and unm. Admon. 29 Nov. 1715, to his mother Dame Mary Hungate.

VII. 1715. 7. CHARLES (FAIRFAX), VISCOUNT FAIRFAX OF EMLEY [I.], uncle and *h.* male, being only br. of Nicholas Fairfax, father of the last Viscount. He *d.* unm. 6 Jan. 1719, at Gilling, co. York. Will dat. 13 Nov. 1719.

VIII. 1719. 8. WILLIAM (FAIRFAX), VISCOUNT FAIRFAX OF EMLEY [I.], cousin and *h.* male, being yst. but 1st surv. *s.* and *h.* of the Hon. William Fairfax, of Lythe, co. York, by Mary, da. of Marmaduke CHOLMLEY, of Brandsby, co. York, which William last named was 3d *s.* of the 1st Viscount, by his 1st wife abovenamed. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Capt. (—) GERARD. He *d.* 18 Nov. 1738.

IX. 1738 9. CHARLES GREGORY (FAIRFAX), VISCOUNT FAIRFAX
to OF EMLEY [I.], *s.* and *h.*. He was of Gilling Castle afsd., and was
1772. Lord of the manors of Walton, Gilling, &c. He *m.* firstly, 17 Nov. 1720, Elizabeth, Dow. VISCOUNTESS DUNBAR [S.], 1st da. of Hugh (CLIFFORD), 2d BARON CLIFFORD OF CHUDLEIGH, by Anne, da. and coheir of Sir Thomas PRESTON, Bart. She *d.* *s.p.* (of the small pox), 25 and was *bur.* 27 April 1721, at Bath Abbey. Admon. 15 May 1721. He *m.*

secondly, his cousin, Mary, only sister and h. of Charles, 6th VISCOUNT FAIRFAX [L.], da. of Nicholas FAIRFAX, by Mary, da. of William WELD abovenamed. She (by whom he had 9 children) *d.* 1 July 1741. He *d.* s.p.m.s.^(a) at York, 20 Jan. 1772, when the *Viscounty* became *extinct*. Admon. 6 March 1772 and again Nov. 1795.

FAIRFORD.

i.e., "FAIRFORD, co. Gloucester," *Viscounty (Hill)*, *cr.* 1772, with the Earldom of Hillsborough. See "DOWNSHIRE," Marquessate [L.], *cr.* 1789.

FALCONER OF HALKERTOUN.

Barony [S.]
I. 1647. 1. SIR ALEXANDER FALCONER, of Halkertoun, s. and h. of Sir Alexander F., of the same, by Agnes, sister of David, 1st EARL OF SOUTHEK [S.], da. of Sir David CARNEGIE, was *b.* about 1595; made one of the Lords of Session [S.], 9 July 1639, M.P. for co. Kincardine, 1643-47; Commissioner of the Treasury [S.], 1645, and was *cr.* 20 Dec. 1647, LORD FALCONER OF HALKERTOUN [S.], with rem. to heirs male whatsoever.^(b) He was superseded as a Lord of Session, in 1649 for "malignancy," but restored in 1660. He *m.* Anne, only da. and h. of John (LINDSAY), 8th LORD LINDSAY OF THE BYRES [S.], by Anne, da. of Lawrence OLIPHANT, MASTER OF OLIPHANT. She, being then of legit. age, was served heir to her father, 17 April 1610. He *d.* 1 Oct. 1671.

II. 1671. 2. ALEXANDER (FALCONER), LORD FALCONER OF HALKERTOUN [S.], only s. and h. He *m.* Margaret, 2d da. of James (OGILVY), 2d EARL OF AIRLIE [S.], by his first wife, Helen, da. of George (OGILVY), 1st LORD BANFF [S.]. He *d.* 4 March 1684.

III. 1684. 3. DAVID (FALCONER), LORD FALCONER OF HALKERTOUN [S.], s. and h. He was found of unsound mind 24 March 1710, and that he had been so for twenty years previously. He *d.* unm. Feb. 1724.

IV. 1724. 4. ALEXANDER (FALCONER), LORD FALCONER OF HALKERTOUN [S.], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Sir Alexander Falconer, Bart. [S.], of Glenfarquhar, who was s. and h. of Sir David F. of the same, which last named David was next br. to the first Lord. He *suc.* his father in the Baronetcy [*cr.* 20 March 1670/1], many years before he *suc.* his cousin in the Peerage. He *d.* s.p. 17 March 1727, when the *Baronetcy* [S.] became *extinct*.

V. 1727. 5. DAVID (FALCONER), LORD FALCONER OF HALKERTOUN [S.], cousin and h. male, being 1st surv. s. and h. of Sir David Falconer, of Newton, a Lord of Session [S.] under the style of "Lord Newton" by his second wife, Mary, da. of George NORVELL, of Boghall, co. Linlithgow, which Sir David was 2d s. of Sir David F., of Glenfarquhar, abovementioned, the next br. to the first Lord. He was *b.* 1681 and was "a man of great honour, probity, and integrity."^(c) He *m.* (contract 27 Nov. 1703, the lady being 13½ years old) at Keith Hall, Catharine Margaret, 1st da. of William (KEITH), 2d EARL OF KINTORE [S.], by Catharine, da. of David (MURRAY), 4th VISCOUNT STORMONT [S.]. He *d.* 24 Sep. 1751, in his 71st year at Inglismaldie. His widow, who was *hap.* at Keith Hall, 29 June 1690, *d.* at Edinburgh, 1 March 1762, in her 72d year.

(a) Anne Fairfax, his only surv. child inherited his estates; she *d.* unm. 8 May 1793, when they passed to her cousin, Charles Gregory Pigott, afterwards Fairfax, s. and h. of Nathaniel Pigott, the s. and h. of Ralph Pigott, by Alethea, only sister of the 9th and last Viscount.

(b) "The patent in the register is so much defaced, it can hardly be read, according to Hardie's MS., Advocates library." "There is a charter, to Alexander, Lord Falconer of Halkertoun, of the lands of Diracroft, co. Kincardine, dat. 24 June 1646, which would indicate that his creation took place at an earlier period" [than 20 Dec. 1647]. See Wood's "Douglas," vol. ii, p. 686 and vol. i, p. 56.

(c) Wood's "Douglas."

VI. 1751. 6. ALEXANDER (FALCONER), LORD FALCONER OF HALKERTOUN [S.], s. and h., *b.* about 1707; served in the wars under his relative, the celebrated Field Marshal Keith, not returning to Scotland till 1751. He *m.* 25 June 1757, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Frances, da. of Herbert MACKWORTH, of the Gnoll, co. Glamorgan, by Jane, da. of Edward (NOEL), EARL OF GAINSBOROUGH. He *d.* s.p. at Edinburgh, 5 Nov. 1762, aged 55. His widow *m.* 22 July 1765, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Anthony Joseph (BROWNE), 7th VISCOUNT MONTAGU, who *d.* 9 April 1787. She *m.* 21 May 1800, at St. Geo. Han. sq. (the *third* time she had been married at that church) Henry SLAUGHTER, M.D., and *d.* 7 Jan. 1823, at Kensington, Midx.

VII. 1762. 7. WILLIAM (FALCONER), LORD FALCONER OF HALKERTOUN [S.], br. and h. He was settled at Groningen in Holland and *m.* a lady of that nation. He *d.* there 12 Dec. 1776. His widow *d.* there also 22 Oct. 1779.

VIII. 1776. 8. ANTHONY ADRIAN (FALCONER), LORD FALCONER OF HALKERTOUN [S.], s. and h. He became EARL OF KINTORE and LORD KEITH OF INVERURIE AND KEITH HALL [S.] on the death, 23 May 1778, of his cousin George KEITH, sometime (1712-15) EARL MARISCHAL [S.] and *de jure*, had it not been for his attainder, *Earl of Kintore*, &c. [S.] See "KINTORE" Earldom [S.], *cr.* 1677.

FALKLAND.

Viscounty [S.] 1. SIR HENRY CARYE,^(a) of Aldenham and Berk-

I. 1620. hampstead, Herts, s. and h. of Sir Edward C. of the same (Master of the Jewel House), by Catharine, Dow. BARONESS PAGET, da. of Sir Henry KNYVETT, of Buckenham, co. Norfolk, is said to have been *b.* at Aldenham about 1575; was admitted to Gray's Inn, London, 2 Aug. 1590; **K.B.** at the creation of the Prince of Wales, 3 Nov. 1616; Comptroller of the Household, 1617; *suc.* his father, 18 July 1618; M.P. for Herts, 1614-22, and was, by pat. dat. at Newmarket 14 Nov. 1620. *cr.* VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND and LORD CARYE [S.] to him and his heirs male being the name of Carye, which was confirmed by a pat. of naturalization, 18 Sep. 1627, as if he and they had been natives of Scotland. He was LORD DEPUTY OF IRELAND, 1622-29. He *m.* in 1600, at her age of 15, Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir LAURENCE TANFIELD, Lord Ch. Baron of the Exchequer [1607-25] by Elizabeth, da. of Giles SYMONDES, of Clay, co. Norfolk. He *d.* from breaking his leg at Theobalds Park and was *bur.* 25 Sep. 1633, at Aldenham.^(b) Admon. 4 Nov. 1633. His widow, who was *b.* at Burford Priory, Oxon, in 1585, became a Roman Catholic at her age of 19, but did not openly profess her conversion till twenty years later at Dublin, when in 1625 she separated from her husband. She *d.* Oct. 1639 aged 54.^(c)

II. 1633. 2. LUCIUS (CARYE), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND, &c. [S.], s. and h., *b.* at Burford Priory *afsd.* 1610, being aged 12 in 1622; ed. at Trin. Coll., Dublin, and subsequently at St. John's, Cambridge. At the age of 19 he in 1629 inherited the estates of Great Tew and Burford, Oxon, and the fortune of his maternal grandfather but soon afterwards greatly displeased his father by his marriage. M.P. for Newport in the Isle of Wight, 1640, and tho' at first a supporter of the Parliamentary party became afterwards P.C. and Secretary of State to the King in 1642. His virtuous and intrepid character is well known in the history of the times. He was with the King at Edgehill and at the siege of

^(a) Several articles on the family of Cary or Carey are in the "Her. and Genealogist," vols. ii, iii, iv, vi, vii, and viii. Those on the Viscounts Falkland (in vol. iii) and the Barons Hunsdon, Earls of Dover, and Earls of Monmouth (in vol. iv), are compiled (as, indeed, are most of the others) by the Rev. C. J. Robinson, M.A.

^(b) He is one of Walpole's "*Noble Authors*," having written "The history of Edward II.," &c.

^(c) She was a great Linguist and wrote in verse the lives of several Saints, besides writing numerous hymns.

Gloucester and fell "by a death which is scarcely distinguishable from suicide"^(a) in the first battle of Newbury, 20 Sep. 1643, aged 33,^(b) being *bur.* the 23d at Great Tew, Oxon. Will dat. 12 June 1642, pr. 20 Oct. 1643. He had *m.* (v.p.) about 1630, Lettice, da. of Sir Richard MORISON, of Tooley Park, co. Leic., by Mary, da. of Sir Henry HARINGTON. She who was known for her good work^(c) was *bur.* 27 Feb. 1646/7, at Great Tew afsd. in her 35th year. Will dat. 25 May 1646, pr. 8 May 1647.

III. 1643. 3. LUCIUS (CARYE), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND, &c. [S.],
s. and h. *hap.* 5 July 1632, at Great Tew, died unm. at Montpelier, in France, 17 (27) Sep. 1649; *bur.* at Great Tew, 7 Nov. following. Admon. 19 Nov. 1664, on behalf of his nephew Anthony, Viscount F., then a minor.

IV. 1649. 4. HENRY (CARYE), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND, &c. [S.],
br. and h., M.P. for Newton, Hants, 1645; for Arundel, in the conv. Parl. 1660 and for Oxon, 1661. On 13 Aug. 1659, he was imprisoned in the Tower on suspicion of being concerned in a plot to restore the King. Lord Lieut. of Oxon. He *m.* before 1656, Rachael, da. of Anthony HUNGERFORD, of Blackbourton, Oxon, and of Farley Castle, Somerset, by Rachael, da. of Rice JONES, of Esthall, Oxon. He *d.* in London, 2 April 1663 and was *bur.* the 9th, at Great Tew. Admon. 1 July 1663.^(d) His widow *m.* Sir James HAYES, of Bedgebury Park, in Goudhurst, Kent, P.C., who *d.* in June 1694. She *d.* 24 Feb. 1717/8, at Bedgebury and was *bur.* 3 March with her last husband, at Goudhurst afsd. Will dat. 19 Feb. 1717, pr. 12 Nov. 1719.

V. 1663. 5. ANTHONY (CARYE), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND, &c.
[S.], only s. and h., b. 15 Feb. 1656, at Farley Castle, Somerset; M.P. for Oxon, 1658-59; for Fore, in Ireland, 1662; &c., Paymaster in the Navy to Charles II and James II, and, concurring with the revolution, was P.C. and a Commissioner of the Admiralty to the new Sovereigns, 23 Jan. 1690/1. He was however, by vote of his house of Commons, of which he was a member committed to the Tower, 17 Jan. 1693/4, for peculation. He *m.* Rebecca, da. of Sir Rowland LYTON, of Knebworth, Herts, heiress of her mother, his 2d wife, Rebecca, da. and coheir of Thomas CHAPMAN, of Wormeley in that county. He *d.* s.p.s. of the small pox, 24 and was *bur.* 28 May, 1694, in Westm. Abbey.^(e) Will dat. 30 Oct. 1691, pr. 26 July 1694. His widow who was *hap.* 3 July 1662, at Knebworth, *d.* 1709, and was *bur.* in St. Paul's Cathedral, London.^(f) Will dat. 5 Aug. 1709; pr. 7 Nov. following.

VI. 1694. 6. LUCIUS HENRY (CARY), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND,
&c. [S.], cousin and h. male, being only s. and h. of Edward CARY, of Caldicote, co. Monmouth, High Bailiff of Westm., by Anne, da. and coheir of Charles LUCAS, LORD LUCAS OF SHENFIELD, which Edward was s. of the Hon. Patrick Cary (sometime a monk at Douay) who was yst. s. of Henry, the 1st Viscount Falkland. He was b. 27 Aug. and *hap.* 7 Sep. 1687, at St. James Westm., and *suc.* his father in 1692. He served in Spain under Gen. Stanhope, at Almenara. In 1715, he *suc.* to the estate of the Cary family, at Stanwell, Midx., which he soon afterwards sold. He was *cr. an Earl* [EARL OF FALKLAND ?] in 1722, by the titular King James

(a) See Stephen's "Nat. Biogr.," where there is an able account of him by Dr. S. R. Gardiner.

(b) See vol. i, p. 194, note "c." in "The Loyalists' Bloody Roll."

(c) See "the virtuous, holy, christian life and death of the late Lady Lettice, Viscountess Falkland," London, 1653.

(d) He was author of "The Marriage Night"—a comedy.

(e) He was somewhat of an author. His prologue intended for "the Old Bachelor," a play by Congreve is, however, deficient even in the small amount of delicacy, then required.

(f) See will of Francis Raynsford, dat. 22 April 1712, "to be *bur.* in St. Paul's Cathedral, near my very good friend Rebecca, Lady Viscountess Falkland, to whom my wife was executrix."

III, having been a faithful adherent to the exiled race of Stuart.^(a) He *m.* firstly 5 Oct. 1704, at Chiswick, Midx., Dorothy, 1st da. of Francis MOLYNEUX, of St. Gregory's London, Woollen Draper, by Mary, da. of Charles TANCRED, of Whitley, co. York. She *d.* 26 June 1722, and was *bur.* 2 July, at Stanwell. He *m.* secondly, Laura, sister of Charles and Henry, respectively VISCOUNTS DILLON [L.], da. of Arthur DILLON, Marshal de Camp in France, by Catharine, da. of Ralph SHELTON. He *d.* at Paris, 31 Dec. 1730 and was *bur.* in the Chapel of St. Sulpice there. Will dat. in Paris 27 Nov. 1730, pr. 3 Feb. 1730/l. His widow *d.* s.p.m., at St. Germain-en-laye, 12 July 1741.

VII. 1730. 7. LUCIUS CHARLES (CARY), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND &c. [S.], s. and h., by 1st wife, *b.* about 1707, being "about 27" and a Bachelor, when he *m.* firstly, 16 April 1734, at St. Geo. Han. Sq. (mar. lic. from the Vic. Gen.), Jane, widow of James VILLIERS, *alias* FITZGERALD, *styled* LORD VILLIERS, da. and h. of Richard BUTLER, of London, Conveyancer. She *d.* in France, Dec. 1751. He *m.* secondly, at Morden College, Blackheath, 10 Oct. 1752 (mar. regd. at Charlton, Kent), Sarah, Dow. COUNTESS OF SUFFOLK, only da. and h. of Thomas INWEN, of St. Saviour's, Southwark (sometime M.P. for Southwark), by Sarah, da. of William HUCKS, of St. Giles in the fields, Brewer. She, who was *b.* 1714, *d.* s.p. at Billingham manor, Southend, in Blackheath afsd., 27 May 1776, aged 62 and was *bur.* at Widford, Essex. M.I. Will dat. 25 May 1776; pr. 22 June following. He *d.* 27 Feb. 1785. Will (in which he desires to be *bur.* in Audley Chapel, St. Geo. Han. Sq., should he die in or near London) dat. 26 Nov. 1784, pr. 5 March 1785.

VIII. 1785. 8. HENRY THOMAS (CARY), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND &c. [S.], grandson and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. LUCIUS FERDINAND CARY, MASTER OF FALKLAND (Commander of the British forces in Tobago), by Anne, da. of Charles LEITH, Col. in the Army, which Lucius Ferdinand who was only s. and h. ap. of the last Viscount, by his first wife, *d.*, v.p., 20 Aug. 1780, at Tobago. He was *b.* 27 Feb. 1766. Cornet 10th Reg. of Dragoons, and subsequently Lieut. 43d Foot. He *d.* unm. at the White Lion Inn, Bath, and was *bur.* 28 May, 1796, at Bath Abbey, in his 31st year.

IX. 1796. 9. CHARLES JOHN (CARY), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND, &c. [S.], br. and h., *b.* Nov. 1768; Capt. R.N., 1803. He *m.* 25 Aug. 1802, at St. Clement Danes, Midx., Christiana, da. of (—) ANTON. He *d.* 2 March 1809, aged 40, having been mortally wounded in a duel two days previously. Admon. April 1809. His widow *d.* 25 July 1822, at Vauxhall. Her admon. Aug. 1823.

X. 1809. 10. LUCIUS BENTINCK (CARY), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND, &c. [S.], s. and h., *b.* 5 Nov. 1803, sometime Capt. 7th Foot; Lord of the Bedchamber to William IV., 1830; G.C.H., 1831. REP. PEER [S.], 1831-32; was on 15 May 1832, advanced to the Peerage [U.K.], being cr. (by his Royal father-in-law) BARON HUNSDON OF SCUTTERSKEFFE, co. York; P.C., 1837; Gov. of Nova Scotia, 1840-46; Capt. of the Yeomen of the Guard, 1846-48; Governor of Bombay, 1848-53. He *m.* firstly, 27 Dec. 1830, Miss Amelia FITZ-CLARENCE, illegit. da. of King WILLIAM IV. (formerly DUKE OF CLARENCE), by "Mrs. JORDAN," *i.e.*, Dora, da. of Francis BLAND, of co. Kerry. She, who was *b.* in 1803, *d.* 2 July 1858, in London. He *m.* secondly, 10 Nov. 1859, at All Saints, Knightsbridge, Midx., Elizabeth Catherine, Dow. DUCHESS OF ST. ALBANS, yst. da. of Joseph GUEBBINS, of Kilfrush, co. Limerick, and of Stoneham, Hants, Gen. in the army, by his 1st wife, Charlotte, da. of James BATHOE, of Bath. He *d.* s.p.s.^(b) 12 March 1884, in his 81st year, at Montpelier, in France, when the *Barony of Hunsdon of Scutterskeffe* became *extinct*. His widow living (under the style of the Dow. Duchess of St. Albans) in 1890.

^(a) See for list of "Jacobite creations," vol. i, p. 59, note "b," sub "Albemarle."

^(b) His only s. and h. ap. (by first wife) the Hon. Lucius William Charles Augustus Frederick Cary, Master of Falkland, *b.* 24 Nov. 1831, *d.* s.p. and v.p. 6 Aug. 1871, at Calverley Park, Tunbridge Wells.

XI. 1884. 11. PLANTAGENET PIERREPONT (CARY), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND, &c. [S.], br. and h., b. 8 Sep. 1806; entered the Royal Navy, 1820; served in the Burmese war; Admiral on the reserved list, 1876. He m. 27 May 1843, at St. Geo. Han. Sq., Mary Anne, only child of John Francis MAUBERT, of Norwood, Surrey. She d. 2 Jan. 1863. He d. s.p., at South Norwood Hill, 1 Feb. 1886, and was *bur.* at All Saints, Lower Norwood, Surrey. Will pr. 29 March following above £104,000.

XII. 1886. 12. BYRON PLANTAGENET (CARY), VISCOUNT OF FALKLAND and LORD CARYE [S.], nephew and h. being s. and h. of Capt. the Hon. Byron Charles Ferdinand Plantagenet CARY, by Selina Mary, da. of the Rev. Francis FOX, of Fox Hall, co. Longford, which Byron, last named, was yr. br. of the 10th and 11th Viscounts, being 3d and yst. s. of the 9th Viscount. He was b. 3 April 1845; ed. at Cheltenham Coll., and at Sandhurst; Ensign 49th Foot, 1863, exchanging to the 35th, in 1868, and retiring, 1883, with the rank of Lieut. Col. He m. 26 Sep. 1879, Mary, da. of Robert READE, of New York, U.S.A.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 3,011 acres, co. York, worth £4,464 a year. *Principal Residence.* Scutterskelfe, near Yarm, co. York.

FALMOUTH.

Earldom. GEORGE (BERKELEY), VISCOUNT FITZ HARDINGE, &c. [I.], was, on 17 March 1664, *cr.* BARON BOTETOURT OF LANGPORT co. Somerset and EARL OF FALMOUTH. He d. s.p.m., 3 June 1665, when *these* (last named) *honours* became *extinct*. See fuller account under "FITZ HARDINGE," Viscounty [I.], *cr.* 1663, *ex.* 1712.

Viscounty. GEORGE FITZROY, was, on 1 Oct. 1674, *cr.* BARON OF PONTEFRAC, VISCOUNT FALMOUTH and EARL OF NORTHUMBERLAND. See the latter title. *All his honours* became *extinct* at his death, 28 June 1716.

II. 1720. 1. HUGH BOSCAWEN, of Tregothnan, co. Cornwall, 1st and only surv. s. of Edward B., by Jael, sister of Sidney, EARL OF GODOLPHIN, da. of Sir Francis Godolphin, **K.B.**, was b. about 1680; Groom of the Bedchamber to the young Duke of Gloucester, 1698; was M.P. for Tregony, 1702-05; for Cornwall, 1705-10; for Truro, 1710-13, and for Penryn, 1713-20; Groom of the Bedchamber to Prince George of Denmark, 1702-08; Warden of the Stannaries, 1708-10, and again in 1734, Comptroller of the Household, 1714-20, and P.C. 1714. Being zealously attached to the House of Hanover, it was chiefly by his exertions that Cornwall (where "James III" had been proclaimed "King" in 1715) was kept quiet. He was joint Vice Treasurer of Ireland, 1717-34; P.C. [I.], &c. He was on 9 June 1720, *cr.* BARON OF BOSCAWEN ROSE and VISCOUNT FALMOUTH, both co. Cornwall^(a) He m. 23 April 1700, in Westm. Abbey, Charlotte, 1st da. and coheir of Charles GODFREY, Master of the Penzance Jewel office, by Arabella, sister of John (CHURCHILL), 1st DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH. He d. suddenly at Trefusis, 25 Oct. 1734, and was *bur.* 6 Nov. at St. Michael Penkevil, Cornwall. Will dat. 3 Apr. 1734, pr. 21 Jan. 1734/5. His widow, who was Maid of Honour to Queen Anne, d. 22 March 1754, and was *bur.* 2 April at Penkevil afsd.^(b) Her admon. 2 March 1763.

^(a) He is said to have been "for some time discontented at the delay in his advancement to that position." See "Stephen's "Nat. Biogr."

^(b) She tried to bribe Lady Sundon (Thomson's "Life of Lady Sundon," ii, 316-19), to obtain her the place of a Lady of the Bedchamber to Caroline, the Queen Consort. See Stephen's "Nat. Biogr."

III. 1734. 2. HUGH (BOSCAWEN), VISCOUNT FALMOUTH, &c., s. and h., b. 20 March 1706/7; M.P. for Truro 1727-34, Capt. of the Yeomen of the Guard, 1747. At the insurrection of 1745, he commanded a Reg. raised in Cornwall; Major Gen., 1755; Lieut. Gen., 1759; Gen., 1722. P.C., 1756, Vice Admiral of Cornwall, 1761. He m. 6 May 1736, Hannah Catharine Maria, widow of Richard RUSSEL, da. of Thomas SMITH, of Worplesdon, Surrey. He d. s.p. legit., at Bath, 4 Feb. 1782, aged 74 and was buried the 16 at Penkevil. Will pr. Feb. 1782.^(a) His widow d. 23 Nov. 1786. Will pr. Dec. 1786.

IV. 1782. 3. GEORGE EVELYN (BOSCAWEN), VISCOUNT FALMOUTH, &c., nephew and h., being 3d and yst. but only surv. s. of Admiral the Hon. Edward Boscawen (who, for his distinguished services in America had received the thanks of the House of Commons on 6 Dec. 1753), by Frances, da. of William Evelyn GLANVILLE, of St. Clair, co. Kent, which Edward was next br. to the late Viscount and d. 10 Jan. 1761, in his 50th year. He was b. 6 May 1758, at the Admiralty; entered the army, 1774, becoming finally, 1795, Col. during service; Capt. of the Gent. Pensioners, 1790-1804; P.C., 1790. He m. 29 June 1784, at St. Geo. Han. sq. (the lady being then a minor) Elizabeth Anne, da. and h. of John CREWE, of Bolesworth Castle, co. Chester. She who was b. 2 Oct. 1764, d. 10 Aug. 1793, and was bur. at Penkevil. Her will pr. March 1794. He d. 11 Feb. 1808, in his 50th year and was bur. at Penkevil. Will pr. 1808.

V. 1808 4 and 1. EDWARD (BOSCAWEN), VISCOUNT FALMOUTH, &c., s. and h., b. 10 May 1787, and *bap.* at St. James' Westm.; sometime (1805) an officer in the Coldstream Guards; M.P. for Truro, 1807-08. On 14 July 1821, he was *cr.* EARL OF FAL-

II. 1821. MOUTH;^(b) *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 10 June 1834; Recorder of Christchurch, Truro, and Penzance. He m. 27 Aug. 1810, at St. James', Westm., Anne Frances, 1st da. of Henry BANKES, of Kingston House, Dorset, by Frances, da. of William WOODLEY, Governor of the Leeward Islands. He d. 29 Dec. 1841, aged 54, at Tregothnan, and was bur. at Penkevil.^(c) Will pr. April 1842. His widow who was b. 8 July 1789, d. 1 May 1864, at 3 Whitehall Gardens, Midx.

Earldom. }
 III. } 1841. 2 and 5. GEORGE HENRY (BOSCAWEN), EARL
 Viscounty. } OF FALMOUTH, VISCOUNT FALMOUTH, &c., only s. and h.,
 VI. } b. 8 July 1811, at Woolhampton house, near Newbury, Berks and *bap.* at Penkevil; *styled* LORD BOSCAWEN-ROSE, 1821-41; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford; B.A. and first class (*classics*), 1833; M.A., 1835. M.P. for West Cornwall, July to Dec. 1841. High Steward of Wallingford, 1845. He d. unm. at his house 2 St. James sq., Midx., 29 Aug. 1852, aged 41, and was bur. at Penkevil, when the *Earldom of Falmouth* became *extinct*. Will pr. Dec. 1852.

VII. 1852. 6. EVELYN (BOSCAWEN), VISCOUNT FALMOUTH AND BARON OF BOSCAWEN ROSE, cousin and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. John Evelyn BOSCAWEN, Canon of Canterbury and Rector of Wootton, Surrey, by Catherine Elizabeth, sister of Arthur, VISCOUNT VALENTIA [L.], da. of Arthur ANNESLEY, of Bletchington, Oxon, which John Evelyn was next br. to Edward, 4th [Vth] Viscount and 1st Earl of Falmouth. He was b. 18 March 1819, and *bap.* at Wootton afsd.; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch. Oxford. Barrister (middle Temple) 1846. Was well known in the sporting world, "*on the Turf*," 1856-85, his stud (the Mereworth stud) being sold for 75,440 guineas, in July 1885. He m. 29 July 1845, at Mereworth,

(a) There are many references to him in the "Cat. of satirical prints at the Brit. Mus." (iv, 685-6.) See Stephen's "*Nat. Biogr.*"

(b) This was one of the "Coronation" peerages of George IV., of which see a list vol. ii, p. 351, note "d," *sub* "Conyngnam."

(c) He acted as second to Lord Winchelsea in his celebrated duel (March 1829) with the Duke of Wellington.

Kent, Mary Frances Elizabeth, *suo jure* BARONESS LE DESPENCER (see that title) He *d.* 6 Nov. 1889, at Mereworth Castle, aged 70, and was *bur.* at Mereworth afd. Will pr. 27 Jan. 1890, at £137,889 *gross*, but £86,717, *nett*. His widow, who was *b.* 24 March 1822, and *bap.* at Rotherfield Greys, Oxon, was living 1890.

VIII. 1889. 7. EVELYN EDWARD THOMAS (BOSCAWEN), VISCOUNT FALMOUTH and BARON OF BOSCAWEN-ROSE, s. and h., *b.* 24 July 1847. and *bap.* at Mereworth; ed. at Eton; entered the Coldstream Guards, 1870, becoming Lieut. Col. in 1886, having served in Egypt, 1882 (medal and clasp, bronze star and 4th class Osmanich), and in the Nile expedit. 1884; **C.B.**, 1885. He *m.* 19 Oct. 1886, Kathleen, 1st da. of George Sholto Gordon (DOUGLAS-PENNANT), 2d BARON PENRHYN OF LLANDEGAI, by Pamela Blanche, da. of Sir Charles Rushout RUSHOUT, Bart. She was *b.* 2 June 1861.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 25,910 acres in Cornwall, worth £35,953 a year, besides 4,696 in Kent [of which 4,258 belong to the Dowager Viscountess] worth £6,951 a year. Total 30,606 acres, worth £42,904 a year. *Principal Residences.* Mereworth Castle, near Hadlow, Kent, and Tregothnan, near Truro, Cornwall.

FALVESLEY.

Barony by SIR JOHN DE FALVESLEY, of Falvesley [*i.e.*, Fawsley], co. Northampton, s. and h. of Thomas F. of the same, was aged 16 in 1342, and having *m.* in 1383, Elizabeth *de jure, suo jure* BARONESS SAY (see that dignity) and being seized of her estates in Kent, Sussex, and Herts was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FALVESLEY] from 20 Aug. [1383], 7 Ric. II., to 8 Sep. [1392], 16 Ric. II., by writ directed "*Johanni de Falvesley, Ch'r.*" He attended the Duke of Lancaster in the Spanish expedition in 1383 and was in other military services. He *d. s.p.* about 1392 when the Barony, if indeed it is not (tho' never styled "SAYE") to be considered as one *jure uxoris*^(a) became extinct. He was *bur.* in Lewes Priory. His will pr. 1392. His widow *m.* Sir William HERON (who also was sum. to Parl. 1393-1404, *not*, however, as LORD SAY but as LORD HERON) and *d. s.p.* 8 July 1399. See fuller particulars under "Say," Barony of.

(a) "Though never styled Lord Say in any writ of summons to Parl. the late Francis Townsend, Esq., Windsor Herald, says that he had seen a deed beginning thus: 'Sciant,' &c., 'quod ego Joh'es Falwesle, Chivaler et Dominus de Say dedi,' &c. 'Joh'i Waltham Custodi privati sigilli.' 'Dat.: apud London 1^o die Martii, A. R' R' Ricardi secundi post Conq. 10^o.' It is worthy of observation that Sir John Falvesley having married Elizabeth de Say, demanded the lands of her inheritance which were then in the King's hands by reason of the minority of her brother, to whom she succeeded as heir; but he was answered that she having married him without licence of the Crown, the lands were seized by the King until he should make satisfaction. Falvesley persisted in his claim, and the affair was decided by the King and his Council in full Parliament in the sixth year of his reign in his favour, and in the very next year he received his writ of summons to Parl. It equally admits of a doubt whether the writ was issued *ex debito Justitie*, in consequence of his having by that suit established the validity of his marriage with a woman who was a Baroness in her own right by descent, according to existing opinions; or whether the tenure of his wife's lands was then considered to entitle their possessor to sit in Parliament." It is to be noted that the lady's second husband, Lord Heron, whose death did not take place till Oct. 1404 continued to be sum. as a Baron after her decease. "If the writs issued to her first and second husbands were only applicable to the Barony by writ which had descended to her, and in virtue of which they were summoned, the issuing of such writs would, it may be thought, have ceased with her life, as in the case of Ralph de Monthermer, Earl of Gloucester, who ceased to be so summoned as Earl of Gloucester immediately upon the death of his wife; but Sir William Heron, who *after* his wife's death became, under a settlement, tenant for life of the lands of his wife's inheritance, continued to be summoned until 1404. It would seem, therefore, that tenure of his wife's lands entitled Sir William Heron to a dignity which partook of the nature both of the Barony by tenure and the Barony by writ." [Courthope.]

FANE.

Viscountcy [L.] I. CHARLES FANE, of Basilden, Berks, s. and h. of Sir Francis Fane, of the same, **K.B.**, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Thomas SAFCOTT, of Exeter, *suc.* his father in 1706 and was *cr.*, 22 April 1718, **BARON OF LOUGHGUYRE**, co. Limerick, and

VISCOUNT FANE [L.] He *m.* Mary, sister of James, 1st EARL STANHOPE, da. of Alexander STANHOPE, by Catharine, da. of Arnold BURGHILL. He *d.* 4 July 1744. Will *pr.* 1744. His widow, who had been Maid of Honour to Queen Anne, *d.* 17 Aug. 1762, aged 76.

II. 1744, 2. CHARLES (FANE), **VISCOUNT FANE and BARON OF LOUGHGUYRE** [L.], only s. and h.; sometime M.P. for Tavistock; 1766. English Resident at the Court at Florence, Turin, and Constantinople. He *m.* 7 June 1749, at St. Bennet's Paul's Wharf, London, Susanna, widow of Sir William JUXON, 2d Bart., *yst. da.* of John MARRIOTT, of Sturton Hall, co. Suffolk. He *d.* s.p. 24 Jan. 1766, when the *Peerage* became *extinct.*^(a) Will *pr.* 1766. His widow *d.* 10 April 1792, aged 86. M.I. at Little Compton. Her will *pr.* April 1792.

FANHOPE.

Barony. SIR JOHN CORNWALL, s. and h. of another Sir John C.,^(b) by a niece of the DUKE OF BRITANNY was born at sea in St. Michael's Mount bay, Cornwall and *bur.* at the church of Markenshaw. Having distinguished himself at a tournament, at York, in 1400, he is said there to have won the heart of the King's sister, Elizabeth, widow of John (HOLAND), DUKE OF EXETER (see under that dignity), da. of John (PLANTAGENET styled "OF GAUNT"), DUKE OF LANCASTER, by his first wife, Blanche, da. and coheir of Henry (PLANTAGENET), DUKE OF LANCASTER. This lady he soon afterwards married, but she died before him [1425-26], 4 Hen. VI., and was *bur.* at Burford, Salop. M.I. at Burford and at Amphill, Beds. He was *cr. K.G.*, 1409-10; was at the battle of Agincourt, 1415; and, on the departure of the King from France, was left there in high command. He was *cr.* 17 July 1433, in open Parl., **BARON OF FANHOPE**, co. Hereford,^(c) tho' he appears to have been always *sum.* to Parl. [as LORD CORNWALL?] by writs^(d) directed "*Johanni Cornwall, Chevalier.*" He was, also in open Parl. *cr.* 30 Jan. 1442, **BARON OF MILBROKE**, co. Bedford.^(e) He *d.* at Amphill, Beds, s.p. legit. in 1443 when *all his honours* became *extinct.* Will *pr.* 6 Jan. 1443/4, at Lincoln.

^(a) His eldest sister, Mary, *m.* in 1735, Jerome, Count De Salis, by whom she had a son and h., Jerome, Count De Salis, who in 1835 took the additional surname of Fane.

^(b) This Sir John (the elder) was 3d s. of Sir Richard Cornwall, usually spoken of as "*Baron of Burford*," who was s. and h. of Sir Geoffrey, Cornwall, by Margaret, da. and coheir of Hugh Mortimer, Lord of the manor of Burford. A good account of these "*Barons of Burford*," is in Marshall's *Genealogist*, vols. iii and iv.

^(c) Fanhope appears to be but the second (and Milbroke the fourth) Barony which was *cr.* by patent. See p. 31 note "e," *sub* "*Daubeney*" for a list of the 16 Baronies, *cr.* by patent before the 16th century. There are no words of limitation whatever to either of these creations.

^(d) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

^(e) The reason of this creation is very obscure. It is justly observed in "*Court-hope*" that "the case of Sir John Cornwall is remarkable in several respects. Both of his creations were in Parliament and enrolled in Parliament, but the former only was exemplified by Patent; in the latter, creating him Baron of Milbroke, he is styled Sir John Cornwall only, without reference to his former creation as Baron of Fanhope; in neither case are there any words of inheritance, and although the absence of such words, under ordinary circumstances, would give only a life-estate to the grantee, Lord Lyndhurst, in his argument on the Wensleydale Peerage, considered that his being created in Parliament a Baron 'with all and singular rights, privileges,

FANSHAWE OF DROMORE.

- Viscounty [I.] 1. SIR THOMAS FANSHAWE**, of Ware Park, Herts, s. and h. of Sir Henry F. of the same, by Elizabeth, da. of Thomas SMYTHE, of Ostenhanger, co. Kent, was *b.* about 1596; *suc.* his father, 12 March 1615/6; was **K.B.** at the coronation of Charles I, 2 Feb. 1625/6; Remembrancer of the Exchequer; M.P. for Lancaster from 1625, in several parts, and for Hertford. 1640; serving the royal cause zealously^(a) and having accordingly his estates sequestrated at a fine of £1310; M.P. for Herts, in 1660, being *cr.* 5 Sep. 1661, **VISCOUNT FANSHAWE OF DROMORE [I.]**. He *m.* firstly, Anne, da. of Sir Giles ALINGTON, of Horseheath, co. Cambridge, by Dorothy, da. of Thomas (CECIL), EARL OF EXETER. She, who was *bap.* 13 April 1607, at Horseheath, *d. s.p.m.* and was *bur.* 17 July 1628, at Ware. He *m.* secondly, 24 June 1629, at St. Peter le Poor, London, Elizabeth, sister of Charles, 1st VISCOUNT CULLEN [I.], da. of Sir William COKAYNE, of Rushton, co. Northampton, by Mary, da. of Richard MORRIS, sometime Master of the Ironmonger's Company, London. He was *bur.* 30 March 1665, at Ware, aged 69. Admon. 23 June 1667, 29 May 1671 and 12 May 1674. His widow, who was *b.* at Cokayne House, Old Broad street, and *bap.* 2 April 1609, at St. Peter le Poor afsd., was *bur.* 27 Feb. 1667/8, at Ware.^(b) Her will dat. 25 July 1667, pr. 14 May 1668.
- II. 1665. 2. THOMAS (FANSHAWE), VISCOUNT FANSHAWE OF DROMORE [I.]** s. and h., by 2d wife; *bap.* 17 June 1632, at Ware; was **K.B.** at the coronation of Charles II, 23 April 1661. He *m.* firstly in 1648 (at her age of 12), Catharine, da. and h. of Knighton FERRERS, of Bayfordbury, Herts, by Catharine, da. and coheir of Sir William WALTER. She *d. s.p.* and was *bur.* 13 June, 1660, at Ware. He *m.* secondly before 1669, Sarah, widow of Sir John WRAY, 2d Bart., of Glentworth (who *d.* 29 Oct. 1664), da. of Sir John EVELYN, of West Dean, Wilts. He, who sold the manor and estate of Ware, in 1668, for £26,000, was *bur.* at Ware 19 May 1674. Will pr. 4 June 1674. His widow *m.* (as his second wife) 14 Feb. 1674/5, at the Temple Church, London, George (SAUNDERSON), 5th VISCOUNT CASTLETON [I.], who *d.* 27 May 1714. She *d.* 1717. Will pr. Oct. 1717.
- III. 1674. 3. EVELYN (FANSHAWE), VISCOUNT FANSHAWE OF DROMORE [I.]** only s. and h.; *bap.* 9 Aug. 1669, at Glentworth, co. Lincoln. He *d. unm.* 10 Oct. 1687, aged 18 at Aleppo, in Turkey and was *bur.* 24 Feb. 1687/8, at Ware. Will dat. 31 March 1687, pr. 18 Feb. 1689/90.
- IV. 1687. 4. CHARLES (FANSHAWE), VISCOUNT FANSHAWE OF DROMORE [I.]** uncle and h. male. He *d. unm.* at his house, Suffolk street, Westminster, 28 March and was *bur.* 1 April 1710, at Ware. Admon. 18 April 1710, 13 May 1714, 22 Nov. 1739 and July 1825.

and immunities in every place within the realm of England, as fully, entirely, and in the same manner and form as other Barons of the same realm before this time have used and enjoyed,' gave to him amongst those rights the privilege enjoyed by other Barons of transmitting his title to his posterity." [Courthope.]

^(a) "He did engage his person and estate for the crown and fought in the battle of Edgehill, and this ruined his estate and was the cause of his son selling Ware Park [in 1668 to Sir Thomas Byde]; afterwards he tried by the King's assistance to be re-imbursed, but could not prevail. He was a very worthy, valiant, honest, good-natured gentleman, charitable and generous, and had excellent natural parts, yet choleric and rash which was only incommode to his own family; he was a very pretty man, for he was but low, of a sanguine complexion." See "*Memoirs of Lady Fanshawe*," the widow of Sir Richard F., Bart., yr. brother of the 1st Viscount.

^(b) "She was a very good wife but not else qualified extraordinary in anything. She brought him many children whereof now [1676 ?] remain three sons and 5 [Qy. 3 ?] daughters." See "*Memoirs of Lady Fanshawe*." It may, however, be mentioned that her dowry was "above £10,000," a large sum in those days.

V. 1710 5. SIMON (FANSHAWE), VISCOUNT FANSHAWE OF DRO-
 to MORE [I.], br. and h. male, being yst. but only surv. s. of the 1st
 1716. Viscount. He was Remembrancer of the Exchequer. He *d.* unm.
 23 Oct. 1716, aged 68 and was *bur.* at Ware afsd., when the *peerage*
 became *extinct.* His will dat. 16 April 1715, pr. 9 Jan. 1716/7.

FAREHAM.

i.e., "FAREHAM, co. Southampton," Earldom (*de Querouaille*), *cr.*
 1673, with the DUKEDOM OF PORTSMOUTH, which see; *ex.* 1734.

FARNBOROUGH OF BROMLEY HILL PLACE.

Barony. The Rt. Hon. SIR CHARLES LONG, 4th s. of Beeston
 I. 1826 Long, of Carshalton Park, Surrey, by Susannah, da. and h. of
 to Abraham CROPP, of Richmond, Surrey, was *b.* 1760; became joint
 1838. Sec. of the Treasury, in 1800; one of the Lords of the Treasury,
 1804; P.C.; Joint Paymaster Gen., 1807-17, and (sole) Paymaster
 Gen., 1817-26; nom. **G.C.B.** (extra) 20 and inv. 22 May 1820, and
 was on 8 July 1826, *cr.* BARON FARNBOROUGH OF BROMLEY HILL PLACE,
co. Kent. He *m.* 28 May 1793, in Hill street, St. Geo. Han. sq. (at her father's
 house) Amelia, 1st da. Sir Abraham HUME, 2d Bart., by Amelia, da. of the Rt. Rev.
 John EGERTON, Bishop of Durham. She who was *b.* 23 Jan. and *bap.* 17 Feb. 1772,
 at St. Geo. Han. sq., *d.* at Bromley Hill Place, Kent, and was *bur.* at Wormley,
 Herts, 21 Jan. 1837, aged 66. He *d.* s.p. at Bromley Hill Place afsd., 17 Jan. 1838,
 aged 77, when the *peerage* became *extinct.*^(a) Will pr. April 1838.

FARNBOROUGH.

Barony. "The Rt. Hon. SIR THOMAS-ERSKINE MAY, **K.C.B.**, late
 I. 1886. Clerk of the House of Commons," was, 11 May 1886, *cr.* BARON
 FARNBOROUGH, of Farnborough, co. Southampton. He was *b.* in
 London 8 Feb. 1815; *ed.* at Bedford Grammar School; Barrister
 (Middle Temple), 1838, becoming a Bencher, 1873; Examiner of petitions for private
 bills in Parl., 1846; Taxing Master, 1847-56; Clerk assistant, 1856-61, and Clerk of
 the House of Commons, 1871-86. **C.B.**, 1860; **K.C.B.**, 6 July 1866; D.C.L.
 (Oxford), 17 June 1874; P.C., 1884; and was in 1886, shortly after his resignation of
 office, raised to the Peerage as above stated. He *m.* 27 Aug. 1839, Louisa Johanna,
 da. of George LAUGHTON, of Fareham, Hants. He *d.* s.p. at his official residence in
 the House of Parl. 17 May 1886,^(b) aged 71, when the *peerage* became *extinct.* He
 was *bur.* at Chippenham, co. Cambridge.^(c) Will pr. 19 July 1886, over £15,000.
 His widow living 1890.

FARNELL.

i.e., "BALINIARD OF FARNELL, co. Forfar," Barony (*Carnegie*),
cr. 1869; see "SOUTHESK" Earldom [S.], under the 6th Earl.

^(a) "A person of considerable taste and accomplishment particularly in painting [he] has been called the *Vitruvius of the present age.*" [Annual Reg. for 1838.]

^(b) The *peerage* was thus in existence but six days, probably the *shortest* duration of any *peerage*; the Barony of Marjoribanks (*Marjoribanks*) lasted seven days (*viz.*, 12 to 19 June 1873), the Barony of Amesbury (*Douglas*), *cr.* 1832 lasted under two months, the Barony of Fortescue [I.] (*Fortescue*), *cr.* 1746, about 4 months, &c.

^(c) Author of several valuable works, *viz.*, "The Law and Usage of Parliament," "Constitutional History of England, 1760-1870," &c.

FARNHAM.

Barony [I.] I. JOHN MAXWELL, of Farnham, co. Cavan, s. and h. of the Rev. Henry Maxwell,^(a) Rector of Derrynoose, co. Antrim, by Anne, da. of Col. George STEWART, of Culmore, co. Donegal; was M.P. for co. Cavan, 1727/56, and having in 1737 (by the death of his cousin Rev. Robert Maxwell, D.D.), *suc.* to the estate of Farnham, was *cr.* 6 May 1756, BARON FARNHAM of Farnham, co. Cavan [I.], taking his seat, as such, on the 8th inst. He *m.* June 1719 Judith, da. and h. of James BARRY, of Newtown Barry, co. Wexford, Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas [I.], by his second wife, Anne, da. of Charles MEREDYTH. He *d.* 6 Aug. 1759. His widow, who was *bap.* 15 Dec. 1699, *d.* 5 April 1771, in Henrietta street and was *bur.* in Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin.

II. 1759. 2 and 1. ROBERT (MAXWELL), BARON FARNHAM [I.], 1st s. and h.; M.P. for Lisburne, 1743-59, taking his seat in the House of Lords [I.], 3 Dec. 1759. He was *cr.* 10 Sep. 1760, VISCOUNT FARNHAM, co. Cavan [I.], taking his seat, as such, 18 Dec. 1761, and was *cr.* 13 May 1763, EARL OF FARNHAM, co. Cavan [I.], taking his seat, as such, 21 Jan. 1764. P.C. [I.], &c. He *m.* firstly, 11 Oct. 1759, at St. Mary Magdalen's, Old Fish street, London, Henrietta, Dow. COUNTESS OF STAFFORD, da. and h. of Philip CANTILLON. She *d.* 30 Aug. 1761. Admon. 9 Dec. 1761 and Dec. 1783. He *m.* secondly, 1 Dec. 1771, Sarah, widow of the Rt. Hon. Arthur UPTON, sister of Dudley, LORD SYDNEY OF LEIX, BARON STRADBALLY [I.], da. of Pole COSBY, of Stradbally, Queen's county, by Mary, da. of Henry DODWELL. He *d.s.p.m.s.* 16 Nov. 1779, when both the *Viscountcy* and the *Earldom of Farnham* [I.] became *extinct*. His second wife survived him.

[JOHN MAXWELL, *styled* LORD MAXWELL, only s. and h. ap. by first wife; *d.* young and unm. v.p. 1777.]

Barony [I.] 3 and 1. BARRY (MAXWELL), BARON FARNHAM [I.], br. and h. male, who, in 1771, had assumed the name of *Barry* in lieu of that of *Maxwell*, having succeeded to the estates of his maternal grandfather, but resumed that of Maxwell on his accession to the peerage. He was a Barrister (King's Inn) Dublin, 1748; Bencher, 1757; was M.P. for co. Cavan, 1756-60; for co. Armagh, 1761-68, and for co. Cavan (again) 1769-79. He was *cr.* 10 Jan. 1781, VISCOUNT FARNHAM, co. Cavan [I.], taking his seat as such, 10 Oct. following and was *cr.*, 22 June 1785, EARL OF FARNHAM, co. Cavan [I.], taking his seat as such on the 30th inst. He *m.* firstly, 15 Jan. 1751, Margaret, 2d da. and coheir of Robert KING, of Drewstown, co. Meath. She *d.* 4 Dec. 1766. He *m.* secondly, 5 Aug. 1771, Grace, da. of Arthur BURDETT, of Ballymaney. He *d.* 7 Oct. 1800. Will pr. Nov. 1800. His widow who was *b.* 1734, *d.* 8 March 1816 in her 82d year.

Earldom, and }
Viscountcy [I.] }
 III. } 1800.
Barony [I] }
 IV. }

2 and 4. JOHN JAMES (MAXWELL), EARL OF FARNHAM, VISCOUNT FARNHAM and BARON FARNHAM [I.], only s. and h., by first wife, *b.* Feb. 1760; *styled* LORD MAXWELL, 1785-1800; M.P. for co. Cavan, 1779-83 and 1793-1800. REP. PEER [I.], 1816-23. He *m.*, in 1784, Grace, da. of Thomas CUFFE, of Grange, co. Kilkenny. He *d.* s.p., 23 July 1823, aged 63, when both the *Viscountcy* and the *Earldom of Farnham*. became (again) *extinct*. His widow *d.* 10 Feb. 1856, aged 90, at Leamington, co. Warwick. Will pr. April 1856.

^(a) This Henry was 3d son (whose issue, in 1737, became heir male) of the Rt. Rev. Robert Maxwell, Bishop of Kilmore (1643-72) who was seized of the manor of Farnham, &c., the said Bishop being s. and h. of Robert Maxwell, Dean of Armagh, who emigrated (about 1600) from Scotland to Ireland.

V. 1823. 5. JOHN (MAXWELL-BARRY), BARON FARNHAM [I.], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of the Rt. Rev. the Hon. Henry MAXWELL, Bishop of Meath [1766-98], by Margaret, da. of the Rt. Hon. Anthony FOSTER, which Henry was 3d s. of the 1st Baron and d. 7 Oct. 1798. He was b. 18 Jan. 1767; M.P. for Newtown Limavady, 1798—1800; for co. Cavan, 1806-23. P.C. [I.]; Col. of the Cavan Militia. REP. PEER [I.], 1825-38. He m. 4 July 1789 Juliana Lucy, 1st da. of Arthur (ANNESLEY), 1st EARL OF MOUNTNORRIS [I.], by his first wife, Lucy, da. of George (LYTTELTON), 1st BARON LYTTELTON OF FRANKLEY. She d. 10 Oct. 1833, aged 61. He d. s.p. 20 Sep. 1838, aged 71. Will pr. April 1839.

VI. 1838. 6. HENRY (MAXWELL), BARON FARNHAM [I.], br. and h. He was in Holy orders. He m. 5 Sep. 1798, Anne, 1st da. of Henry Thomas (BUTLER), 2d EARL OF CARRICK [I.], by Sarah, da. and coheir of Edward TAYLOR. She, who was b. 3 Aug. 1776, d. 29 May 1831. He d. 19 Oct. 1838. Will pr. April 1839.

VII. 1838. 7. HENRY (MAXWELL), BARON FARNHAM [I.], s. and h., b. 9 Aug. 1799; at Dublin; M.P. for co. Cavan, 1824-38; REP. PEER [I.], 1839-68; **K.P.**, 12 Nov. 1845. He m. 3 Dec. 1828, Anne Frances Esther, yst. da. of Thomas (STAPLETON), LORD LE DESPENCER, by Elizabeth, da. of Samuel ELIOT. She was b. 15 April 1805. Both Lord and Lady Farnham (the one aged 69 and the other 63) perished together, being burnt (with some 30 others) by the setting on fire of petroleum at the railway accident, near Abergele in North Wales, 20 Aug. 1868. Both were buried there on the 25th.^(a) His will pr. under £60,000.

VIII. 1868. 8. SOMERSET RICHARD (MAXWELL), BARON FARNHAM [I.], br. and h., b. 18 Oct. 1803, in Dublin; M.P. for Cavan, 1838-40. Sheriff, 1844. He m. firstly, 30 May 1839, Dorothea, 3d da. of Richard PENNEFATHER, one of the Barons of the Exchequer [I.] She d. 30 Nov. 1861. He m. secondly, at St. Jude's, Mildmay Park, Mary Anne, da. of Samuel DELAP, of Monellan, co. Donegal. She d. 1 Nov. 1873, aged 64, at Farnham afsd. He d., s.p., 4 June 1884, in his 81st year, at Farnham.

IX. 1884. 9. JAMES PIERCE (MAXWELL), BARON FARNHAM [I.], br. and h., being 6th s. of the 6th Baron, b. 1813; M.P. for co. Cavan, 1843-65. He was sometime an officer in the army; was severely wounded in the Crimean War; Lieut. Col. 97th Foot; 5th class Medjidie and Turkish medal.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 25,920 acres in co. Cavan worth £18,250 a year. *Principal Residence.* Farnham, co. Cavan.

FARNHAM ROYAL.

See "GODOLPHIN OF FARNHAM ROYAL, co. Buckingham," Barony (*Godolphin-Osborne*), *cr.* 1832.

FAUCONBERG.^(b)

Barony by Writ. I. 1295. 7. WALTER DE FAUCONBERG, of Skelton Castle, in Cleveland, Ryse in Holderness, &c., co. York, 1st surv. s. and h. of Walter F. of Ryse afsd., by Agnes, sister and coheir of Peter DE BRUCE, of Skipton Castle; *suc.* to the above inheritance before 1272; was sum. 8 June (1294), 22 Ed. I., to attend the King

^(a) Lord Farnham was an accomplished Genealogist, paying particular attention to "Royal descents" and to "Seize Quartiers," of which last he printed a considerable number.

^(b) "The name seems to be derived from an estate in Yorkshire; perhaps the same as that called in the *Hundred Rolls* [1273] Fulkebrigge." See Lower's *Patronymica Britannica*.

wherever he might be^(a) and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FAUCONBERG] by writs 23 June (1295), 23 Ed. I., to 24 July (1301), 30 Ed. I.^(b) He (as *D'n's de Faucumb'ge*) was one of the Barons who signed the letter to the Pope in 1301, but *d.* soon afterwards (1304), 32 Ed. I.

II. 1304. 2. WALTER (DE FAUCONBERG), LORD FAUCONBERG, s. and h., aged 40 in 1304; was sum. to Parl. from 12 Nov. (1303), 32 Ed. I., to 25 Aug. (1318), 12 Ed. II., at whose coronation (1307/8) he attended. He *m.* "Isabel, da. of the LORD Roos of Hamlake."^(c) He *d.* 1318 leaving Alice, his widow, surviving who *m.* soon afterwards Ralph de BULMER.

III. 1318. 3. JOHN (DE FAUCONBERG), LORD FAUCONBERG, 1st surv. s. and h.,^(d) aged 23 in 1318; was sum. to Parl. 22 Jany. (1335/6), 9 Ed. III., to 10 March (1348/9), 23 Ed. III.; Sheriff of co. York and Gov. of York Castle, 1341, and Gov. of Berwick upon Tweed, 1342. He *d.* 1349.

IV. 1349. 4. WALTER (DE FAUCONBERG), LORD FAUCONBERG, s. and h., aged 30 in 1349; was sum. to Parl. from 25 Nov. (1350), 24 Ed. III., to 14 Aug. (1362), 36 Ed. III. He was a Knight Banneret in 1350 and went to the Holy Land in 1357. He *m.* firstly Maud, da. of John, and sister and coheir of William PATSHULL, of Bletso, co. Bedford, and of Patshull, co. Northampton. He *m.* secondly Isabel, sister of John BIGOT. He *d.* 29 Sep. 1362. His widow, living 1366, held the Lordship of Skelton in dower.

V. 1362, 1407. 5. THOMAS (DE FAUCONBERG), LORD FAUCONBERG, s. and to h., by first wife, aged 17 in 1362. He appears never to have been sum. to Parl., tho' he inherited considerable estates (in Northamptonshire) from his mother in 1360. He served in the French war in 1376. He *d.* s.p.m.s.^(e) in 1407 when the *Barony* apparently fell into *abeyance*.^(f) Will (of Sir Thomas Falconbridge) pr. 19 May 1403.

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VI. 1429, 1463. 6. JOAN FAUCONBERG, da. and heir (or coheir) of the above,^(g) *bap.* 18 Oct. 1406, at Skelton afsd., of which manor and castle she had livery at her age of 15 in 1422; *m.* probably about 1426, William NEVILL, one of the yr. sons of Ralph, 1st EARL OF WESTMORLAND, by his second wife, the Lady Joan BEAUFORT, which William, having been knighted 19 May 1426, was (probably *jure uxoris*) sum. to Parl.^(h) as a Baron [LORD NEVILL or LORD NEVILL DE FAUCONBERGE or LORD FAUCONBERGE] from 3 Aug. (1429), 7 Hen. VI., to 23 May (1461), 1 Ed. IV.; each writ, from 7 to 25 Hen. VI., being directed "*Willielmo de Nevill, Ch'l'r*" [without any other designation] tho' those of 33 and 38 Hen. VI. as also that of 1 Ed. IV. are directed "*Willielmo Nevill de Fauconberge, Ch'l'r.*"^(h) He distinguished himself in the French wars, particularly at the siege of Orleans in 1431; **K.G.**, 1440; P.C., 1454; Commander of a Fleet, 1458; Gov. of Calais, 1460. He, however, fought at Towton for the cause of Edward IV. by whom he was *cr.*, 30 June

(a) See vol. i, p. 259, note "c," *sub* "Basset de Sapcote," as to this writ not constituting a regular writ of summons to Parl.

(b) See as to this letter "*Nicolas*," pp. 761—809.

(c) [*Dugdale*.]

(d) He had, apparently, an elder br. Walter who was made **K.B.** (with Prince Edward in 1306 and who *d.* v.p. before 1318.

(e) His only s. and h. ap. John Fauconberg *m.* Joane, but *d.* s.p. and v.p. His widow *m.* Sir Thomas Bromflete.

(f) The coheirs appear to have been the two daughters of the last Lord of whom the eldest, Isabel, *m.* John de Wilton, 18 Oct. 1406, the same day that Joan, the youngest, was baptized.

(g) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(h) In the writ of 38 Hen. VI. the following memorandum appears on the roll "*Vacat, quia extra regnum.*"

1461, EARL OF KENT.^(a) He was P.C., 1461; Steward of the Household, 1461-63; Admiral of England, &c., July to Oct. 1462. He *d. s.p.* at Pontelarge, in Normandy, 9 Jan. 1462/3, when the *Earldom of Kent* became *extinct* and the *Barony of Fauconberg* fell into *abeyance*.^(b) He was *bur.* in the Priory of Gisborough, co. York.^(c)

WILLIAM DE FAUCONBERG is stated by Dugdale to have been sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FAUCONBERG] by writ (1299-1300) of 28 Ed. I. No such name occurs in the list of summons of that year. He is (somewhat improbably) stated to be *great-great grandson* of a brother of the Baron, who was sum. in 1295, *viz.*, about the same period.

FAUCONBERG, and FAUCONBERG OF YARUM, OF HENKNOWLE, and OF NEWBOROUGH.

- Barony.** 1. SIR THOMAS BELASYSE, Bart., of Newborough, co. York, only s. and h. of Sir Henry B., Bart. (so *cr.* 29 June 1611), by Ursula, da. of Sir Thomas FAIRFAX, of Denton, co. York, was *b.* 1577;
- I. 1627.** M.P. for Thirsk, 1597-98, 1621-22 and 1624-25; knighted 19 July 1603; *suc.* his father, as *second Baronet*, 19 Aug. 1624, and was *cr.* 25 May 1627, BARON FAUCONBERG OF YARUM, co. York. He adhered faithfully to the royal cause and was, 31 Jan. 1642/3, *cr.* VISCOUNT FAUCONBERG OF HENKNOWLE, in the Bishopric of Durham. He was at the battle of Marston moor, 2 July 1644, soon after which he fled to the continent, his estates being compounded for at £5012. He *m.* about 1600, Barbara, 1st da. of Sir Henry CHOLMLEY, of Whitby, co. York, by Margaret, da. of Sir William BATHORPE. She *d.* 28 Feb. and was *bur.* 7 March 1618, at Coxwold, co. York. He *d.* 1652 and was *bur.* there. M.I. Will dat. 4 Sep. 1649, pr. 12 July 1653.^(d)
- II. 1652.** 2. and 1. THOMAS (BELASYSE), VISCOUNT FAUCONBERG OF HENKNOWLE, &c., grandson and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. Henry Belasyse, M.P. for the North Riding of Yorkshire, by Grace, da. and coheir of Sir Thomas BARTON, of Smithells, co. Lancaster, which Henry, who was s. and h. ap. of the 1st Viscount, *d. v.p.* 20 May 1647, aged 43. He was *bap.* 16 March 1627/8, at Coxwold; and (having *m.* a da. of the Lord Protector Cromwell) was made in 1657, a Councillor of State and was sum. to Cromwell's "Upper House,"^(e) 10 Dec. 1657. He was, 27 Dec. 1658, sent as Envoy to the King of France. He, however, favoured the restoration; was Col. of a Reg. of Horse, 1660; Lord Lieut. co. Durham, 1660-61;
- Earldom.**
- I. 1689.**

(a) "No notice of this creation is found on the Rolls of the period. He was sum. to Parl. as Lord Nevill de Fauconberg, 13 June 1461. Polydore Virgil speaks of his having been created Earl of Kent, at the same time that Henry Bourchier was created Earl of Essex, *viz.*, 30 June 1461. He had a grant of the manor of Crewkerne, 1 Aug. 1462, to him and the heirs male of his body; and in a subsequent grant of that manor with others to George, Duke of Clarence, he is stated to have died 9 Jan. 1463." [Courthope.]

(b) The coheirs were the three daughters of the Earl of Kent, *viz.* (1) Joan who *m.* Sir Edward Bedhowing [Bechom or Bethune] who *d. s.p.* (2) Elizabeth *m.* Sir Richard Strangways whose issue is represented by her granddaughters and coheirs and (3) Alice *m.* Sir John Conyers by whom she had William, Lord Conyers, her s. and h., who *d.* 1524 leaving issue. See tab. ped. p. 23, note "a," *sub* "Darcy."

(c) He appears to have used for his arms the coat of Nevill (*Gu.*, a saltire, *arg.* charged [for difference] with a mullet of the field) quarterly with that of Fauconberg (*Arg.*, a lion ramp. *azure.*) See *Harl. MS.*, 6163, as quoted in Doyle's "Official Baronage."

(d) John, his second son, was *cr.* Baron Belasyse, of Worlaby, in 1644.

(e) See vol. i, p. 299, note "d" for the names of the nine actual Peers among Cromwell's "House of Lords," and see vol. ii, p. 84, note "c" (*sub* "Burnell") for a complete list of that House.

Lord Lieut. North Riding, co. York, 1660-87^(a) and 1689-1700; Ambassador to Venice, 1669; Capt. of the Gent. Pensioners, 1672-76; P.C. to Charles II and to William III, &c. He was *cr.* 9 April 1689, EARL FAUCONBERG.^(b) He *m.* firstly, 3 July 1651, at East Barnet, Herts, Mildred, da. of Nicholas (SAUNDERSON), 1st VISCOUNT CASTLETON [I.], by Winifred, da. of John ELLTOFT. She *d.* 8 May 1656. He *m.* secondly, 18 Nov. 1657, at Hampton Court, Midx., (celebrated also at Whitehall), Mary, 3d da. and 8th child of Oliver CROMWELL, the **Lord Protector of England**, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir James BOURCHIER, of Felstead, Essex. He *d.* s.p. 31 Dec. 1700, at Sutton House in Chiswick, Midx., aged 72, when the *Earldom of Fauconberg* became *extinct*. He was *bur.* at Coxwold afsd. M.I. Will pr. May 1701. His widow who was *hap.* at Huntingdon, 9 Feb. 1637, *d.* at Sutton House afsd. 14 and was *bur.* 24 March 1712/3, at Chiswick.^(c) Will pr. June 1713.

Viscounty, &c. 3. THOMAS (BELASYSE), VISCOUNT FAUCONBERG OF III. 1700. HENKNOLL and BARON FAUCONBERG OF YARUM, nephew and h., being s. and h. the Hon. Sir Rowland BELASYSE, **K.B.**, by Anne, da. and h. of Humphrey DAVENPORT, of Sutton, co. Chester, which Rowland was next surv. br. to the last Lord, and *d.* 16 Aug. 1699, aged 67. He *m.* before July 1698, Bridget, da. of Sir John GAGE, 4th Bart., of Firle, Sussex, and coher of his first wife, Mary, da. and h. of Thomas MIDDLEMORE, of Edgbaston, co. Warwick. He *d.* at Brussels, 26 Nov. 1718, and was *bur.* at Coxwold afsd. Will pr. May 1719. His widow *d.* 18 Nov. 1732.

IV. 1718. 4 and 1. THOMAS (BELASYSE), VISCOUNT FAUCONBERG **Earldom.** OF HENKNOLL, &c., s. and h., b. 27 April 1699; sold the estate of Smithells, co. Lancaster, 1721; conformed to the established religion and took the oaths, 3 Feb. 1737; a Lord of the Bedchamber, 1738. II. 1756. He was *cr.* 16 June 1756, EARL FAUCONBERG OF NEWBOROUGH, co. York. He *m.* 5 Aug. 1726, Catharine, da. and h. of John BETHAM *alias* FOWLER, of Rowington, co. Warwick and of St. Thomas, co. Stafford, by Catharine his wife.^(d) She *d.* 30 May 1760, in George street, St. Geo. Han. sq. He *d.* 4 Feb. 1774, at Newborough Hall, co. York, aged 75. Will pr. May 1774.

Earldom. } 2 and 5. HENRY (BELAYSE), EARL FAUCONBERG OF NEWBOROUGH, VISCOUNT FAUCONBERG OF III. HENKNOLL, &c., 3d and yst. but only sury. s. and h., **Viscounty, &c.** } 1774. b. 13 April 1743, *styled* LORD BELASYSE, 1756-74; V. } M.P. for Peterborough, 1768-74. He was a great favorite of King Geo. III.; was a Lord of the Bedchamber, 1777; Lord Lieut. North Riding of Yorkshire, 1777, and Col. of a Reg. of Foot (called "*Fauconberg's*"), 1779. He *m.* firstly, 29 May 1766, at St. James, Westm., Charlotte, sister of Peniston, 1st VISCOUNT MELBOURNE [I.], da. of Sir Matthew LAMB, 1st Bart., by Charlotte, da. of the Rt. Hon. Thomas COKE. She, who was b. 1 Nov. 1743, *d.* 1 April 1790, and was *bur.* at Coxwold afsd. He *m.* secondly, 5 Jan. 1791, Jane, da. of John CHESHYRE, of Rennington, co. Chester. He *d.* of apoplexy s.p.m. 23 March 1802, aged 58, when the *Earldom of Fauconberg of Newborough* became *extinct*.^(e) Will pr. 1802. His widow *d.* 4 April 1820. Will pr. May 1820.

(a) See vol. i, p. 28, note "a" (*sub* "Abingdon") for a list of the Lord Lieutenants dismissed in 1687, by James II.

(b) Not "Earl of Fauconberg." See vol. ii, p. 102, note "a," *sub* "Cadogan."

(c) She was, according to Bishop Burnet, "a wise and worthy woman, more likely to have maintained the post [of *Protector*] than either of her brothers."

(d) See account of her maternal descent from the Fowler family in the "*Her. Visitations of Staffordshire*," 1614 and 1664, edited by H. Sydney Grazebrook, p. 137.

(e) His three surviving daughters by his 1st wife were the coheirs of the family, *viz.* (1) Charlotte, b. 10 Jan. 1767, *m.* Thomas Edward Wynn, who took the name of Belasyse. She *d.* s.p. 1825 when her nephew Sir George Wombwell, Bart., *suc.* to Newborough and other the family estates (2) Anne, b. 27 Dec. 1768, *m.* 19 July 1791 (as his first wife) Sir George Wombwell, Bart., and *d.* 7 July 1808, leaving issue as

VI. 1802. 6. ROWLAND (BELASYSE), VISCOUNT FAUCONBERG OF HENKNOLL, &c., cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of Anthony BELASYSE, by Susanna, da. of John Clervet, which Anthony (who *d.* 9 Oct. 1754, aged 40), was yr. s. of Rowland Belasyse, of Winchester (who *d.* 17 Feb. 1746), a yr. br. of Thomas, the 3d Viscount. He was *b.* 12 Feb. 1745 (N.S.), and being a Roman Catholic never took his seat in the House of Lords. He *d.* unm. 30 Nov. 1810, aged 55. Will pr. 1811.

VII. 1810, 7. CHARLES (BELASYSE), VISCOUNT FAUCONBERG OF HENKNOLL [1643], BARON FAUCONBERG OF YARUM [1627], and a
1815. Baronet [1611], only surv. br. and h.; *b.* 7 May 1750; ordained Priest at Paris; D.D. of the Sorbonne, Paris; Chaplain to the Portuguese embassy in London, 1795-96, being known as "Abbé Bellasis." He *d.* unm. 24 June 1815, when *all his honours* became extinct. Admon. Aug. 1815.

FAWSLEY, see FALVESLEY.

FEILDING.

i.e., "FIELDING," Viscounty (*Feilding*) *cr.* 1620; See "DENBIGH" Earldom, *cr.* 1622, under the first Earl.

FEILDING OF NEWNHAM PADOX.

See "DENBIGH" Earldom, *cr.* 1622, under the second Earl.

FEILDING OF LECAGH.

i.e., "FEILDING OF LECAGH, co. Tipperary "Barony [I.], (*Feilding*), *cr.* 7 Nov. 1622, with the VISCOUNTCY OF CALLAN [I.]. See "DESMOND" Earldom [I.], *cr.*, in reversion, 7 Nov. 1622, and becoming in possession 1628.

FELTON.

- Barony by Writ.**
- I. 1313. 1. ROBERT DE FELTON, of Luchin, co. Norfolk, served in the Scotch war, 1306, was Gov. of Scarboro' Castle, 1312, and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FELTON], 8 Jan., 22 May, 26 July and 26 Nov. (1313), 6 and 7 Ed. II. He *d.* 1314.
- II. 1314 to 1325. 2. JOHN DE FELTON, s. and h., who never appears to have been sum. to Parl. as a Baron.^(a) He was Gov. of Alnwick Castle, 1315, and one of the Admirals of the Fleet in the expedition to Gascony, in 1325. No more appears to be known of him.^(b)

abovenamed (3) Elizabeth, *b.* 17 Jan. 1770, *m.* firstly 24 April 1789, Bernard Edward Howard (afterwards, 1815, Duke of Norfolk), from whom she was divorced in 1794, being mother of the 13th Duke of Norfolk. She *m.* secondly Richard (Bingham), Earl of Lucan [I.], and *d.* 24 March 1819.

^(a) It is stated by Dugdale (vol. ii, p. 64) that he was sum. to Parl. "in 16 Ed. III, but not after." His name, however, does not appear in the list of those summoned to the Council in that year.

^(b) He is sometimes said to be father of Sir Thomas Felton, **K.G.**, 1381.

WILLIAM DE FELTON is stated by Dugdale to have been sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FELTON], 16 Ed. III. [*i.e.*, 25 Feb. 1341/2], but inasmuch as this was a *Council* only [and not a Parl.], no Barony could thereby have been created.^(a)

FENTOUN.

Viscounty [S]. THOMAS (ERSKINE), LORD DIRLETOUN [S.] (who had I. 1606. been so *cr.* 8 July 1604), was, on 18 March 1606, *cr.* VISCOUNT^(b) OF FENTOUN [S.], with rem. to the heirs male of his body, which failing to his heirs male whatsoever. On 12 March 1619, he was *cr.* EARL OF KELLIE [S.]. See that dignity.

FENYS, see FIENES.

FERMANAGH (county of).

Viscounty [I.] I. SIR JOHN VERNEY, Bart., of Middle Claydon, I. 1703. Bucks, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. of Sir Ralph Verney, Bart., of the same (so *cr.* 16 March 1660/1), by Mary, da. and h. of John BLACKNALL, of Wasing and Abingdon, Berks, was *b.* about 1640, *suc.* his father as Baronet, 24 Sep. 1696, and was *cr.* 16 June 1703,^(c) BARON VERNEY OF BELTURBET, co. Cavan, and VISCOUNT OF THE COUNTY OF FERMANAGH [I.] He was M.P. for Bucks, 1710-13, and for Amersham, 1713-17. He *m.* firstly, 27 May 1680,^(d) at Westm. Abbey (lic. from Vic. Gen., he "of London, merchant, about 35, bach.," she "about 16") Elizabeth, 1st da. of Ralph PALMER, of Little Chelsea, Midx., by Alice, da. of (—) WHITE. She *d.* 20 and was *bur.* 28 May 1696, at Middle Claydon. He *m.* secondly, 10 July 1692, also at Westm. Abbey, Mary, 1st da. of Sir Francis LAWLEY, 2d Bart., of Spoonhill, by Anne, da. of Sir Thomas WHITMORE, 1st Bart., of Apley. She *d.* 24 Aug. and was *bur.* 5 Sep. 1694, at Middle Claydon, aged 33. He *m.* thirdly, 8 April 1696, at Kensington, Elizabeth, da. of Daniel BAKER, of Penn House, Bucks, Alderman of London. He *d.* 23 and was *bur.* 28 July 1717, at Middle Claydon in his 76th year. Will dat. 23 June 1713, pr. 31 July 1717. His widow *d. s.p.* 12 Dec. 1736, and was *bur.* at Hertford. Her admon. 7 Jan. 1736/7.

(^a) The following notice of him is given in "Courthope," where it is apparently considered that a Barony was thereby created. "WILLIAM DE FELTON, first cousin of the last Baron, but not his heir, being s. and h. of William de Felton, br. of Robert his father, was sum. to Parl. 25 Feb., 16 Edw. III., but never afterwards; ob. 1358, leaving Sir William Felton his s. and h., then *æt.* 30, who was never sum. to Parl., nor were any of his posterity. The said Sir William de Felton, who *suc.* his father in 1358, was slain in Spain 1367, leaving Sir John de Felton his s. and h., then *æt.* 28, who died 31 Mar. 1396, leaving by his 1st wife two daughters, Elizabeth, *æt.* 15 in 1396, but who died s.p., and Joan, *æt.* 13 in 1396. By his 2nd wife he had a son, Sir John Felton, *æt.* 10 in 1396, but who died s.p. 1402, when John, the son of Walter Falconberg, by Joan his wife, sister of John Felton his father, and who was then *æt.* 30, was found to be his heir of the whole blood, and Elizabeth his father's da., by his 1st wife, and then wife of Sir Edmund Hastings, was found to be his heir of the half blood, then *æt.* 23 years; she left issue Sir John Hastings, father of Sir Edmund father of Sir Roger, *æt.* 26 in 1489, and amongst his descendants this Barony is in *abeyance.*"

(^b) This was the first appearance of the rank of *Viscount* in Scotland and, inasmuch as it is still existing, it is, of course, the *Premier Viscounty* of that kingdom.

(^c) The preamble to the patent is in "Lodge," vol. ii, p. 286.

(^d) See Col. Chester's note to this entry in his "Westm. Abbey registers" as to an entry in 1680 at St. Luke's, Chelsea, of the marriage of "Mr. Vernon [sic] and Mrs. Eliz. Palmer," being a mere memorandum of this marriage.

II. 1717. 2. RALPH (VERNEY), VISCOUNT FERMANAGH, &c. [I.], only surv. s. and h., by first wife; *b.* at Little Chelsea and *bap.* 18 March 1683, at Kensington. M.P. for Amersham, 1717-41, and for Wendover, 1741-52. He was *cr.* 22 March 1742/3, EARL VERNEY in the province of Leinster [I.] He *m.* 24 Feb. 1707/8, at St. Giles in the Fields, Midx., Catharine, 1st da. and coheir of Henry PASCHALL, of Baddow Hall, Essex, by Catharine, da. of Sir Henry APPLETON, Bart. She *d.* at Little Chelsea 28 Nov. and was *bur.* 20 Dec. 1748, at Middle Claydon. The Earl *d.* at Little Chelsea, 4 and was *bur.* 20 Oct. 1752, at Middle Claydon. Will pr. 1752.

III. 1752, 3. RALPH (VERNEY), EARL VERNEY [1743], VISCOUNT to FERMANAGH and BARON VERNEY OF BELTUBET [1703] in Ireland, also 1791, a Baronet [1661], 2d but only surv. s. and h. male. He was M.P. for Wendover, 1754-61; for Carmarthen, 1761-68, and for Bucks, 1768-91. He *m.* 11 Sep. 1740, Mary, da. and h. of Henry HERRING, of Egham, co. Surrey, merchant of London and one of the directors of the Bank of England. She *d.* a few weeks before him in Curzon street, May Fair, Midx., and was *bur.* 4 Feb. 1791, at Middle Claydon. Her admon. Feb. 1791. He *d.* s.p. in Curzon street afsd., 31 March, and was *bur.* 8 April 1791, at Middle Claydon, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. Will dat. 1 Dec. 1786, pr. 24 May 1791.

Barony [I.] MARY VERNEY, posthumous and only child of the Hon. I. 1792 John Verney, by Mary, da. of Josias NICHOLSON, of Clapham, co. Surrey (which John was 1st s. and h. ap. of Ralph, 1st EARL VERNEY to 2d VISCOUNT FERMANAGH [I.], but *d.* s.p.m. and v.p. 3 June 1810. 1737, aged 26), was *b.* 21 Oct. and *bap.* 1 Nov. 1737, and, having on the death of her uncle, the 2d Earl Verney and 3d Viscount Fermanagh abovenamed, *suc.* to the family estates, 31 March 1791, was *cr.* 13 June 1792, BARONESS FERMANAGH [I.]. She *d.* unm. 15 Nov. 1810, aged 73 and was *bur.* at Middle Claydon, when *the Barony* became *extinct*. Her will dat. 18 March 1801, pr. 1810.^(a)

FERMANAGH OF LISNASKEA.

i.e., "FERMANAGH OF LISNASKEA, co. Fermanagh,"^(b) Barony (*Crichton*), *cr.* 1876; see "ERNE" Earldom [I.], *cr.* 1789, under the 3d holder thereof.

FERMOY.

[*Observations.* This Viscounty is one of the Irish Peerages *by prescription*, *i.e.*, Peerages, which were *recognised* in 1489, by Henry VII, but of the mode of whose creation nothing certain is known. See vol. i, *preface* pp. ii and iii, and p. 172, note "f," *sub* "Athenry:"]

Although its origin is obscure, its position as the *second* Viscounty is undoubted and has been repeatedly acknowledged. Its possessor in 1489 was ranked immediately after the Viscount Buttevant (*the Premier Viscount*), both of these prescriptive Viscounties being ranked above the Viscounty of Gormanston (*cr.* by patent in

^(a) She devised Middle Claydon and all other her estates to her sister, of the half blood, Catharine (da. of her mother by her 2d husband, Richard Calvert) wife of the Rev. Robert Wright. Mrs. Wright took the name of Verney in 1811, and *d.* s.p., 9 Jan. 1827, aged 82, devising the estates to her husband's family of Calvert.

On the death of the Baroness Fermanagh in 1810, the representation of the Verney family devolved on the descendants of Sir Thomas Cave, Bart., by Margaret, sister of the 2d Viscount, now represented by the Lords Braye.

^(b) This is one of the singular combinations, peculiar to the 19th century, where the name of a county (Fermanagh is *not a town*, but is a *county* being so constituted in 1579), is placed *before* a town, on the same style as the creation of "*Leicester of Holkham*, &c. See p. 269, note "c," under "Erne."

1478) and above all Baronies. The date of its creation cannot therefore be *later* than the reign of Edward IV, and may possibly be much earlier.

It must be observed that the pedigree of these Lords is extremely obscure and affords no *reliable* information as to their succession during the earlier period.]

Viscounty [I.] 1. DAVID ROCHE (called "*The Great*"), of Fermoy, I. 1461? co. Cork, s. and h. of Maurice Roche, of the same, by Amy, da. of Donald Oge MAC-CARTY-MORE, appears to have been recognised as a Peer of Parl., VISCOUNT FERMOY or VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY, co. Cork [I.], in the reign of Edward IV.^(a) He m. Johanna, da. of Walter DE BURGH, *alias* MAC WILLIAM.

II. 1485? 2. MAURICE (ROCHE), VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY [I.], s. and h. He was one of the fifteen Irish Peers sum. to Greenwich by Henry VII, in 1489,^(b) being ranked (as *second* Viscount) next above the Viscount Gormanstown (who was *cr.* 1478). He m. firstly, Joan, da. and h. of James Fitz Thomas (FITZ GERALD), 9th EARL OF DESMOND [I.], by Margaret, da. of Teige O'BRIEN, of Thomond. He m. secondly, More, da. of (—) O'BRIEN.

III. 1515? 3. DAVID (ROCHE), VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY [I.], s. and h., by first wife. He m. Catharine, da. of Teige Mac Carty-More.

IV. 1540? 4. MAURICE (ROCHE), VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY [I.], s. and h., called "*The Mad*," living 1541. He m. Grany, da. of Cormac Mac Teige MAC-CARTY, Chief of Muskerry.^(c)

V. 1550? 5. DAVID (ROCHE), VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY [I.], s. and h. He m. Ellen, da. of James BUTLER, of Dunboyne, co. Meath.

VI. 1558? 6. MAURICE (ROCHE), VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY [I.], s. and h., who sat in the Parl. [I.], of 12 Jan. 1559. He had large grants of land from the crown, 18 Oct. 1577 and 26 Oct. 1588. He m. firstly, Eleanor, da. of Maurice Fitz-John FITZ GERALD (br. of James, 14th EARL OF DESMOND [I.]), by Julia, da. of Dermot O'MULRYAN. He m. secondly, Catharine, da. of Gerald Fitz James (FITZ GERALD), 15th EARL OF DESMOND [I.], by his second wife, Eleanor, da. of Edmond (BUTLER), BARON DUNBOYNE [I.]. He *d.* (seized of the manor of Castletown Roche, &c.), at his seat of Glanocher, 24 Oct. 1600. His widow m. Sir Donald O'BRIEN and was living 1615.

VII. 1600. 7. DAVID (ROCHE), VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY [I.], s. and h., probably by the first wife. He proclaimed James I as King, 13 April 1603, at Cork, the Mayor refusing to do so. He sat in the Parl. [I.], 1613, &c., and received many grants from the crown. He m. Joan, da. of James Fitz Richard (BARRY), VISCOUNT BUTTEVANT [I.], by Ellen, da. of Cormac MAC-CARTHY-REAGH. He *d.* at Castletown Roche, 22 March and was *bur.* 12 April 1635, at the Abbey, Bridgetown.

^(a) Camden says ["*Certum est*" in the orig. edit. which has been translated "*it appears*"] that the Roche family were *Parliamentary Barons* [I.], *temp.* Ed. II., when George Roche was fined 200 marks for non attendance. A list of 183 persons among whom are "*George de Rupe*," "*Adam de Rupe*," "*David de la Roche*" and "*William Fitz-Philip de la Roche*, is given, from Rymer's *Fœdera*, in Burke's "*Extinct Peerage*" (edit. 1883, p. 631), being those persons who were required 23 Feb. (1301/2) 20 Ed. I, to treat with Geoffrey de Geynville, John Wogan (Lord Justice of Ireland) and the Earl of Ulster as to assisting the King against the Scots.

^(b) See vol. i, preface p. iii, note "a," for the names of these, and see, as to the cause of such summons, &c., vol. iii, p. 86, note "a," *sub* "*Desmond*."

^(c) From their second son, William Roche, of Carrigdown, is said to have descended the family of Roche of Kinmore, co. Cork, of whom David Roche, who (apparently) was the heir *male d.* 1779, s.p., when his *sisters* took some steps to obtain the title.

VIII. 1635. 8. MAURICE (ROCHE), VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY [I.], s. and h., took his seat (by proxy) in the House of Lords [I.], 26 Oct. 1640.^(a) He was deeply involved in the troubles of 1641, being a Col. in the Munster Army and was outlawed in co. Cork, 23 Oct. 1643. He was by act of Parl. 12 Aug. 1652, excepted from pardon, and his estates, said to be worth £50,000 a year, were divided among the followers of Cromwell. He petitioned the Lords Justices [I.] in March 1660/1 stating the "very low condition" to which he "a Peer of this realm, of English extraction" and "without conviction or attainder by his Peers" was reduced. He m. about 1625 Catharine [or Ellen], da. of John Power, s. and h. ap. of Richard, Baron Power [I.] He appears to have been the "Lord Roche" who in 1687 had a pension of £100 a year and who was slain at Aughrim 12 July 1691, fighting for King James II.^(b) His widow Catharine living 1703.

IX. 1691. 9. DAVID (ROCHE), VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY [I.], s. and h., who in 1650 as "Mr. David Roch, s. and h., unto Lord Roch" appears to have "had a good party in the west of Ireland" in the Roman Catholic interest.^(c) He was an officer in the Navy. He took his seat in Parl. [I.] 1691. He d. unm. being drowned in a great storm near Plymouth in 1703. Admon. 27 July 1704, to his mother Catharine, the Dow. Viscountess.

X. 1703, 10. ULICK (ROCHE), VISCOUNT ROCHE OF FERMOY [I.], to nephew and h., being s. and h. of the Hon. John Roche, by Catharine 1733. CONDON, his wife, which John was next br. to the last Viscount. He m. Ann, widow of (—) PURCELL, da. of (—) CARR, of co. Northumberland, or (as others state) Anna Maria, da. of Charles O'HARA. He d. s.p.m.^(d) in 1733 when the title is presumed to have become extinct. Will dat. 6 Nov. 1729, pr. 16 June 1733.

John Roche, of Ballydangan, a Gen. in the King of Sardinia's army, who was at the siege of Gerona in 1746, appears to have assumed the title. He is thus (somewhat obscurely) alluded to in Smith's "History of Cork," 1750 (vol. i, p. 345), as "the present descendant of the family whose name is John was cousin german to Ulick, who assumed the title of Lord Roche, being of a collateral line."

Barony [I.] 1. EDMUND-BURKE ROCHE, of Trabolgan, co. Cork, only s. and h. of Edward R. of the same, by Margaret Honoria, only da. and h. of William CURTAIN, was b. Aug. 1815; M.P. for co. Cork, 1837-55; suc. his father, March 1855; was gazetted as an Irish Peer (*Baron Fermoy*) in 1855, but in consequence of an incompleteness in the circumstances enabling the crown to create an Irish Peer at that date^(e) obtained a fresh patent, whereby, 10 Sep. 1856, he was cr. BARON FERMOY, of co. Cork [I]. He was Lord Lieut. co. Cork, 1856-74; M.P. for Marylebone, 1855-69. He m. 22 Aug. 1848, at West Twyford, Midx., Elizabeth Caroline, 1st da. of James B. BOOTHBY, of Twyford Abbey. He d. 17 Sep. 1874, in his 70th year at Trabolgan. His widow living 1890.

^(a) It appears that Viscount Mountgarret (whose creation dated 1550) claimed precedence of him but was, with a *salvo jure*, ranked beneath him.

^(b) See vol. i, p. 311, note "b," sub "Bellew."

^(c) See a letter of the (Catholic) Archbishop of Cashel of that date quoted in Burke's "Extinct Peerage," sub "Roche." See also in Smith's "History of Cork" (1750), vol. i, p. 345, a letter to the Duke of Ormond, 14 June 1667, as to Lord Roche's necessity.

^(d) His da. and h., Anna Maria, d. 1763. He appears to have had a brother David Roche, who, according to some, survived him and became the 11th Viscount.

^(e) The three extinctions made use of (under the special clause in the Act of Union) for this creation, were (1) *Tyrconnel*; (2) *Melbourne* (to neither of which there could be any objection) and (3) *Mountrath*. Now the Earldom of Mountrath had become extinct as far back as 1802, the Barony of Castle Coote, which was held by the same person as that Earldom at the time of the Union, remaining. The extinction of this Earldom was the first of a similar nature that had occurred since the Union and was

II. 1874. 2. EDWARD FITZ-EDMUND BURKE (ROCHE), BARON Fermoy [I.], 1st s. and h., b. 23 May 1850. He m. 28 May 1877, Cecilia, da. and sole h. of Standish (O'GRADY), 3d VISCOUNT GUILLAMORE [I.], by Ada, da. of Arthur BLENNERHASSETT. She was b. 24 June 1855.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 15,543 acres, co. Cork and 774, co. Waterford, worth (together) £7,001 a year, besides 4,997 acres, co. Limerick (the property of Lady Fermoy) worth £4,070 a year. Total 21,314 acres, worth £11,071 a year. *Principal Residences.* Trabolgan, near Cloyne, co. Cork, and Rochbarton, near Kilmallock, co. Limerick.

FERN HILL.

See "METCALFE OF FERN HILL, co. Berks "Barony (*Metcalfe*) cr. 1845; cr. 1846.

FERNs.

i.e., "POLLINGTON OF FERNs, in Ireland," Viscounty [I.] (*Savile*), cr. 1766, with the EARLDOM OF MEXBOROUGH [I.], which see.

FERRARD OF BEAULIEU.

Barony [I.] SIR HENRY TICHBORNE, Bart., of Beaulieu, co. Louth, I. 1715 s. and h. of Sir William T. of the same, by Judith, da. and coheir of John BYSSE, Ld. Ch. Baron of the Exchequer [I.], was b. 1663; *suc.* to his father, 12 March 1693; was cr. a Baronet, 12 July 1697, and subsequently, was cr. 9 Oct. 1715, BARON FERRARD OF BEAULIEU, co. Louth [I.]. He m. in 1683, Arabella, da. of Sir Robert COTTON, 1st Bart., of Combermere, by Hester, da. of Sir Thomas SALISBURY, Bart. He d., s.p.m.s., of apoplexy, 3 Nov. 1731, when *all his honours* became extinct.

FERRARD.

Viscounty [I.] I. MARGARETTA AMELIA, *suo jure* BARONESS ORIEL OF I. 1797. COLLON [I.] was, on 22 Nov. 1797, cr. VISCOUNTESS FERRARD, co. Louth [I.]. She was 1st da. of Thomas BURGH, of Bert, co. Kildare, by Anne, da. of the Rt. Rev. Dives DOWNES, Bishop of Cork and Ross. She m. 14 Dec. 1764, John FOSTER who (1785-1800) was Speaker [the last person who held that office] of the Irish House of Commons. In consequence of her husband's political services she was, 5 June 1790, cr. BARONESS ORIEL OF COLLON, co. Louth [I.] and was, seven years later, cr. a Viscountess as abovestated, with rem. in each case of the dignity to the heirs male of her body. She d. 20 Jan. 1824. Her husband, the Rt. Hon. John Foster, was cr. 17 July 1821, BARON ORIEL OF FERRARD, co. Louth. [See that dignity] and d. 16 Aug. 1828, aged 88.

evidently made use of here, as the forerunner for the introduction of a similar use to be made of the many subsequent ones, *e.g.* Clermont in 1806; Oxmantown in 1807, Cremorne in 1813, Glandore in 1815, &c., &c. The matter was brought before the House of Lords, 24 July 1855, Lord Fermoy's claim to vote at the election of Irish Rep. Peers was refused, a majority of judges (8 out of 10) deciding, 19 May 1856, that the extinction of the Earldom of Mountrath was not "an extinction of a Peerage of Ireland according to the true construction of the Act of Union." The extinction (12 Feb. 1855) of the Viscounty of O'Neill was accordingly substituted for that of Mountrath and another patent, founded thereon, was issued 10 Sep. 1856, for the creation of the Barony of Fermoy. See an article (by "G.E.C.") on the Peerage of Ireland in "*the Genealogist*" (new series) vol. v, pp. 1-17, &c., where the matter is more fully discussed.

II. 1824. 2. THOMAS HENRY (SKEFFINGTON), VISCOUNT FERRARD [I., 1797] and BARON ORIEL OF COLLON [I., 1790], only surv. s. and h. He was (under the surname of *Foster*) M.P. for Dunleer, 1797-1800; for Drogheda, 1807-12; and (under the surname of *Skeffington*, which he took by Royal lic. 8 Jan. 1817); for co. Louth, 1821-26, having in 1824 (as above stated) *suc.* his mother in the Irish Peerage. In 1828 he *suc.* his father as BARON ORIEL OF FERRARD [U.K., 1821.] P.C. [I.] He *m.* 20 Nov. 1810, Harriet, only da. and h. of Chichester (SKEFFINGTON), 4th EARL OF MASSEREENE [I.], by Harriet, da. of Robert (JOCELYN), 1st EARL OF RODEN [I.] She, who on the death of her father, 25 Feb. 1816, became *suo jure* VISCOUNTESS MASSEREENE and BARONESS OF LOUGHNEA [I.] *d.* 2 Jan. 1831. See that dignity *cr.* 1660. Viscount Ferrard *d.* 18 Jan. 1841, at Farnham, co. Cavan.

III. 1841. 3. JOHN (SKEFFINGTON), VISCOUNT MASSEREENE [1660], VISCOUNT FERRARD [1797], BARON OF LOUGHNEA [1660], and BARON ORIEL OF COLLON [1790] in Ireland, also BARON ORIEL OF FERRARD [1821] in the United Kingdom, s. and h., *b.* 30 Nov. 1812. He, having *suc.* his mother as VISCOUNT MASSEREENE and BARON OF LOUGHNEA [I.] in 1831, *suc.* his father in 1841 as Viscount Ferrard, &c. [I.], and as Baron Oriel of Ferrard [U.K.] See "Massereene" Viscounty [I.], *cr.* 1660.

See "ORIEL OF FERRARD, co. Louth" Barony (*Foster*), *cr.* 1821.

FERRERS, DE FERRERS, DE FERRARS or DE FERRARIIS.

"The Earls of Derby of the family of Ferrers were not unfrequently styled Earls de Ferrers, as has been before remarked under Derby; they were also called Earls of Tutbury, from the Castle of Tutbury, one of the possessions of Henry de Ferrers, mentioned in Domesday. Thomas (Plantagenet), Earl of Lancaster, who was possessed of the Castle of Tutbury (granted to his father by the Crown), styled himself, upon his seal, Earl of Lancaster, Leicester, and Ferrers; no such Earldom [*of Ferrers*] however existed until 1711." [Courthope.]

Barony by Writ. 1. JOHN DE FERRERS, of Chartley Castle, co. Stafford,^(a) only s. and h. of Robert, EARL OF DERBY, or EARL DE FERRERS (which Earldom he forfeited in 1266) was after the death of his father in I. 1299. 1279 permitted to inherit some of the family estates tho' he was not (according to his petition to the Pope in 1296), restored entirely thereto. He served in the Scotch wars and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FERRERS] from 6 Feb. (1298/9), 27 Ed. I., to 19 Dec. (1311), 5 Ed. II., by writ directed *Johi de Ferrariis*.^(b) He *m.* in 1302 Hawyse, da. and h. of Robert DE MUSCEGROS, of Charlton, co. Somerset. He *d.* (1324-25), 18 Ed. II.

II. 1325. 2. ROBERT (DE FERRERS), LORD FERRERS, s. and h., aged 15 at the death of his father. He was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron, but was sum. to a council, 25 Feb. (1341/2), 16 Ed. III. He served in the wars in Scotland and France and was present at the battle of Crecy in 1346. He is said to have *m.* Agnes, da. of Humphrey (DE BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD. He *d.* (1350), 24 Ed. III.

^(a) The estate of Chartley was the inheritance of his great grandmother, Agnes, Countess of Derby, one of the sisters and coheirs of Randolph (de Blondville), Earl of Chester.

^(b) It is to be remarked that this Barony is frequently spoken of as "*Ferrers de Chartley*," but no such designation is appended to any of the writs. Banks in his "*Bar. Angl.*" queries the precedence of this Barony prior to the writ of 1 Ed. IV. to "*Walter Devereux de Ferrers*," inasmuch as there is no proof of the sitting of the Baron sum. by Ed. I. and none of his descendants were sum. till the said Walter. The precedence, however, of 1299 was both in 1677 and 1774 allowed to it.

III. 1350. 3. JOHN (DE FERRERS), LORD FERRERS, s. and h., aged 21 at the death of his father. He served in the wars in Gascony but was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron. He *m.* Elizabeth, widow of Fulke, LORD STRANGE DE BLACKMERE, da. of Ralph (STAFFORD), 1st EARL OF STAFFORD, by Margaret, da. and h. of Hugh (AUDLEY), LORD AUDLEY. He *d.* beyond the seas 2 April 1367.

IV. 1367. 4. ROBERT (DE FERRERS), LORD FERRERS, s. and h., aged seven at the death of his father. He also was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron. He *m.* Margaret, da. of Edward (LE DESPENCER), LORD LE DESPENCER, by Elizabeth, *suo jure* BARONESS BURGHESH. He *d.* 1413. His widow *d.* 1415 and was *bur.* at Merevale Abbey, co. Warwick.

V. 1413. 5. EDMUND (FERRERS), LORD FERRERS, s. and h., aged 24 at the death of his father. He also was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron, but attended King Henry V, in his wars with France. He *m.* Eleanor, da. and coheir of Thomas DE LA ROCHE, of Castle Bromwich, co. Warwick, by Elizabeth, da. of Thomas DE BIRMINGHAM. He *d.* Dec. 1435. His widow *m.* Philip CHETWYND, of Ingestre, co. Stafford, and *d.* 1439-40.

VI. 1435. 6. WILLIAM (FERRERS), LORD FERRERS, s. and h., aged 23 at the death of his father. He also was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Sir Hamon BELKNAP. He *d. s.p.m.*, 9 June 1450.^(a) His widow *d.* 28 May 1470,

VII. 1450. 7. ANNE, *suo jure* (apparently), BARONESS FERRERS, only da. and h., aged 11 years and 8 months at her father's death and then *m.* to Walter DEVEREUX, of Bodenham and Whitchurch, co. Hereford, s. and h. of Sir Walter D. of the same, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir John MERBURY. He had livery of his wife's lands in 1453, was Sheriff of co. Hereford (being then knighted) in 1456 and was *jure uxoris* sum. to Parl.^(b) as a Baron [LORD FERRERS] from 26 July (1461) 1 Ed. IV to 9 Dec. (1483), 1 Ric. III by writs directed "*Waltero Devereux de Ferrers, Chl'r*" or "*Waltero Devereux, Domino de Ferrers.*" **K.G.**, 1470. He was slain, fighting for King Richard III,^(c) 22 Aug. 1485, at the battle of Bosworth field.

VIII. 1485. 8. JOHN (DEVEREUX), LORD FERRERS, s. and h., aged 7 years in 1470. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron from 1 Sep. (1487) 3 Hen. VII to 16 Jan. (1496/7) 12 Hen. VII. He *m.* Cicely, sister of Henry, EARL OF ESSEX, da. of William BOURCHIER, styled VISCOUNT BOURCHIER, by Anne (sister to Elizabeth, Queen Consort to Ed. IV) da. of Richard (WIDVILLE) EARL RIVERS. He *d.* 1501.

IX. 1501. 9. WALTER (DEVEREUX), LORD FERRERS, s. and h., aged 10 at the death of his father. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron from 17 Oct. (1509) 1 Hen. VIII to 24 Nov. (1548) 2 Ed. VI. **K.G.**, 13 July 1523. He was *cr.* 2 Feb. 1549/50, VISCOUNT HEREFORD. He *d.* 27 Feb. 1558. See fuller particulars under "Hereford" Viscounty, *cr.* 1550.

^(a) Edmund Ferrers, his only br. and heir *male*, inherited the principal part of the estates according to an entail. He apparently *d. s.p.*

^(b) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

^(c) He was one of the 45 Peers present at the coronation of Ric. III., 6 July 1483. See a list of these p. 8, note "b," *sub* "Dacre de Gillesland."

- X. 1558. 10. WALTER (DEVEREUX), VISCOUNT HEREFORD and LORD FERRERS, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Sir Richard DEVEREUX (who *d. v.p.* 1547) s. and h. ap. of the last Lord. By the death of his cousin, 28 Jan. 1570/1, he *suc.* as LORD BOURCHIER, a Barony *cr.* by writ 1342. He was *cr.* 4 May 1572, EARL OF ESSEX. He *d.* 22 Sep. 1576.
- XI. 1576, 11. ROBERT (DEVEREUX), EARL OF ESSEX, VIS-
to
1601. COUNT HEREFORD, LORD FERRERS, and LORD BOURCHIER, s. and h. He, who was the celebrated favourite of Queen Elizabeth, was *beheaded and attainted* 25 Feb. 1600/1.
- XII, 1604, 12. ROBERT DEVEREUX, only s. and h., who
to
1646. being (with his sisters) restored in blood and honours, 28 April 1604, became EARL OF ESSEX, VISCOUNT HEREFORD, LORD FERRERS, and LORD BOURCHIER. He *d. s.p.* 14 Sep. 1646, when the *Earldom of Essex* became *extinct*, the Viscounty of Hereford devolving on his cousin and heir male, while the *Barony of Ferrers* [1299] and the *Barony of Bouchier* [1342] fell into *abeyance*.^(a)
- XIII. 1677. 13 and 1. SIR ROBERT SHIRLEY,^(b) 7th Bart. [1611],
Earldom.
I. 1711. of Staunton Harold, co. Leicester, and of Chartley Castle afsd., 3d and yst. s. of Sir Robert Shirley, 4th Bart., by Dorothy, sister of Robert, and 2d and yst. da. of Robert (DEVEREUX), EARLS OF ESSEX, VISCOUNTS HEREFORD, LORDS FERRERS, and LORDS BOURCHIER next abovenamed; was *b.* at East Sheen and *bap.* at Mortlake, Surrey, 20 Oct. 1650; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 3 May 1667, being *cr.* M.A. 15 July 1669. He was M.P. for Lichfield in 1677, but having, some nine years previously, *suc.* his nephew Sir Robert Shirley, the 6th Bart., 11 March 1668/9, he became thereupon heir gen. to his parents, and consequently (in right of his mother) a coheir (i.e., heir to a moiety) of the Barony of Ferrers^(c) and by favour of the King^(d)

For fuller particulars see "Essex" Earldom
cr. 1572; *ex.* 1646.

^(a) The coheirs were (1) his sister Frances, who *m.* William (Seymour), Duke of Somerset, and *d.* 23 Nov. 1679, whose representative (thro' the families of Seymour, Bruce, Brydges, and Grenville), was the Duke of Buckingham and Chandos, who *d. s.p.m.* 26 March 1889, leaving daughters and coheirs (2) Sir Robert Shirley, Bart., 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. of Sir Henry Shirley, Bart., by Dorothy, yr. sister of the above Frances, which Dorothy *d.* 30 March 1636. The son of this Robert, *viz.*, another Sir Robert Shirley, Bart., who eventually (11 March 1668/9), became heir to his father and who consequently represented a moiety of the Barony of Ferrers was *sum.* to Parl. in that Barony 14 Dec. 1677.

The abeyance of the Barony of Bouchier has never been terminated tho' it was (wrongly) attributed in 1784 to George (Townshend), Lord de Ferrers. See vol. i, p. 395, note "b," *sub* "Bouchier."

^(b) The account of the family of Shirley here given is from the "*Stemmata Shirleiana*," by Evelyn Philip Shirley, of Ettington, co. Warwick. Of this excellent work a second edit. was pub. in 1873. The accomplished author *d.* 20 Sep. 1882, aged 70.

^(c) See note "a," next above, as to the coheirship to the Barony.

^(d) Courthope, in his (admirable) *Observations on Dignities*, states that the termination of the abeyance of the Barony of Windsor in 1660 may be considered as the earliest *practise* (the *principle* having been already recognised) of such terminations in a way analogous to the present mode. In it the King by *patent* (having stated the coheirs of the Lord Windsor as also that the "*titulus dignitatis et Baronie predicta penes nos sunt*" to be disposed of to such one of the coheirs as he thought fit), constitutes Thomas Hickman and his heirs to be Lords Windsor. "In the case of the Barony of Ferrers of Chartley, twelve years after, the declaratory *patent* was *despensed* with and Robert, Lord Ferrers, took his seat *under the King's writ only*. Since that time so numerous are the instances of like nature that this exercise of the Prerogative has

the abeyance thereof was terminated in his favour and he received a writ of summons, as LORD FERRERS, 14 Dec. 1677, and was placed in the precedency of a creation of 1299, viz., as 6th Baron, next below Lord Morley. He was Master of the Horse to the Queen Consort, 1684, to whose household (as Dowager) he was, in 1685, Steward; P.C. to James II., Will. III., and Anne; Cupbearer at the coronation of James II. (23 April 1685), and of Queen Anne (23 April 1702); Col. of the "Princess Anne's" Reg. of Foot, 1685-86; Lord Lieut. co. Stafford, 1687; was one of the nobility in arms, in 1688, for the Prince of Orange.^(a) Being one of the "Lords of the Council" to Queen Anne he was by her *cr.* 3 Sep. 1711, VISCOUNT TAMWORTH, of co. Stafford, and EARL FERRERS.^(b) He *m.* firstly (he being 20 and she 15) 28 Dec. 1671, Elizabeth, only da. and h. of Lawrence WASHINGTON, of Garesden, Wilts, by Eleanor, da. of William GUISE, of Elmore, co. Gloucester. She *d.* 2 Oct. 1693, and was *bur.* 3d at Staunton Harold, aged 37. He *m.* secondly, Aug. 1699, Selina, da. of George FINCH, of London, merchant, and Mary, his wife. He *d.* at Bath 25 Dec. 1717, aged 67, and was *bur.* 13 Jan. 1718, at Staunton Harold.^(c) Mon. at Lower Ettington, co. Warwick, it having been refused admission at Staunton Harold.^(d) Will *pr.* Jan. 1718. On his death the two titles of "*Ferrers*" separated, the *Earldom* going to his surv. son and heir *male* (see "*Ferrers*" *Earldom*, *cr.* 1711) and the *Barony* to his heir *general*^(e) as under. His widow, who was *bap.* 7 April 1681, at St. Helens, Bishopsgate, London, *d.* at Twickenham, Midx., 20 March 1762, in her 80th year and was *bur.* there the 25th. M.I. Will *pr.* 1762.

Barony by

Writ.

XIV. 1717
to
1741.

14. ELIZABETH, *suo jure* BARONESS DE FERRERS, only da. and h. of the Hon. Robert SHIRLEY, by Anne, da. and h. of Sir Humphrey FERRERS of Tamworth Castle, co. Warwick, which Robert was 1st s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, but *d. v.p.* 25 Feb. 1698, aged 25, before his father's elevation to an *Earldom*. She was *b.* 19 Aug. 1694, at Staunton Harold, and, on the death of her brother Robert Shirley, *styled* Viscount Tamworth, 5 July 1714, inherited Tamworth Castle and other the estates^(f) of her maternal ancestor. She *m.* 3 March 1715/6, at St. Anne's Soho, Midx., James (COMPTON), LORD, COMPTON (so *sum.* by writ 28 Dec. 1711) who, 13 April 1727, *suc.* his father as EARL

become as much a part of the constitution of the Peerage as the descendible nature of the Peerages themselves." [*Courthope*, p. xxxiv.] See also *Coll. Top. et Gen.*, vol. ii, p. 11, in Dugdale's MSS. additions to his Baronage, as to this writ of 1677.

(a) See a list of these vol. i, p. 28, note "b," *sub* "Abingdon," where a spec. notice is given of this Lord Ferrers.

(b) Earl Ferrers, *not* Earl of Ferrers. See vol. ii, p. 102 as to *Earldoms* so constituted. It had been conjectured that he would have been made EARL OF TAMWORTH and Lord Chamberlain, by William III. With respect to the title of Tamworth, see p. 336, note "b."

(c) Macky in his "Characters" thus describes him "Is a very honest man; a lover of his country; a great improver of gardening and parking; a keen sportsman; never was yet in business, but is very capable; a tall fair man towards 60 years old." His signature as "*R. Ferrers*" is given in Doyle's "Official Baronage" and in the "*Stem. Shirleiana*" (p. 172) where it is remarked that he "is said to have been the last English Peer, who signed with the initial of his christian name before that of his title, a custom nearly universal in the Elizabethan age; he sometimes however signed only *Ferrers*." He had no less than 27 children, viz. 15 sons and 12 daughters of whom 17 were by his first wife and 10 by his second.

(d) The inscription, which states that by writ, 14 Dec. 1677, he was *sum.* as Baron Ferrers of *Chartley*," states also that he was "by the same right Baron Bourchier and Baron Louvain," which, undoubtedly, he was not. See, also, p. 335, note "c."

(e) It should be observed how inexpedient it is to confer a title of *similar* name, but with *different limitation* on a person who is already a Peer by the same designation; thus on the death of this Peer his heir *general* was entitled to the *Barony of Ferrers*, while his heir *male* inherited the *Earldom of Ferrers*.

(f) These estates situated at Tamworth and Walton on Trent were in 1688, valued at about £2,000 a year.

OF NORTHAMPTON. She *d.* 13 and was bur. 21 March 1740/1, at Compton, co. Warwick, aged^(a) 46. On the death of the Countess the *Barony of Ferrers* fell into

(a) PEDIGREE SHEWING HOW THE SENIOR LINE, THE LORDS FERRERS OF CHARTLEY BECAME UNITED WITH THE JUNIOR LINE OF FERRERS AND CONSEQUENTLY BECAME POSSESSED OF TAMWORTH CASTLE.

William (Ferrers), Earl of Derby, *d.* 1254. — Lady, Margaret de Quincy, heiress of Groby.

Robert, Earl of Derby, *deprived* 1266.

William Ferrers of Groby, *d.* 1288.

John Ferrers of Chartley, s. and h. sum. as Lord Ferrers, 1299.

William Ferrers, s. and h., sum. as Lord Ferrers de Groby, 1300.

Robert, Lord Ferrers, 1325-50.

Henry, Lord Ferrers de Groby, 1325-43.

John, Lord Ferrers, 1350-67.

William, Lord Ferrers de Groby, 1343-72.

Robert, Lord Ferrers, 1367-1414.

Henry, Lord Ferrers de Groby, 1372-88.

Edmund, Lord Ferrers, 1414-35.

William, Lord Ferrers de Groby, 1388-1445.

William, Lord Ferrers, 1435-50.

Ann da. and h., m. Walter Devereux, Lord Ferrers, 1461-85.

Henry Ferrers, 1st s. and h. ap., *d.* v.p. — Sir Thomas Ferrers, 2d s. and heir male, *d.* 1459 — Elizabeth Ferrville, heiress of Tamworth.

John (Devereux) Lord Ferrers, 1485-1501.

Elizabeth, da. and h., m. Edward Grey, Lord Ferrers de Groby, 1446-57. — Sir Thomas Ferrers of Tamworth, s. and h., *d.* 1499. — Sir Henry Ferrers, whose issue male still (1890) continues at Baddesley Clinton, co. Warwick.

Walter (Devereux) Lord Ferrers, cr. Viscount Hereford, 1550; *d.* 1558.

Sir Richard Devereux *d.* v.p.

Walter (Devereux) Viscount Hereford, &c., cr. Earl of Essex, 1572; *d.* 1576.

John Ferrers *d.* v.p.

Robert (Devereux), Earl of Essex, &c., *d.* 1601.

Sir John Ferrers of Tamworth, *d.* 1515.

Sir Humphrey Ferrers of Tamworth, *d.* 1553.

Robert (Devereux) Earl of Essex, &c., *d.* s.p. 1646.

Frances (coheir, m. William (Seymour) Duke Somerset.

Dorothy m. Sir Henry Shirley, Bart.

John Ferrers of Tamworth.

Sir Humphrey Ferrers of Tamworth, *d.* 1607.

Sir John Ferrers of Tamworth.

Sir Robert Shirley, Bart, a coheir to the Barony of Ferrers in 1646; *d.* 1656.

Sir Humphrey Ferrers of Tamworth, *d.* 1633.

Sir Robert Shirley, Bart., sum. as Lord de Ferrers in 1677; cr. Earl Ferrers* in 1711; *d.* 1717.

John Ferrers of Tamworth, *d.* 1680.

Sir Humphrey Ferrers, *d.* v.p., 1678.

Robert Shirley, 1st s. and h. ap., — Anne Ferrers, heiress of Tamworth Castle, &c. *d.* v.p., 1693. A

* His yr. s. and heir male, (tho' not his heir general) succeeded to the *Earldom of Ferrers* [1711], but not to the representation of the ancient *Barony of Ferrers cr.* 1299.

abeyance among her surv. daughters and coheirs^(a). The Earl, her husband *d. s.p.m.*, 3 Oct. 1754, aged 67. See fuller particulars of him under "Northampton," Earldom, *cr.* 1618, *sub* the 5th Earl.

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XV. 1749. 15. CHARLOTTE, *suo jure* BARONESS DE FERRERS, 3d da. (by the death of her sister) became 8 May 1749, sole^(a) heir to her mother, and consequently entitled to that Barony. By the death of her father, 3 Oct. 1754, she became *suo jure* BARONESS COMPTON. She *m.* Dec. 1751 (as his first wife) the Hon. George TOWNSHEND, who, on 12 March 1764, *suc.* his father as 4th VISCOUNT TOWNSHEND OF RAYNHAM and who on 31 Oct. 1787, was *cr.* MARQUESS TOWNSHEND OF RAYNHAM and who *d.* 14 Sep. 1807, aged 83. Viscountess Townshend (the *suo jure* Baroness de Ferrers and Compton) *d.* 14 Sep. 1770, at Leixlip Castle, co. Kildare (her husband being, at that time, LORD LIEUT. OF IRELAND) and was *bur.* 1 Oct. following at Raynham, co. Norfolk.

See fuller particulars under "Townshend" Marquessate, *cr.* 1787.

XVI. 1770. 16. GEORGE (TOWNSHEND), LORD DE FERRERS and LORD COMPTON, s. and h., *b.* 18 April 1755. He, having *suc.* his mother in these Baronies was *sum.* as *Lord Ferrers*, to the House of Lords by writ dat. 25 April 1774, directed "*George Townshend de Ferrers*," and took his seat accordingly on the 28th, next below the Lord Audley and next above the Lord Daere.^(b) He was, ten years later, *cr.* 18 May 1784, EARL OF LEICESTER,^(c) and, on 14 Sep. 1807, *suc.* his father as MARQUESS TOWNSHEND OF RAYNHAM. He *d.* 27 July 1811, aged 56.

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Elizabeth, *suo jure* Baroness de Ferrers, 1717-41, *m.* James (Compton) Earl of Northampton, and *d.* 1741. The Earl *d.* 1754.

Charlotte, *suo jure* Baroness de Ferrers, 1749-70, *m.* George (Townshend) Viscount Townshend, and afterwards (1784) Marquess Townshend. She *d.* 1770.

George (Townshend) Lord de Ferrers, 1770—1811; *cr.* Earl of Leicester 1784, *suc.* as Marquess Townshend, 1807. He *d.* 1811.

George (Townshend) Marquess Townshend, &c., 1811-55. He <i>d.</i> unm. 1855, when the <i>Barony of Ferrers</i> fell into abeyance between his sisters or their issue.	Harriet Ann, <i>m.</i> 1813, Elizabeth Margaret <i>m.</i> 1815, Edward Ferrers, of Baddesley Clinton, co. Warwick, the <i>heir male</i> of the ancient family of Ferrers. Joseph Moore, Boulton.
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(a) The three coheirs were (1) Lady Jane Compton, who *d.* unm. 8 May 1749; (2) Lady Anne Compton who *d.* unm. 1746 and (3) Lady Charlotte Compton the survivor who in 1749 inherited the Barony.

(b) "The Lord Chancellor explained to the house his Lordship's descent from, as heir to, Sir Robert Shirley, Baron de Ferrers, who [*sic*, but should be, whose grandfather] married Dorothy, the youngest da. and one of the coheirs of Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex." See *Lords' Journals*. This explanation was satisfactory to their Lordships tho' even had it been correct, it appears only to refer to the Earldom of Essex (which was not in question) as the Chancellor seems not to have alluded to the fact that the said Earl of Essex was *also* Lord de Ferrers *in fee*, the only sort of tenure that applied to his heirs general.

(c) He was styled in that patent "Baron de Ferrers of Chartley, Baron Bouchier, Lovaine, Basset, and Compton," as to which designations of *Bouchier, Lovaine*, and *Basset*, see vol. 1, p. 257, note "f" (*circa finem*), *sub* "*Basset de Drayton*," as also (*ante*), p. 333, note "d," and as to the style of "*Ferrers de Chartley*," see p. 330, note "b."

XVII. 1811, 17. GEORGE FERRARS (TOWNSHEND), MAR-
 to QUESS TOWNSHEND OF RAYNHAM [1787], EARL OF
 1855. LEICESTER [1784], VISCOUNT TOWNSHEND OF RAYNHAM
 [1682], LORD DE FERRERS [1299], LORD COMPTON
 [1572], and BARON TOWNSHEND OF LYNN REGIS
 [1661], s. and h., b. 13 Dec. 1788. He d. s.p. 31 Dec. 1855, when the
Earldom of Leicester became extinct, the three peerages of Townshend
 devolved on his cousin and h. male, while the *Barony of De Ferrers* and
 the *Barony of Compton* (Baronies in fee) fell into abeyance.^(a)

See fuller particulars
 under "Townshend"
 Marquessate, cr. 1787.

Earldom. 1. ROBERT (SHIRLEY), LORD FERRERS [1299], in whose
 I. 1711. favour the abeyance of that Barony was terminated, by writ, 14 Dec.
 1677, was cr. 3 Sep. 1711, VISCOUNT TAMWORTH.^(b) of co:
 Stafford and EARL FERRERS. He d. 25 Dec. 1717, aged 67, when
 the two titles of "Ferrers" separated,^(c) the *Barony* (a Barony in fee) going to his
 granddaughter and heir general, while the *Earldom* devolved on his second son, the
 heir male, as under. For fuller particulars of him see "Ferrers" Barony, cr. 1299,
 under the 13th holder thereof.

[ROBERT SHIRLEY, styled, after 1711, VISCOUNT TAMWORTH,^(d) grand-
 son and h. ap., being 1st and only surv. s. and h. of the Hon. Robert Shirley, by
 Anne, da. and sole h. of Sir Humphrey FERRERS, of Tamworth Castle, co. Stafford,
 which Robert last named was 1st s. and h. ap. (by his first wife) of the last Lord, but
 d. v.p. 25 Feb. 1698 (before his father's elevation to the Earldom) aged 25. He was
 b. 28 Dec. 1692, at Staunton Harold, and bap. there 9 Jan. 1692/3; was M.P. for
 Leicestershire, 1713-14, but d. of the small pox (before his grandfather) unm.^(e) 5
 and was bur. 21 July 1714, at Staunton Harold, co. Leicester. M.I.^(f) Will pr.
 July 1714.]

II. 1717. 2. WASHINGTON (SHIRLEY), EARL FERRERS and VIS-
 COUNT TAMWORTH, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. male (tho' not h. general)
 of the 1st Earl, by his 1st wife, Elizabeth, da. and h. of Laurence WASHINGTON, of
 Garesden, Wilts. He was b. 22 June 1677, at Staunton afsd.; matric. at Oxford
 (Trin. Coll.), 2 Nov. 1693; Ensign in the Coldstream Guards, 1704; was M.P. for
 Fore [I.], 1713-15; was styled VISCOUNT TAMWORTH, 1714-17. He, on his father's death

^(a) The coheirs to these Baronies were (1) his nephew, Marmion Edward Ferrers,
 of Baddesley Clinton, co. Warwick, s. and h. of Edward F. of the same by Harriet,
 Anne (who d. 1 June 1845), sister of the deceased (2) Elizabeth Margaret, yst. sister
 of the deceased who had m. 5 Aug. 1815, Joseph Moore Boulton, of Springfield
 Park, co. Warwick, and who d. 24 May 1860, leaving issue.

^(b) It is to be observed that the Tamworth estates (as to which, see p. 333, note
 "f;") never belonged to him or to any (future) Viscount Tamworth. They were the
 inheritance of the wife of his eldest son and h. ap. and passed to their issue, being
 inherited by their da. and h. Elizabeth, suo jure Baroness de Ferrers and by her
 issue the succeeding Lords de Ferrers of the family of Townshend, &c.

^(c) See (ante) p. 333, note "e."

^(d) This appears to have been but the second occasion when a courtesy title of
 peerage was used by the grandson and heir ap. of a Duke, Marquess or Earl. The
 previous one was that of the Marquessate of Tavistock, used (1694-1700), by the
 grandson and h. ap. of the Duke of Bedford. See *Life of Lord Eldon*, vol. ii, p. 236.

^(e) His death is the subject of a funeral poem by Elkanah Settle, called "*Honori
 sacellum.*"

^(f) The Tamworth estates which he had inherited from his mother (March 1697)
 devolved at his death on his sister and heir Elizabeth, afterwards (1717) suo jure
 Baroness de Ferrers. See that dignity as also note "b." next above.

inherited but "a moderate share of the paternal inheritance;"^(a) Lord Lieut. co. Stafford, 1725-29. He *m.* about 1704, Mary, da. of Sir Richard LEVINGE, 1st Bart. [I.], sometime (1720-24) Lord Ch. Justice of the Common Pleas [I.], by his first wife, Mary, da. and coheir of Sir Gawen CORBYN. He *d.* s.p.m. in Clarges street, Midx., 14 April and was *bur.* 3 May 1729, at Staunton.^(b) Will pr. 1729.^(c) His widow *d.* in France, Jan. 1740. Will pr. 1741.

III. 1729. 3. HENRY (SHIRLEY), EARL FERRERS, &c., next surv. br. and h. male, being 9th s. of the 1st Earl by his first wife. He was *b.* 14 Nov. 1691; was Lord Lieut. of Staffordshire, 1731-42. He was, however, found to be of unsound mind. He *d.* unm. at Kensington Gore, Midx., 6 Aug. 1745 and was *bur.* at Staunton Harold. Admon. 21 Aug. 1745.

IV. 1747. 4. LAWRENCE (SHIRLEY), EARL FERRERS, &c., nephew and h. male, being s. and h. of the Hon. Lawrence SHIRLEY, by Anne, da. of Sir Walter CLARGES, Bart., which Laurence last named was 10th s. of the 1st Earl (being his yst. s. by his first wife, Elizabeth, da. and h. of Laurence WASHINGTON, of Garesden, Wilts), and *d.* 27 April 1743, aged 49: He was *b.* 18 Aug. 1720, and matric. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 28 April 1737. He took his seat in the House of Lords, 1754. He *m.* 16 Sep. 1752, Mary, sister of Sir William MEREDYTH, 3d Bart. [S.], da. of Amos Meredyth, by Joanna, da. of Thomas CHOLMONDELEY. She, however, obtained, 20 June 1758, an act of Parl. for her separation^(d) from him "for the cruelty of the said Earl." He, being "of an ungovernable temper, at times almost amounting to insanity," murdered, by a pistol shot, his land steward (an old man named Johnson) at Staunton Harold in Jan. 1760; was tried by his Peers 16 and 17 April following, found guilty on the 18th and was accordingly *hung* on Tyburn gallows 5 May 1760. He *d.* s.p. in his 40th year. He was *bur.* at St. Pancras, Midx., but removed thence, 3 June 1782, to Staunton Harold. His widow *m.* 28 March 1769, at St. Martin's in the fields, Lord Frederick CAMPBELL, who *d.* 8 June 1816, aged 87. She *d.* 26 July 1807, being accidentally burnt to death while reading in bed at Coombebank in Kent.

V. 1760. 5. WASHINGTON (SHIRLEY), EARL FERRERS, &c., br. and h., *b.* 26 May 1722; took his seat in the House of Lords, 19 May 1760. Having entered the Navy about 1738, he became Post Capt., 1746, Rear Admiral of the White, 1775, and finally Vice Admiral of the White, 1778; F.R.S., 1761, &c. The King by pat. 6 Dec. 1763, confirmed by act of Parl. 1771, regranted to him such estates as had been forfeited by the late Earl.^(e) He *m.* Anne, da. of

^(a) The 1st Earl divided the Irish estates between his 4 sons of the second marriage, to the eldest of whom he left (after his mother's death) the estate of Ettington, co. Warwick, while to Laurence Shirley, his yst. s. by his first marriage, he left Garesden and the Wiltshire property, derived from the family of Washington.

^(b) It is said of him by Macky, in his *Tour thro' England*, in 1723, that "He keeps as hospitable an house and entertains as nobly as any Peer of the realm. His Lordship has experienced both fortunes, and was no more depressed with adversity than he is elevated with prosperity."

^(c) His three daughters and coheirs were (1) Lady Elizabeth Nightingale, who *d.* 17 Aug. 1734, aged 27 and was (*bur.* with her husband) in Westm. Abbey, where her monument, by Roubiliac, is well-known; (2) Selina (the celebrated) Countess of Huntingdon, who *d.* 17 June 1791, aged 84, and (3) Mary, Viscountess Kilmorey [I.], who *d.* 12 Aug. 1784.

^(d) This was not a divorce. In her re-marriage she is styled "Countess Dow. Ferrers," which style however (owing probably to the unenviable notoriety of her 1st husband) she did not retain after her second marriage.

^(e) "The ancient family estates at Astwell, in Northamptonshire, Brailesford, in Derbyshire, and the parks and other property at Shirley in the same county" were sold by him (private acts 1766, 1768, and 1775, for sale of the Derbyshire property) partly on account of the "very questionable improvements" he effected at Staunton Harold where he destroyed "the fine old formal gardens" with "the fountains and canals" and "almost entirely re-built in the Palladian style" the old family residence. See "*Stem. Shirleiana.*"

John ELLIOT, of Plymouth. He *d.* s.p. at Chartley manor place^(a) and was *bur.* 11 Oct. 1778, at Staunton, aged 56. Will pr. Dec. 1779. His widow *d.* at Hampton Court, Midx., 26 March 1791, aged 68, and was *bur.* at Staunton afsd. Will pr. April 1791.

VI. 1778. 6. ROBERT (SHIRLEY), EARL FERRERS, &c, br. and h., *b.* 18 and *bap.* 20 July 1723, at St. James, Westm. He *m.* 26 Dec. 1754, at All Saints, Derby, Catherine, da. of Rowland CORTON, of Etwall, co. Derby, by Mary, da. and coher of Sir Samuel SLEIGH, of Etwall afsd. She *d.* at Staunton 26 March 1786, and was *bur.* at Bredon, co. Leicester. He *d.* in Upper Seymour street, Midx., 17 April 1787, aged 64, and was *bur.* at Bredon afsd. Will pr. June 1787.

VII. 1787. 7. ROBERT (SHIRLEY), EARL FERRERS, &c., s. and h., *bap.* 25 Sep. 1756, at Burton, co. Derby; *styled* VISCOUNT TAMWORTH since 1778. He *m.* firstly 13 March 1778, at St. Leonard's, Shoreditch, Midx., Elizabeth, da. of John PRENTISE. She *d.* 14 Sep. 1799, in Baker street, Marylebone, and was *bur.* at White Rooding, Essex. Her will pr. Jan. 1800. He *m.* secondly, 28 Sep. 1799, Elizabeth, yst. da. of Wrightson MUNDY, of Markeaton, co. Derby, by Anne, da. of Robert BURDETT, of Foremark, co. Derby. She *d.* s.p. 22 Feb. 1827. He *d.* (some ten weeks later) at Hastings 2 May 1827, aged 70. Both were *bur.* at Bredon afsd. Will pr. June 1827 and May 1840.

[ROBERT SEWALLIS SHIRLEY, *styled* VISCOUNT TAMWORTH (1787-1824) only s. and h. ap. by first wife, *b.* in Marylebone, Midx., 9, and *bap.* 18 Nov. 1778, at St. Andrew's, Holborn; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 7 May 1798. He *m.* 5 Aug. 1800, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Sophia Caroline, 1st da. of Nathaniel (CURZON), 2d BARON SCARSDALE. He *d.* s.p. and v.p. at Chartley Castle, 6 and was *bur.* 18 June 1824, at Bredon afsd., aged 35. His admon. Nov. 1824. His widow, who was *b.* 13 Jan. 1779, *d.* at Coton Hall, co. Stafford, 3, and was *bur.* 13 Feb. 1849, at Bredon, aged 70. Will pr. May 1849.]

VIII. 1827. 8. WASHINGTON (SHIRLEY), EARL FERRERS, &c., next *surv.* br. and h., being 3d s. of the 6th Earl, *b.* 13 Nov. 1760, and *bap.* the 14th at St. Alkmund's, Derby; *ed.* at Westm. school. He *m.* firstly (first at Gretna Green 24 July 1781, and subsequently) at Staunton Harold, 1 Sep. 1781, Frances, da. of the Rev. William WARD, Rector of Himley, co. Stafford (br. of John, 1st VISCOUNT DUDLEY AND WARD), by Elizabeth, da. of John HAWKES. She *d.* 4 March 1812, and was *bur.* at Staunton Harold. He *m.* secondly, 28 Sep. 1829, Sarah, da. of William DAVY. She *d.* s.p. 30 June 1835, at Chartley Castle, and was *bur.* at Staunton. Her admon. July 1836. The Earl *d.* 2 Oct. 1842, aged 81, at Chartley Castle, and was *bur.* the 11th at Staunton.^(b) Will pr. March 1843.

[ROBERT WILLIAM SHIRLEY, *styled* VISCOUNT TAMWORTH (1827-30), only s. and h. ap. by first wife, *b.* 24 Aug. 1783, at Marylebone, Midx.; *ed.* at Emanuel Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1805. He *m.* 12 Dec. 1821, at Brailesford, co. Derby, Anne, da. of Richard WESTON. He *d.* v.p., 2 Feb. 1830, aged 46. Will pr. Aug. 1830. His widow *d.* 7 Oct. 1839. Her will pr. Dec. 1839. Both were *bur.* at Staunton Harold.]

(a) Chartley was inherited from the Devereux family together with the Barony of de Ferrers (often called Ferrers *de Chartley*) by the first Earl Ferrers, on whose death in 1717 it became alienated from that Barony and passed (with the 18th century Earldom) to his heir *male*, who, however, was not heir general, either to the Earl or to the Lords de Ferrers, the ancient owners of Chartley. "The goodly manor place of Chartley" was destroyed by fire in July 1781 and a modern house called "Chartley Castle" erected near its site.

(b) It is stated in the "*Stem. Shirleiana*," that he was an "F.S.A." and was "found of genealogical pursuits; the long account of the Shirley family in Nichols's *Leicestershire* being drawn up under his superintendence."

IX. 1842. 9. WASHINGTON SEWALLIS (SHIRLEY), EARL FERRERS, &c., grandson and h., being 1st s. and h. of Robert William Shirley, styled Viscount Tamworth, by Anne, his wife both abovenamed. He was b. 3 Jan. 1822, at Ednaston Lodge in Brailsford, co. Derby, was styled VISCOUNT TAMWORTH, since 1830; was ed. at Eton. He m. 23 July 1844,^(a) at St. Geo. Han. sq., Augusta Annabella, 1st da. of Edward (CHICHESTER) 3d MARQUESS OF DONEGALL [L.], by Amelia Spread Deane, da. of Henry Deane O'GRADY. He d. at Staunton Harold 13 and was bur. there 22 March 1859, aged 37. His widow, who was b. 20 June 1826, m. 15 June 1864, at Chiddingstone, Kent, Frederick Henry WALSH, sometime Capt. 78th Highlanders and was living 1890.

X. 1859. 10. SEWALLIS EDWARD (SHIRLEY), EARL FERRERS and VISCOUNT TAMWORTH [1711] and a Baronet [1611], only surv. s. and h., b. 24 Jan. 1847, at Chartley Castle and privately *hap.* there, tho' received into the church 19 Aug. following at Staunton; ed. at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; B.A. 1867; M.A., 1870. He m. 24 Oct. 1885, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Ina Maude, 4th da. of William Henry Hare (WHITE), 3d EARL OF BANTRY [L.], by Jane, da. of Charles John HERBERT. She was b. 20 May 1852.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 6,862 acres in Staffordshire; 1,801 in Leicestershire and 3 in Derbyshire. Total, 8,666 acres, worth £12,707 a year. *Principal Residences.* Chartley Castle, co. Stafford, and Staunton Harold, co. Leicester.

FERRERS or FERRERS DE GROBY.

Barony by Writ.
I. 1300. 1. WILLIAM FERRERS, of Groby, co. Leicester, only s. and h. of William Ferrers of the same,^(b) by his first wife, Joane, da. of Hugh LE DESPENCER, was aged 18 at the death of his father in 1288; had livery of his lands in England, 1292, and in Scotland 1295; was sum. to attend the King at Salisbury, 26 Jan. 1296/7^(c) and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FERRERS] by writs directed "*Willielmo de Ferrariis*" from 26 Sep. (1300), 28 Ed. I., to 20 Feb. (1324/5), 28 Ed. II. He was in the wars in France and Scotland; was one of the Barons who in 1301 subscribed the celebrated letter to the Pope,^(d) and was sum. to the coronation of Edward II. He is said to have m. Margaret, da. of John (SEGRAVE), LORD SEGRAVE, by Christian, da. of Sir Hugh Plessetis. He d. (1324-25) 18 Ed. II.

II. 1325. 2. HENRY (FERRERS), LORD FERRERS [DE GROBY], s. and h., aged 22, at the death of his father in 1325. He, also, served in the Scotch and French wars and obtained large grants of land from the crown for his services. He was sum. to Parl. from 5 June (1331), 4 Ed. III., to 20 Nov. (1342), 16 Ed. III., by writs directed "*Henrico de Ferrariis*." He m. Isabel, 4th da. and coheir of Theobald (VERDON), LORD VERDON, being his only child by his second wife, Elizabeth, Dow. COUNTESS OF ULSTER [L.], da. of Gilbert (DE CLARE), EARL OF GLOUCESTER. He d. (1343) 17 Ed. III. His widow, who was heiress of Ludlow Castle and other considerable property in England and Ireland, d. 25 July 1349.

^(a) An unsuccessful trial for breach of promise of marriage (Damages laid at £20,000) was brought against him in 1846, by Miss Mary Smith.

^(b) He was yr. br. to Robert, the last Earl of Derby of the family of Ferrers, being 2d and yst. s. of William, Earl of Derby, by Margaret, da. and coheir of Roger (De Quinci) Earl of Winchester, which Margaret inherited the estate of Groby and conferred it on this William Ferrers, her yst. son, who thereupon assumed the arms of De Quinci (*viz.*) "*Gu, 7 mascles, voided, or*" which his descendants continued to use till the male line of the elder branch (the Lords Ferrers [of Chartley]) became extinct.

^(c) See vol. i, p. iii, note "b," *sub* "Ap Adam," as to this writ not constituting a regular writ of summons to Parl.

^(d) His name, as "*Will. de Ferar', D'n's de Groby*" is affixed thereto. See full account of this letter in "*Nicolas*," pp. 761-809.

III. 1343. 3. WILLIAM (FERRERS), LORD FERRERS [DE GROBY], s. and h., aged 10 at the death of his father, 1343. He, also, served in the French wars. He was sum. to Parl. from 15 March (1353/4), 38 Ed. III. to 6 April (1369), 43 Ed. III., by writs directed "*Willielmo de Ferrariis.*" He *m.* firstly, Margaret, da. of Robert (UFFORD), 1st EARL OF SUFFOLK, by Margaret, da. of Sir Walter NORWICH. He *m.* secondly, before 1369, Margaret, widow of Robert UMFRAVILL (s. and h. ap. of Gilbert, EARL OF ANGUS [S.]), da. of Henry (PERCY), LORD PERCY, by Idonia, da. of Robert (CLIFFORD) LORD CLIFFORD. He *d.* 6 Jan. (1371/2), 45 Ed. III. Will. in which he directs his burial to be at Ulvescroft convent, co. Leicester, dat. 1 June 1368, pr. Aug. 1372. His widow *d. s.p.*, at Ginge, co. Essex, 3 Sep. 1375. Her will dat. 26 April 1374. *Inq. post mortem* (1377), 51 Ed. III.

IV. 1372. 4. HENRY (FERRERS), LORD FERRERS DE GROBY, s. and h., by first wife, aged 16 at the death of his father, and aged 21 at the inquisition on the death of his step mother, in 1377, whose dower lands he inherited. He was sum. to Parl. from 4 Aug (1377), 1 Ric. II., to 17 Dec. (1387), 11 Ric. II., by writs directed "*Henrico de Ferrariis de Groby.*"^(a) He served in the French and Scotch wars and was a Knight Banneret in or before 1384. He was found on the death *s.p.* of his mother's brother, William (UFFORD), EARL OF SUFFOLK (15 Feb. 1382), to be one of his coheirs. He *m.* Joane, da. of Thomas POYNINGS, or (according to some) of Lucas (POYNINGS), LORD ST. JOHN. He *d.* 3 Feb. (1387/8), 11 Ric. II. His widow *d.* 30 May (1394), 17 Ric. II.

V. 1388. 5. WILLIAM (FERRERS), LORD FERRERS DE GROBY, s. and h., aged 15 at the death of his father in 1388. He was sum. to Parl. from 30 Nov. (1396), 20 Ric. II., to 3 Dec. (1441). 20 Hen. VI., by writs directed "*William de Ferrers de Groby.*"^(b) He served in the French wars. He *m.* firstly, Philippa, da. of Roger (CLIFFORD), LORD DE CLIFFORD, by Matilda, da. of Thomas (BEAUCHAMP), EARL OF WARWICK. He *m.* secondly, Margaret, da. of John (MONTACUTE), 3d EARL OF SALISBURY, by Maud, da. of Sir Adam FRANCIS, but by her had no issue. He *d.* 18 May 1445, and was *bur.* at Ulvescroft afsd.^(c)

VI. 1445. 6. ELIZABETH *suo jure* BARONESS FERRERS DE GROBY, granddaughter and h., being only da. and h., of Henry FERRERS, by Isabel, 1st da. of Thomas (MOWBRAY), DUKE OF NORFOLK, which Henry was 1st s. and h. ap. of the last Lord, but *d. v.p.* She was aged 26 years at the death of her grandfather in 1445, being then the wife of Sir Edward Grey. This Edward Grey, then aged 30, was a *yr. s.* of Reginald, LORD GREY DE RUTHIN, being his 1st s. by his *second* wife, Joane, da. and h. of William (DE ASTLEY), LORD ASTLEY, to which lady (who, possibly was, *de jure, suo jure* BARONESS ASTLEY) he was heir. He was *jure uxoris*, sum. to Parl. as a Baron, by writs from 14 Dec. (1446), 25 Hen. VI., to 2 Jan. (1448/9), 27 Hen. VI., directed "*Edwardo de Grey, Militi, Domino de Ferrers de Groby.*" and by writs from 23 Sep. (1449), 28 Hen. VI., to 26 May (1455), 33 Hen. VI., directed "*Edwardo de Grey, Militi, Domino de Groby.*"^(b) He *d.* 18 Dec. (1457), 36 Hen. VI. Will. pr. 31 Jan. 1457/8. His widow *m.* (as his first wife) Sir John BOURCHIER (s. of Henry, 1st Earl of Essex), who *d. s.p.* Oct. 1495 and was *bur.* at Stelling, co. Essex.

VII. 1460? 7. SIR JOHN GREY, of Groby and Bradgate, co. Leicesters, s. and h. of his father, would (as such heir) *probably* (but if he survived his mother *certainly*) be LORD FERRERS DE GROBY. He was aged 25,

(a) This is the first appearance of the words "*de Groby*" in the writ.

(b) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(c) His second son and heir *male*, Sir Thomas Ferrers, inherited a considerable part of his estates and acquired that of Tamworth Castle, co. Warwick, by his marriage with Elizabeth Freville, the heiress thereof. Of the sons of this match (1) Thomas was ancestor of Ferrers of Tamworth whose heiress *m.* the Hon. Robert Shirley (s. and h. ap. of Lord Ferrers) being ancestress (thro' heirs female) of the Lords Ferrers [of Chartley], while (2) Henry was ancestor of Ferrers of Baddesley Clinton, co. Warwick, which still exist in the male line, and are the *male* representatives of the ancient house of Ferrers, Earls of Derby. See *Tabular pedigree*, p. 334, note "a."

at his father's death in 1457. He *m.* about 1450, Elizabeth, da. of Richard (WIDVILLE) 1st EARL RIVERS, by Jacquetta, Dow. DUCHESS OF BEDFORD, da. of Peter (DE LUXEMBOURG), COUNT OF ST. POL and CONVERSAN. He commanded the Cavalry on behalf of the Lancastrians, at the second battle of St. Albans, but *d.* of his wounds, 28 Feb. 1460/1, a few days after that victory. His widow *m.* privately, 1 May 1464, at Grafton, co. Northampton, King Edward IV., and was crowned as Queen Consort, 26 May 1465. The King *d.* 9 April 1483, aged 42. She herself, who was *b.* about 1431 (probably at Grafton), *d.* at Bermondsey convent and was *bur.* (with her second husband) in St. George's chapel, Windsor, on Whit-Sunday, 1492. Will dat. 10 April 1492.^(a)

VIII. 1461. 8. THOMAS (GREY), LORD FERRERS DE GROBY, s. and h., *b.* 1451. He was *cr.* (by his step-father, King Edward IV.), 14 Aug. 1471, EARL OF HUNTINGDON, which title he shortly afterwards resigned and was, on 18 April 1475, *cr.* MARQUESS OF DORSET. **K.G.**, 1475/6.^(b) He *d.* 26 April 1501.

IX. 1501. 9. THOMAS (GREY), MARQUESS OF DORSET, and LORD FERRERS DE GROBY, s. and h., *b.* 22 June 1477. He *suc.* his mother as Lord Harington and Lord Bonville. He was *sum.* to Parl. by writ, 17 Oct. (1509), 1 Hen. VIII. directed *Thomas Grey, Domino Ferrers de Groby,* but, in the Parl. of 1511, by writ directed "*Thomas Grey, Marchioni Dorset.*" He *d.* 10 Oct. 1530.

X. 1530 10. HENRY (GREY), MARQUESS OF DORSET [1475], to LORD FERRERS DE GROBY [1300], LORD HARINGTON [1344], 1554. and LORD BONVILLE [1449], s. and h. *b.* before 1510; *cr.* DUKE OF SUFFOLK, 11 Oct. 1551. *Beheaded* 23 Feb. 1554, when, having been attainted, *all his honours became forfeited*; the *Dukedom of Suffolk* and the *Marquessate of Dorset* becoming *extinct*, while the *various Baronies* fell, *subject to such forfeiture, into abeyance.*^(c)

For fuller particulars see "Dorset" Marquessate, *cr.* 1475; *forfeited and extinct*, 1554.

FERRERS DE WEMME.

See under "LE BOTILLER [BOTELER] de Wemme" Barony (*Boteler*), *cr.* 1308, *sub* the 4th holder.

FETHARD.

i.e., "FETHARD, co. Tipperary," Barony [I.] (*Vaughan*), *cr.* 1695 with the VISCOUNTCY OF LISBURNE [L], which see.

FETTERCAIRN.

i.e., "CLERMONT AND FETTERCAIRN," Barony [S.] (*Middleton*), *cr.* 1660 with the EARLDOM OF MIDDLETON [S.] which see; *forfeited* 1695.

FEVERSHAM.

Earldom. 1. SIR GEORGE SONDES, **K.B.**, s. and h. of Sir Richard Sondes, of Lees Court, near Feversham, co. Kent, by his first wife, Susan, da. of Sir Edward MONTAGU, of Boughton, co. Northampton; *b.* 1600; *ed.* at Eman. Coll., Cambridge, 1615; **K.B.**, 1 Feb. 1626,

^(a) Through her da. Elizabeth, Queen Consort to King Hen. VII, she is ancestress to all the succeeding Sovereigns of England.

^(b) He appears to have been present at the coronation of Richard III, 14 July 1483, but under the designation (only) of "*Ferrers de Groby.*" See p. 148, *sub* "Dorset" and p. 8, note "b," *sub* "Dacre de Gillesland."

^(c) See p. 149, note "b," *sub* "Dorset" as to the heirship to these Baronies.

at the coronation of Charles I.; High Sheriff for co. Kent, 1637-38; M.P. for Ashburton, 1661-76; was *cr.* 8 April 1676, BARON OF THROWLEY, VISCOUNT SONDES OF LEES COURT and EARL OF FEVERSHAM all in the county of Kent *for life* with rem. of those dignities to [his son in law] Louis (DE DURAS), BARON DURAS OF HOLDENBY and the heirs male of his body. He took his seat 21 Feb. 1678/7.^(a) He *m.* firstly Jane, da. and h. of Ralph FREEMAN,^(b) of Aspenden, Herts, Lord Major of London (1633-34), by Joan, da. of JOHN CROUCH, of Corney Bury, Herts. He *m.* secondly, 25 Feb. 1655/6, at St. Paul's, Covent Garden, Mary, da. of Sir William VILLIERS, 1st Bart., of Brooksby, by his first wife, Anne, da. of Sir Edward GRIFFIN. He *d.* s.p.m.s. 16 April 1677. Admon. 12 May 1677. His widow *d.* about 1688. Her admon. 13 Oct. 1688.

II. 1677. 2. LOUIS (DE DURAS), EARL OF FEVERSHAM [1676],
to VISCOUNT SONDES OF LEES COURT [1676], BARON DURAS OF HOLDENBY
1709. [1673], and BARON OF THROWLEY [1676], also Marquis de Blanquefort
in France, son in law of the above, and heir, according to the
spec. rem. in the creation thereof, to the peerage of Feversham, &c.
He was br. of the DUKE DE DURAS AND DE LORGE, in France, and yst. s. of Guy
Alphonso, MARQUIS DE DURAS, by Elizabeth DE LA TOUR D'AUVERGNE. He was *b.*
1641; naturalised Oct. 1665, being in that year Capt. of the Duke of York's Horse
Guards, of which, in 1667, he was Colonel. He was *cr.* 29 Jan. 1673, BARON
DURAS OF HOLDENBY, co. Northampton, and four years subsequently *suc.* to the
Earldom of Feversham, &c., as above stated, taking his seat, as such, 21 May 1677. He
was Lieut. Gen. of the Forces, 1678, and again 1685; Master of the Horse to
Katharine, the Queen Dow., 1679-80; Lord Chamberlain, (1680), and Keeper of her
great seal; **K.G.**, 30 July 1685; was in command at the battle of Sedgmoor; and
was in command for James II. when the Prince of Orange (William III.) took
possession of Whitehall; Master of St. Katharine's Hospital, 1698, &c. He *m.* Mary,
1st da. and coheir of George (SONDES), EARL OF FEVERSHAM, by Mary, his second wife,
both above named. She apparently was dead before July 1701.^(c) He *d.* s.p. 19 April
1709, in his 69th year, and was *bur.* the 28th in the French chapel, Savoy, Midx.,
when *all his honours* became *extinct*. Will dat. 18 July 1701, to 6 April 1709, pr.
3 May 1709.^(d)

i.e., "FEVERSHAM, co. Kent" Earldom (*Schulemburgh*), *cr.* 1716, with
the **DUKEDOM OF KENDAL**, which see; *ex.* 1743.

FEVERSHAM OF DOWNTON.

Barony. ANTHONY DUNCOMBE, of Barford, Wilts, only s. and h.
I. 1747 of Anthony D., by Jane, 1st da. and coheir of the Hon. Frederick
to CORNWALLIS, was *b.* about 1695, inherited on the death (9 April 1711),
1763. of his uncle, Sir Charles Duncombe, sometime (1708-09) Lord Mayor
of London, a moiety of his vast wealth; was M.P. for Salisbury,
1721-34, and for Downton, 1734-47, and was *cr.* 23 June 1747,
LORD FEVERSHAM, BARON OF DOWNTON, co. Wilts. He *m.* firstly, Margaret,
da. of George (VERNEY), LORD WILLOUGHBY DE BROKE, by Margaret, da. of Sir John

(a) This, of course, is positive proof of the creation of the peerage, but the letters patent have never been enrolled.

(b) By her he had three sons, viz. (1) Freeman Sondes *d.* an infant (2) George Sondes, inhumanly murdered by his brother and (3) Freeman Sondes who was hung for his brother's murder.

(c) At her death, s.p. the estates and representation of the Sondes family devolved on her only sister Catherine or her descendants, whose husband Lewis (Watson) 3d Baron Rockingham, was, consequently in 1714, *cr.* Baron of Throwley, Viscount Sondes and Earl of Rockingham, being ancestor (thro' the female line) of the present Barons and Earls Sondes.

(d) Bishop Burnet's character of him with Swift's addition thereto *in italics* is as follows. "Came over with one of the Duke of York's family; is a middle statured brown man; aged 50 and upwards. *He was a very dull old fellow.*"

HEATH. She *d.* 9 and was *bur.* 20 Oct. 1755, at Downton. He *m.* secondly, Frances, da. of Peter BATHURST, of Clarendon Park, Wilts, by Selina, da. of Robert (SHIRLEY), 1st EARL FERRERS. She *d.* in childbed 21 and was *bur.* 30 Nov. 1757, at Downton. He *m.* thirdly, Anne, da. of Sir Thomas HALES, 3d Bart., of Beakesbourne, by Mary, da. of Sir Robert MARSHAM, Bart. He *d.* s.p.m.s.^(a) 18 and was *bur.* 26 June 1763, at Downton, when the *Barony* became *extinct*. Will pr. 1763. His widow *m.* 22 July 1765, at St. Geo. Han. sq. (as his third wife) William (Bouverie), 1st EARL OF RADNOR (who *d.* 23 Jan. 1776, aged 50), and *d.* 18 June 1795.

FEVERSHAM OF DUNCOMBE PARK and FEVERSHAM OF RYEDALE.

Barony.

I. 1826.

1. CHARLES DUNCOMBE, of Duncombe Park, in Helmsley, co. York, 1st s. and h. of Charles-Slingsby DUNCOMBE^(b) of the same, by Isabel, da. of Robert SOLEBY, of Helmsley afsd., was *b.* 5 Dec. 1764; High Sheriff for co. York, 1790; M.P. for Shaftesbury, 1790-96; for Aldborough, 1796-1806; for Heytesbury, 1812-16, and for Newport (Isle of Wight) 1818-26, and having *suc.* his father in the family estates, 11 Sep. 1803, was *cr.* 14 July 1826, BARON FEVERSHAM OF DUNCOMBE PARK, co. York. He *m.* 24 Sep. 1795, Charlotte, da. of William (LEGGE), 2d EARL OF DARTMOUTH, by Frances Catherine, da. of Sir Charles Gounter Nicoll, **K.B.** He *d.* in Arlington street, Midx., 16 July 1841, aged 76. Will pr. Sep. 1841. His widow, who was *b.* 5 Oct. 1774, *d.* in Arlington street afsd., 5 Nov. 1848, aged 74. Admon. Dec. 1848.

II. 1841.

2. WILLIAM (DUNCOMBE), BARON FEVERSHAM OF DUNCOMBE PARK, 1st s. and h., *b.* 14 Jan. 1798, in London; ed. at Eton and at Ch. Ch., Oxford, matric. 24 Oct. 1816; B.A. 1820; M.A., 1823. He was M.P. for Yorkshire, 1826-31, and for the West Riding of Yorkshire, 1832-41. He *m.* 18 Dec. 1823, Louisa, da. of George (STEWART), 8th EARL OF GALLOWAY [S.], by Jane, da. of Henry (PAGET), 1st EARL OF UXBRIDGE. He *d.* 11 Feb. 1867, aged 69, in Great Cumberland street, Marylebone. Will pr. 20 April 1867, under £140,000. His widow, who was *b.* 18 March 1804, *d.* at Rievaulx, Tunbridge Wells, Kent, 5 March 1889.

III. 1867.

3 and 1. WILLIAM ERNEST (DUNCOMBE), BARON FEVERSHAM OF DUNCOMBE PARK, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 23 Jan. 1829, at Hooton Pagnell house, near Doncaster, co. York; matric. at Oxford (St. John's Coll.) 19 May 1847. M.P. for East Retford, 1852-57, and for the North Riding of Yorkshire, 1859-67. Lieut. Col. 2d North Riding Batt. Rifle Volunteers, 1860. He was *cr.* 25 July 1868, VISCOUNT HELMSLEY of Helmsley and EARL OF FEVERSHAM OF RYEDALE, both in the North Riding of the co. of York. He *m.* 7 Aug. 1851, Mabel Violet, 2d da. of the Rt. Hon. Sir James Robert George GRAHAM, 2d Bart., of Netherby, **G.C.B.**, by Fanny Callander, da. of James CAMPBELL of Ardkinglass.

[WILLIAM REGINALD DUNCOMBE, *styled*, 1868-81, VISCOUNT HELMSLEY, 1st s. and h. ap., *b.* 1 Aug. 1852; an officer 1st Life Guards, 1872-74; M.P. for the North Riding, 1874-81. He *m.* 23 Dec. 1876, Muriel Frances Louisa, *yst. da.* of Charles John (CHETWYND-TALBOT), 19th EARL OF SHREWSBURY. He *d.* v.p. at Madeira, 24 Dec. 1881, aged 29. His widow, who was *b.* 1 Aug. 1859, *m.* 6 June 1885, Hugh OWEN.]

(^a) Anne, his only da. and h., by his third wife (afterwards Countess of Radnor) *m.* that Lady's step son, Jacob (Pleydell-Bouverie), 2d Earl of Radnor, to which family she brought Downton and the other Wiltshire estates.

(^b) He was s. and h. of Thomas Duncombe, of Duncombe Park, who was only s. and h. of Thomas Browne (afterwards Duncombe) of London, Receiver Gen. of the Excise, by Ursula, only sister to Anthony (Duncombe), Baron Feversham of Downton and to Sir Charles Duncombe of Helmsley, co. York, which estate with others, on the death of Sir Charles in 1711, came to the Browne family.

[CHARLES WILLIAM REGINALD DUNCOMBE *styled*, since 1831, VISCOUNT HELMSLEY, grandson and h. ap., being only s. and h. of W. R. Duncombe, *styled* Viscount Helmsley and Muriel, his wife, both abovenamed. He was b. 8 May 1879.]

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 39,313 acres in the North Riding of Yorkshire, worth £34,328 a year. *Principal Residence*. Duncombe Park^(a) in Helmsley, co. York.

FFRENCH^(b) OF CASTLE FFRENCH.

Barony [I.] 1. DAME ROSE FFRENCH, ^(b)widow, was on 14 Feb. 1798, *cr.* BARONESS FFRENCH OF CASTLE FFRENCH, co. Galway [I.], with rem. of that dignity to the heirs male of her body by her late husband Sir Charles FFRENCH, Bart. [I.], to whom she was *m.* 25 June 1761.^(c) He, who had been *cr.* a Bart. [I.], 17 Aug. 1779, *d.* 1784. The Baroness was 1st da. of Patrick DILLON, of Killeen, co. Roscommon, and *d.* 8 Dec. 1805.

II. 1805. 2. THOMAS (FFRENCH), BARON FFRENCH OF CASTLE FFRENCH [I.], only s. and h. He *m.* May 1785 Margaret, da. of Thomas REDINGTON, of Kilcornan, co. Galway, by Sarah, da. of Christopher BURKE, of Kilcornan afsd. He *d.* 9 Dec. 1814.^(d) His widow *d.* 7 Dec. 1849, aged 82, at Glenloe.

III. 1814. 3. CHARLES AUSTIN (FFRENCH), BARON FFRENCH OF CASTLE FFRENCH [I.], 1st s. and h., b. 9 April 1786. He *m.* 28 Sep. 1809, Maria, 1st da. of John BROWNE, of Moyne, co. Galway, by Margaret, da. and coheir of John DOLPHIN, of Turro, in that co. She *d.* July 1827. He *d.* 25 Sep. 1860, aged 74, at Tarver Hall, co. Mayo.

IV. 1860. 4. THOMAS (FFRENCH), BARON FFRENCH OF CASTLE FFRENCH [I.], 1st s. and h. b. 13 Sep. 1810. He *m.* 18 Oct. 1851, Mary Anne, only da. and h. of Richard THOMPSON, of Stansty Hall, co. Denbigh.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, were under 2,000 acres. *Principal Residence*. Elm Park, Merrion, Dublin.

FIELD OF BAKEHAM.

Barony. SIR WILLIAM VENTRIS-FIELD, one of the Judges of the supreme Court of Judicature, was, 23 April 1890, *cr.* BARON FIELD OF BAKEHAM, co. Surrey. He was 2d s. of Thomas-Flint FIELD, of Fielden in Barton-in-the-Clay, Beds.; was b. 21 Aug.

^(a) This mansion was burnt down in 1879.

^(b) The ludicrous mode of spelling this name with a double "f" has been stereotyped by its adoption in the patent of 1798. It probably arose from ignorance that the form of the capital "F" was that of the small "f" duplicated, so that not only every "Fool," but even every "Felon" (if spelt with a capital "F") would be equally entitled to the double "f" as these scions of the house of French. This (triple x) *foolish fancy* has happily not been repeated by any other member of the peerage, and, considering the spread of education, is not likely now to again occur.

^(c) It is not very clear on what grounds this old lady obtained a Peerage; neither her husband, son, or any of her relatives appear to have been in Parl., or to have done any political or other service to the Government.

^(d) "A Roman Catholic and a most strenuous supporter of complete emancipation so as to preclude religious distinctions from interfering with civil rights. He was also an eminent *Banker* and the embarrassments which occurred previously to his death are said to have hastened that event." See Sir Egerton Brydges's "*Biogr. Peerage*" [I.], 1817.

1813; Barrister (Inner Temple) 1850, going the middle circuit; Queen's Counsel, and Bench, 1864. Justice of the Queen's Bench, Feb to Nov. 1875, and of the High Court of Justice (Queen's Bench division) since Nov. 1875. He m. 1864 Louisa, da. of John SMITH. She d. 24 May 1880, at Southsea, Hants.

Principal Residence. Bakeham, near Englefield Green, Surrey.

FIENES, FIENNES, &c.

See "SAY AND SELE" Barony (*Fienes* or *Fenys*) cr. 1447.

See "DACRE" Barony (*Dacre*), cr. 1341, the word "*Fenys*," or "*Fienes*" being in many of the writs issued, 1459—1534.

FIFE.

[*Observations.* The Earldom of Fife with Forthreve (both of which now constitute the county of Fife) was one of the seven original Earldoms [Mormaerships] of Scotland,^(a) the holders of which, who in the 10th century were styled "*Mormaers*," were early in the 12th century known as *Earls*; indeed "from the earliest period the territory of Fife comes prominently forward as the leading province of Scotland and its Earls occupied the first place among the seven Earls."^(b) Three especial privileges belonged to it, of which (1) the *placing the King on the coronation stone* and (2) the *heading the van of the army* were probably attached to the province of Fife and not to any particular tribe from which its Earls might be derived, while (3) the third privilege, "*the law of Macduff*" (whereby unpremeditated homicide was pardoned by fine) was probably *tribal*.^(b) The Earldom of Fife appears among these seven Earldoms (of which we hear the last in 1297) as late as 1244.]

Earldom [S.] I. BETH, who, under the designation of "*Beth, Comes*," I. 1115. was witness to the charter of Scone in 1115 may not improbably be considered as EARL OF FIFE [S.], tho' possibly as Earl of Moray [S.] There appears also to have been one "*Ed. [EDELRAD ?] Comes*" or "*Head, Comes*," in charters *temp.* King David I. [S.], who probably was Edelrad (son of King Malcolm III. [S.]) who was Abbot of Dunkeld, and, according to some accounts, EARL OF FIFE [S.] This "*Ed. Comes*" was contemporary with Earl Beth and with Earl Constantine his successor.^(c)

II. 1120? **CONSTANTINE, EARL OF FIFE [S.]**, was contemporary with "*Ed. Comes*" above mentioned, who, however, was possibly Earl of Forthreve [S.] only, while it is certain that Constantine was connected with Kirkcaldy in *Fife*. He d. 1127 or 1129.

^(a) See vol. i, p. 88, sub "*Angus*," for fuller account of these seven Earldoms.

^(b) Skene's "*Celtic Scotland*" (1880), vol. iii, pp. 304-306. According to Riddell's "*Scotch Peerage Law*" (1833), p. 153, "with us [Scots] the privilege of sanctuary was by no means so common as has been apprehended," there being, according to Wintoun, but three persons (*i.e.*, two others besides the old Earls of Fife), who were originally partakers in such a right;

'That is ye blak Prest of Weddalle,
The Thane of Fyfe and ye thryd syne
Quhaewyre be Lord of Abbyrnethyne'

which last refers to "the family of Abernethy or *Abernithin*, one of the oldest in Scotland."

^(c) Skene's "*Celtic Scotland*" (1880), pp. 61-62, and note 36.

- III. 1129? 1. GILLEMICHEL [MACDUFF], EARL OF FIFE [S.], who, as "*Gillemichel Makduff*,"^(a) "*Gillemichel, Comes*," and "*Gillemichel, Comes de Fife*," witnessed several charters. He appears to have rendered great services to the King and it is not improbable that the territorial Earldom became for the first time hereditary to him and his heirs. He *d.* 1139.
- IV. 1139. 2. DUNCAN [MACDUFF?] EARL OF FIFE [S.], s. and h., is said to have been REGENT OF SCOTLAND in 1153. He *d.* 1154.
- V. 1154. 3. DUNCAN [MACDUFF?] EARL OF FIFE [S.], s. and h., Justiciary of Scotland; one of the nobles who in 1174, agreed to the convention at Falaise with Henry II, King of England. He is said^(b) to have *m.* at Edinburgh, in 1159-60, Ada, niece of King Malcolm IV. [S.]. He *d.* 1203.
- VI. 1203. 4. MALCOLM [MACDUFF?] EARL OF FIFE [S.], s. and h., who in 1217 founded the Abbey of Culross. He *m.* Matilda, da. of Gilbert, EARL OF STRATHERN [S.]. He *d.* s.p. 1228.
- VII. 1228. 5. MALCOLM [MACDUFF?] EARL OF FIFE [S.], nephew and h., being s. and h. of Duncan, br. of the last Earl, by Alice, da. of Walter CORBET, of Makerstoun. He was one of the guarantees of a treaty with the English in 1237 and 1244; was one of the guardians of the Realm [S.], 20 Sep. 1255. He *m.* Helen, da. of Llewellyn, Prince of Wales. He *d.* 1266. His widow *m.* (as his first wife) Donald, EARL OF MAR [S.], who *d.* 1294.
- VIII. 1266. 6. COLBRAN [MACDUFF?], EARL OF FIFE [S.], s. and h.^(c) He had been knighted by King Alexander III. [S.], in 1264. He *d.* 1270.
- IX. 1270. 7. DUNCAN [MACDUFF?], EARL OF FIFE [S.], s. and h., aged 8 years at his father's death in 1270; admitted to the possession of his Earldom in 1284; was chosen, 11 April 1286, one of the six Regents of the Kingdom [S.]. He *m.* Johanna, da. of Gilbert (DE CLARE), EARL OF GLOUCESTER ^(d) 1262-95, by his first wife. He was murdered 25 Sep. 1288, at Petpollock. His widow *m.* Sir Gervase AVENEL and was living 1323-24.^(d)
- X. 1288. 8. DUNCAN [MACDUFF?], EARL OF FIFE [S.], only s. and h., aged 3 years at his father's death in 1288. He inclined at first to the English side, afterwards to that of Robert Bruce, signing the letter to the Pope, 6 April 1320, as to the independency of Scotland, but being taken prisoner at Dupplin, 12 Aug. 1332, he submitted to Edward Baliol and assisted at his coronation.

^(a) This is the first appearance of the name of *Macduff*. Gillemichel is said to have descended from the traditional Macduff called *Thane of Fife* (tho' there never were such Thanes) by whom Macbeth was overthrown in 1057.

^(b) The authority is "Sibbald," but it is questioned in Wood's "*Douglas*," on the ground of the improbability of Malcolm IV, who was *b.* 1142, having a niece who was marriageable in 1160.

^(c) His yr. br. "*Macduff*," played a conspicuous, tho' somewhat changing part in the English and Scotch wars, but fell (finally) on the side of Wallace, at Falkirk, 22 July 1298.

^(d) *Ex inform.* Joseph Bain, F.S.A., [Scot.], who adds "this much is certain that the penultimate Earl Gilbert had a da. Johanna, Countess of Fife (who often appears in the Scoto-English records from 1305 to 1324) and that she was the mother of Duncan, last Earl of Fife. She *m.* a second husband, Sir Gervase Avenel, and *all three* are found together, exiles in England, *circa* 1324. It seems uncertain, who, her mother was. G. T. Clark, F.S.A., in *Land of Morgan* (Arch. Journal, 1880), states Alicia de la Marche, to be Earl Gilbert's first wife, who was divorced between May 1283 and 1285. Their only da. he calls Isabel born (when her father was 19), 10 March 1262. The Earl's second wife [*m.* 1290] was Joan of Acre. He gave, *circa* 1284, to his da., Johanna, Countess of Fife, lands in Lincolnshire. See *Calendar of Documents relating to Scotland* [edited by Mr. Bain] iii, No. 492, besides numerous other notices of her in those records."

24 Sep. following. He, however, finally joined King David II. [S.], and was taken prisoner, 12 Oct. 1346, at Durham, but tho' condemned as a traitor, was pardoned. He *m.* (dispensation 1306) the lady Mary MONTHERMER (then aged 9 years), da. of Ralph, LORD MONTHERMER, sometime (*jure uxoris*) EARL OF GLOUCESTER, by the lady Joan PLANTAGENET, Dow. COUNTESS OF GLOUCESTER, da. of King Edward I. She as "*Countess of Fife*," joined her husband in Scotland, 23 Jan. 1319/20, and was living 24 May 1345. The Earl himself *d. s.p.m.* in Scotland in 1353.^(a) His widow, Mary, was living 30 March 1371.

XI. 1353 9. ISABEL OR ELIZABETH, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF FIFE
to [S.], only da. and h. She *m.* firstly William RAMSAY, of Colluthie,
1371. who, in her right, was EARL OF FIFE [S.], and as such was witness
to a charter 12 April 1357, being living March 1359/60, tho' he probably
d. soon afterwards.^(b) She *m.* secondly, Walter STEWART, 2d s. of
Robert, afterwards [1371], King Robert II. [S.]. He was living as "DOMINUS
DE FYFF," 14 Aug. 1362, but *d. s.p.* very soon afterwards. She *m.* thirdly, (settl.
before marriage, 10 Jan. 1362/3), Sir Thomas BYSET, of Upsetlington, who in her
right was EARL OF FIFE [S.], having had a charter, April 1363, of that Earldom to
himself and his issue by the said Countess. He *d. s.p.* before 17 April 1365. The
Countess *m.* fourthly and lastly John DE DUMBAR, in her right EARL OF FIFE [S.],
having a charter to him and his said wife of that Earldom. He *d. s.p.* before 1371.
Finally she, on 30 March 1371, resigned the Earldom of Fife to Robert (STEWART),
EARL OF MENTEITH [S.], next br. to her second husband, retaining for her life the
free tenement thereof save as to the third part then held in Dower by Mary, Countess
of Fife, her mother. She appears to have been living, 22 June 1389, but *d. s.p.*
apparently not long afterwards.

XII. 1371. 1. ROBERT (STEWART), EARL OF MENTEITH [S.],
3d s. of King Robert II. [S.], became, 30 March 1371, EARL
OF FIFE [S.], by the resignation of Isabel (relict of his brother Walter) *suo*
jure Countess of Fife abovenamed. He was *cr.* 23 April 1398, DUKE OF
ALBANY [S.], was REGENT OF SCOTLAND, 1406-20, and *d.* 3 Sep. 1420, aged
above 80.

XIII. 1420 2. MURDOCH (STEWART), DUKE OF ALBANY, EARL
to OF FIFE, &c. [S.], s. and h. He (who was styled "*Le*
1425. *Mordyk* [Murdoch?] *de Fyff*") was taken prisoner at
Homeldon Hill 14 Sep. 1402,^(c) and detained till 1415. He
was REGENT OF SCOTLAND, 1420-24. *Beheaded* 24 May
1425,^(d) when, having been attained, *all his honours were forfeited*, the
Earldom of Fife being annexed to the crown by act of Parl., 4 Aug. 1455.

[ROBERT STEWART, styled "of Fife" MASTER OF FIFE, 1st surv.
s. and h. ap. was a witness to charters, 1407-10; living 1416. He *d. v.p.* and
unm. before July 1421.]

[SIR WALTER STEWART, styled, after 1421, "of Fyfe," MASTER
OF FYFE, 1st surv. s. and h. ap. *Beheaded* 24 May 1425, with his father.^(d)

See fuller account under "Albany" Dukedom
[S.] *cr.* 1398; *forfeited* 1425.

(a) His age would be but 68 at his death, so that it is more probable that there was but one Earl Duncan from 1288 to 1353 (as given in the text) rather than two, as is sometimes supposed.

(b) David de Berclay obtained a Papal dispensation, 27 June 1358, to marry with Elizabeth, da. of "William, Earl of Fife," i.e., a da. (who must then have been very young) of this William. It is quite clear that the lady in question was not the *suo jure* Countess, whose father's name was *Duncan*, and whose husband, William was then alive. The marriage probably never took place, or at all events was a barren one.

(c) See *Luttrell MSS.* in 10th Rep. of the *Hist. MSS. Com.*, Ap. VI., p. 97, where, however, no distinction is made between those slain and those taken prisoners.

(d) In Napier's "*Partition of the Lennox*" (pp. 10-11) it is stated that Walter

i.e., "FIFE" Marquessate [S.] (*Hepburn*), *cr.* 12 May 1567, with the DUKEDOM OF ORKNEY [S.] See "BOTHWELL" Earldom [S.], *cr.* 1488, under the 4th holder thereof; *all honours forfeited*, 29 Dec. 1567.

Earldom [L.] 1. WILLIAM DUFF, of Braco, in the parish of Grange I. 1759. (near Keith) and of Dipple, both in co. Banff, s. and h. of William D.^(a) of the same, by his first wife, Jean, da. of Sir George GORDON, of Edinglassie, *suc.* his father in 1722; was M.P. for Banffshire, 1727-34; was *cr.* 28 July 1735 (during the regency of Queen Caroline) BARON BRACO OF KILBRIDE, co. Cavan [L.]; supported the Government interest during the rising of 1745 and was, 26 April 1759, *cr.* VISCOUNT MACDUFF^(b) and EARL FIFE^(c) [L.] *He m.* firstly Janet, widow of Hugh FORBES, 2d da. of James (OGLIVY),

Stewart was beheaded 24 May 1425, but that the Duke himself (with his son Alexander and the Earl of Lennox) was beheaded the next day. *Ex inform.* Joseph Bain, F.S.A. [Scot].

^(a) This William was second son of Alexander Duff, of Keithmore, and yr. br. of Alexander Duff, of Braco, a writer of the signet at Edinburgh (whose estates he eventually inherited) who was the founder of the wealth and position of the Duff family.

^(b) These titles were evidently selected to indicate a descent from the ancient Earls of Fife [S.] of the house of Macduff, who, in the male line, appear to have come to an end in the middle of the 14th century. As to this descent, it is (with a slight touch of sarcasm) most truly stated, in *Wood's Douglas*, that tho' according to *Douglas' Baronage* and *Lodge's Irish Peerage* the descent of this William Duff was "derived from the ancient Earls of Fife the precise line cannot now be traced." Such descent, as given in Baird's *Memoirs of the Duffs* is apparently quite untenable. In "*The church and churchyard of Cullen*, by William Cramond, A.M.," 1883 (a very admirable little work and one of considerable research) there is a complete "exposé of the fraudulent alteration of the inscription on a monument there erected [perhaps] to an *Innes of Innes* (about) 1539 and changed (probably in 1792) to *Duff of Muldavit, 1404*, in order to add to the glory of [the then] Lord Fife." [Letter from R. R. Stodart, Lyon Clerk Depute, dat. 17 June, 1884.] See also articles by Mr. Cramond in *Northern Notes and Queries*, vol. iii, p. 145, and vol. i, p. 114, referring to other articles "in the *Genealogist* [Oct. 1886] and elsewhere" and carrying back the pedigree of William Duff (father of the 1st Earl Fife) not indeed to the Duffs "of Muldavit," and still less, to *Macduff*, Earl of Fife, but as far back as to a grandfather. This grandfather was one "Adam Duff in [not "of"] Cluniebeg," who was father of Alexander Duff, of Keithmore, the father of Alexander Duff (the purchaser of Braco) and of the said William. Beyond "Adam" it seems impossible to go. "The descent of the Earls Fife from the Duffs of Muldavit, tho' generally stated by the Peerage writers, is [writes Mr. Cramond] by no means clear. Their descent from the *Thane of Fife*, tho' as widely proclaimed, can surely not be named by the genealogist without a smile, and none would have been so tickled at the idea as the John Duffs of Muldavit, the worthy *baillies* of Cullen." The whole question was discussed fully by the same writer in an article in "*The Scotsman*" of 29 July 1889, in reference to which, "*Scotus*" (on the 31st) remarks, "Your contributor has conclusively shown that the claim made by the Duffs to be descended from the old family of Fife breaks down in several particulars. Others may be pointed out. The relinquishment of the prefix 'Mac' is unaccounted for and I should fear is unexplainable. In the 14th century such a thing was contrary to the usage of the time and no instance of it can be adduced. Also the armorial bearings of the families were entirely different. Your article further points out that the claims of the Duffs of Cluniebeg to represent that family [the house of Duff] cannot be proved. This agrees with the opinion, expressed to myself, of the late Joseph Robertson, LL.D., probably the most weighty authority on charter evidence that Scotland has ever possessed. . . . To my knowledge James, the 4th Earl, went to very considerable expense in researches undertaken to prove a connection with the old historical family but wholly without success." The matter is thus summed up by "*F. S. A. Scot.*" in "*The Glasgow News*," Aug. 1885, who writes: "The preposterous pedigree set forth in some of the peerages is too absurd for serious confutation."

^(c) Not Earl of Fife." See vol. ii, p. 102, note "a," *sub* "Cadogan."

4th EARL OF FINDLATER [S.], by Anne, da. of Sir William DUNBAR, Bart., of Durn. She *d.* 1722 s.p. and was *bur.* at Banff. He *m.* secondly, in 1723, in St. James' Place, Jean, da. of Sir James GRANT, Bart. [S.], of Grant, by Anne, da. and h. of Sir Humphrey COLQUHOUN, Bart. [S.] He *d.* 30 Sep. 1763, at Rothemay, co. Banff, and was *bur.* in the church of Grange, aged about 67. Admon. 5 March 1764. His widow *d.* 16 Jan. 1788, aged 83, and was *bur.* in the church of Grange.

II. 1763. 2 and 1. JAMES (DUFF), EARL FIFE, &c. [I.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h.,^(a) *b.* 28 Sep. 1729, in the parish of Banff, styled VISCOUNT MACDUFF, 1759-63; M.P. for Banffshire, 1754-84, and for Elginshire, 1784-90; founder of the town of Macduff on the frith of Moray.^(b) He was *cr.* 5 July 1790, BARON OF FIFE, co. Fife [G.B.] He *m.* 4 June 1766, at Edinburgh, Dorothea, only da. and h. of Alexander (SINCLAIR), EARL OF CAITHNESS [S.], by Margaret, da. of Archibald (PRIMROSE), 1st EARL OF ROSEBERY [S.] She was *b.* 4 April 1739, and was living 6 April 1767, when the House of Lords declared against her claim to her father's estates and in favour of the heir male. He *d.* s.p. at his house at Whitehall, Midx., 28 Jan. 1809, in his 80th year, and was *bur.* in the Mausoleum at Duff House, when the *Barony of Fife* [G.B.] became *extinct.* Will pr. 1810.

Earldom [I.] 3. ALEXANDER (DUFF), EARL FIFE, &c. [I.], next br. and h., *b.* 1731; Member of the Faculty of Advocates, 1754. He *m.* 17 Aug. 1776, at Carriston, co. Forfar, Mary, 1st da. of George SKENE, of Skene, co. Aberdeen and of Carriston afsd. He *d.* 17 April 1811, at Duff House, co. Banff. His wife survived him.

IV. 1811. 4. and 1. JAMES (DUFF), EARL FIFE, &c. [I.], 1st s. and h. *b.* 6 Oct. 1776, styled VISCOUNT MACDUFF, 1809-11; was Major General in the Spanish army, in which he served during the Peninsular war; wounded at Talavera, 1809; and again at the storming of Fort Matagorda (near Cadiz) in 1810, for which service he was made knight of San Fernando in Spain,^(c) Lieut.-Col. of the Invernesshire Militia; M.P. for co. Banff, 1818-26; a Lord of the Bedchamber, 1819; G.C.H. (civil) 1823; being *cr.* 28 April 1827, BARON FIFE, of the co. of Fife [U.K.]; K.T. 3 Sep. 1827; Lord Lieut. of co. Banff till 1856; V.P. of the Soc. of Antiquaries [S.], &c. He *m.* 9 Sep. 1799, at St. James' Westm., Maria Caroline, 2d da. of John MANNERS, of Grantham Grange, co. Lincoln, by Louisa *suo jure* [1821-40] COUNTESS OF DYSART [S.] She *d.* at Edinburgh, 20 Dec. 1805 and was *bur.* at Helmingham, co. Suffolk. The Earl *d.* s.p. 9 March 1857, aged 80, at Duff House, co. Banff, when the *Barony of Fife* [U.K.] became *extinct.*

Earldom [I.] 5. JAMES (DUFF), EARL FIFE, &c. [I.], nephew and V. 1857. h. being s. and h. of Gen. the Hon. Sir Alexander DUFF, G.C.H., by Anne, da. of James STEIN, of Kilbagie, which Alexander, was 2d s. of the 3d Earl and *d.* 21 March 1851, aged 77. He was *b.* 6 July 1814 in Edinburgh; was sometime *attaché* to the Embassy at Paris; M.P. for Banffshire, 1837-57, being on 1 Oct. 1857, *cr.* BARON SKENE of Skene,^(d) co. Aberdeen [U.K.]; Lord Lieut. of co. Banff, 1856; K.T., 2 March 1860. He *m.* 16 March 1846, at the British Embassy, Paris, Agnes Georgiana Elizabeth, 2d da. of William George (HAY), EARL OF ERROLL [S.], by Elizabeth, his wife, formerly Elizabeth FITZ-CLARENCE, illegit. da. of H.R.H. the DUKE OF CLARENCE, afterwards King William IV. She, who was *b.* 12 May 1829, *d.* 18 Dec. 1869, aged 40, at 4 Cavendish square, Midx. He *d.* at Mar Lodge, co. Aberdeen, 7 Aug. 1879, aged 65.

(a) His eldest br. the Hon. William Duff *b.* at Banff, 26 March [O.S.] 1724, *d.* v.p. and unm. 26 March [N.S.] 1753, in London, and was *bur.* there.

(b) He erected a harbour at Doune, for which in 1783 he procured a charter erecting it into a "burgh" under the name of *Macduff*.

(c) Royal Lic. to accept the same, 27 Feb. 1818.

(d) Why he did not choose the more appropriate title of *Baron Fife*, which had twice (1790 and 1827) been adopted by his predecessors, the Earls Fife, it is hard to say; but see p. 267, note "a," *sub* "Enniskillen" as to the extraordinary craze of Scotch and Irish Peers in such matters.

VI. 1879. 6. and 1. ALEXANDER WILLIAM GEORGE (DUFF), EARL FIFE [1759], VISCOUNT MACDUFF [1759] and BARON BRACO OF Kilbryde [1739], in the Peerage of Ireland, also BARON SKENE [1857], only s. and h. b. 10 Nov. 1849; styled VISCOUNT MACDUFF, 1857-79; ed at Eton; M.P. for Elgin and Nairnshire 1874-79; Lord Lieut. of co. Elgin, 1879; Capt. of the Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, 1880-81; P.C. 1880; **K.T.** 1881; ENVOY EXTRAORDINARY to Saxony for the investiture (at Dresden) 27 Feb. 1882, of King Albert, with the order of the Garter.^(a) He was *cr.* 13 July 1885, EARL OF FIFE, and was *cr.* 29 July 1889 (two days after his marriage) MARQUESS OF MACDUFF, co. Fife and DUKE OF FIFE. Partner in the Banking firm of "Sir Samuel Scott & Co." He *m.* 27 July 1889, at Buckingham Palace Chapel, Midx., *H.R.H.* the Princess LOUISE Victoria Alexandra Dagmar, 1st da. of *H.R.H.* Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, by Alexandra, 1st da. of King Christian IX, of Denmark. She was *b.* 20 Feb. and *bap.* 10 May 1867, at Marlborough House, Pall Mall, Midx.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 135,829 acres in co. Aberdeen (worth but £16,240 a year); 72,432 acres in co. Banff; 40,959 in co. Elgin (besides an un-stated quantity in that county worth £1,251 a year) making (with this exception) 249,220 acres worth £72,563 a year. *Principal Residences.* Duff House, Banffshire; Mar Lodge, Aberdeenshire, &c.

The Duke of Fife is one of the 23 noblemen who, in 1883, possessed above 100,000 acres in the United Kingdom and stands fifth in order of acreage, tho' but 13th in order of income derived therefrom. See a list of these vol. ii, p. 51, note "a," *sub* "Buccleuch."

It may be remarked that he has not (neither had any of his predecessors) one acre of land in the county of Fife. See, however, the Duke of Devonshire, the Marquess of Exeter, the Earl of Derby, &c., for nobleman similarly situated.

FINCASTLE.

i.e., "FINCASTLE," Viscounty [S.] (*Murray*), *cr.* 1686 with the EARLDOM OF DUNMORE [S.], which see.

FINCH OF FORDWICH.

Barony. "JOHN FINCH, Knt., Keeper of the Great Seal of England," was 7 April 1640, *cr.* BARON FINCH OF FORDWICH, co. Kent.^(b) He was s. of Sir Henry FINCH, Serjeant at Law (2d s. of Sir Thomas Finch, of Eastwell, Kent), by Ursula, da. of John THWAITES; was *b.* 17 Sep. 1584; admitted to Gray's Inn, Feb. 1600; Barrister, Nov. 1611; Bencher, 1617; Autumn Reader, 1618. He was M.P. for Canterbury, 1614; Recorder thereof, 1617-20; M.P. (again), 1625-29; knighted, at Canterbury, 15 June 1625; and made King's Counsel and Attorney Gen. to the Queen in 1628. SPEAKER of the House of Commons, 1628-29, being held in his chair (as such), 25 Feb. 1628/9, when the House was ordered to adjourn; Ch. Justice of the Common Pleas, 1634-39; LORD KEEPER, 1640-41, being then *raised to the Peerage* as above stated. He fled from England to the Hague in 1641 where he continued during the Commonwealth when he compounded with the governing powers for £7,000. He *m.* firstly Eleanor, da. of Sir George WYATT, of Boxley, co. Kent, by Jane, da. of Sir Thomas FINCH, of Eastwell, in that co. He *m.* secondly Mabel, da. of the Rev. Charles FOTHERBY, Dean of Canterbury, by Cecilia, da. and h. of Ralph WALLER. He *d.* s.p.m. 20 Nov. 1660, when the *peerage* became *extinct.*^(c) He was *bur.* at St. Martin's, Canterbury. M.I. Will pr. 29 May 1661.

(a) See an account of these special Garter Missions, vol. ii, p. 192, note "a," *sub* "Cathcart."

(b) See "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records.

(c) His conduct in support of the King's claim to "ship money" rendered him extremely unpopular and was probably that of "an unprincipled lawyer and a time-serving minister." See Foss's "*Judges.*" He is also spoken of in no very favourable manner by Lord Clarendon.

FINCH OF DAVENTRY.

i.e., "FINCH OF DAVENTRY, co. Northampton," Barony (*Finch*), *cr.* 1673; see "NOTTINGHAM" Earldom, *cr.* 1681.

FINDLATER.

Earldom [S.] 1. JAMES (OGILVY), LORD OGILVY OF DESKFORD [S.], s. and h. of Walter, LORD OGILVY OF DESKFORD [S.] (who was so *cr.* 4 Oct. 1616), by his second wife, Mary, da. of William (DOUGLAS), 3d EARL OF MORTON, [S.], *suc.* his father at some date after 20 July 1623 (when he was designated as "*Master of Deskford*") and was by pat. dat. at Newmarket, 20 Feb. 1633, *cr.* EARL OF FINDLATER [S.] with rem. to the heirs male of his body succeeding him in the patrimony and estate of Findlater and Deskford. Having, however, no male issue he resigned his honours and obtained a new grant of the same 18 Oct. 1641, with rem. to his son in law Sir Patrick Ogilvy, of Inchmartin, and the "*heirs male*" of the said Patrick. He was made P.C. in 1641 by Parl. for his life and sat in several committees of Parl., 1641-47. He *m.* firstly Elizabeth, widow of David WEMYSS, da. of Andrew (LESLIE), EARL OF ROTHES [S.], by his first wife, Grizel, da. of Sir James HAMILTON. He *m.* secondly Marion, da. of William (CONYNGHAM), 8th EARL OF GLENCAIRN [S.], by Janet, da. of Mark (KERR), EARL OF LOTHIAN [S.] He *d.* s.p.m. about 1653, and was probably *bur.* at Cullen, co. Banff. His widow *m.* (as the 2d of his three wives) Alexander FRASER, Master of Saltoun (who *d.* v.p. Nov. 1682) and *d.* s.p. 1661.

II. 1653? 2. PATRICK (OGILVY), EARL OF FINDLATER, &c. [S.], son in law of the above (having *m.* Elizabeth his 1st da. and coheir by his first wife) and heir to the Earldom according to the spec. rem. in the regent of 1641. He was s. and h. of Sir Patrick OGILVY, of Inchmartin, co. Perth, by Anne, da. of Sir Duncan CAMPBELL, of Glenurchy, and *suc.* his father in those lands and in the lands of Erroll, &c., 13 March 1651, being served heir to him, 5 Oct. 1652, under the designation of LORD DESKFORD. He *suc.* his father in law in the Earldom shortly afterwards and was fined (as an Earl) £1,500 by Cromwell's "act of grace," 12 April 1654. He *d.* 30 March 1658, and was probably *bur.* at Cullen.

III. 1658. 3. JAMES (OGILVY), EARL OF FINDLATER, &c. [S.], *styled* from 1653? to 1658 LORD DESKFORD, s. and h.; served heir to his father, 15 April 1662. He supported the Union [S.], in the Parl. of 1706. He *m.* firstly, Anne, widow of Robert SETON (who *d.* 1655), da. of Hugh (MONTGOMERIE), 7th EARL OF EGLINTOUN [S.], by his first wife, Anne, da. of James (HAMILTON), 2d MARQUESS OF HAMILTON. He *m.* secondly, Mary, widow of Sir James LIVINGSTON, relict, formery, of Alexander (LIVINGSTON), EARL OF CALENDAR [S.] (who *d.* 1685), 3d da. of William (HAMILTON), 2d DUKE OF HAMILTON [S.], by Elizabeth, da. of James (MAXWELL), EARL OF DIRLETON [S.] The Earl *d.* 1711, and was probably *bur.* at Cullen.

[WALTER OGILVY, *styled* LORD DESKFORD, s. and h. ap. by first wife, *b.* about 1660. He *d.* unm. and v.p. before June 1698.]

IV. 1711. 4. JAMES (OGILVY), EARL OF FINDLATER, &c. [S.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. by first wife; *b.* 11 July 1663, *styled* LORD DESKFORD, after the death of his elder br. till 24 June 1698, when he was *cr.* by pat. dat. at Kensington VISCOUNT OF SEAFIELD and LORD OGILVY OF CULLEN [S.], with an extended rem. failing the heirs male of his body. He had, previously been admitted an Advocate, 16 Jan. 1685; was Solicitor Gen. [S.], 1693; M.P. for Cullen, 1689 to 1695, when he was appointed Sec. of State [S.], in which capacity he voted in Parl. till raised to the Peerage [S.] in 1698, as afsd. President of the Parl. [S.], July 1698; High Commissioner to the gen. assembly of the Church [S.], 1700, &c., being by pat. dat. at Kensington, 24 June 1701, *cr.* EARL OF SEAFIELD, VISCOUNT OF REIDHAVEN and LORD OGILVY OF DESKFORD AND CULLEN [S.], with

an extended rem. failing the heirs male of his body. Lord High Chancellor [S.], 1702-04, and again 1705; being (again) Sec. of State [S.], 1704; **K.T.**, 17 Feb. 1703/4. He was a great promoter of the Union [S.], tho' in June 1713 he moved for its dissolution which was defeated by a majority of only four. **REP. PEER** [S.], 1707-10; 1712-15; and 1722-30; Lord Chancellor [S.], 1707; Lord Ch. Baron [S.], 1708. In 1714 (being then Earl of Findlater) he was Keeper of the great seal [S.]. He *m.* in (1687 in her 16th year), Anne, da. of Sir William DUNBAR, 1st Bart. [S.], of Durn, by Janet BRODIE, his wife. She *d.* 1708, aged 36. He *d.* 19th Aug. 1730, in his 66th year.^(a) *bur.* at Cullen, M.I.

V. 1730. 5. JAMES (OGILVY), EARL OF FINDLATER, EARL OF SEAFIELD, &c. [S.], s. and h., *b.* about 1689, styled **VISCOUNT REIDHAVEN**, 1701-30; was imprisoned at Edinburgh Castle, in 1715, on suspicion of favouring the Stuart rising; one of the Lords of Police, 1734, and Vice Admiral of Scotland, 1737-64. **REP. PEER** [S.], 1734-61. He *m.* firstly about 1710, Elizabeth, 2d da. of Thomas (HAY), 6th EARL OF KINNOULL [S.], by Elizabeth, da. of William (DRUMMOND), 1st VISCOUNT STRATHALLAN [S.]. She *d.* at Dupplin and was *bur.* there. He *m.* secondly, Dec. 1723, Sophia, 1st da. of Charles (HOPE), 1st EARL OF HOPETOUN [S.], by Henrietta, da. of William (JOHNSTONE), 1st MARQUESS OF ANNANDALE [S.]. She who was *b.* 31 May, 1702 (register at Abercorn), *d.* s.p. in London, 25 April 1761, aged 59, *bur.* at Cullen; M.I. The Earl *d.* at Cullen House, co. Banff, 9 July 1764, aged 74; *bur.* at Cullen.^(b) M.I. Will pr. 1764.

VI. 1764. 6. JAMES (OGILVY), EARL OF FINDLATER, EARL OF SEAFIELD, &c. [S.], only s. and h. by first wife, *b.* about 1714, styled **LORD DESKFORD**, 1730-64. Having finished his education by foreign travel,^(c) he was a Commissioner of Custom [S.], 1754-61, and was made one of the Lords of Police, 1765. He *m.* 9 June, 1749, at Huntingtower, co. Perth, Mary, da. of John (MURRAY), 1st DUKE OF ATHOLE [S.], by his second wife, Mary, da. of William (ROSS), LORD ROSS [S.]. He *d.* by his own hand, 3 Nov. 1770, in his 56th year, at Cullen House afsd., and was *bur.* at Cullen. Will pr. April 1771. His widow who was *b.* 3 March 1720, *d.* at Banff Castle, 29 Dec. 1795, aged 75, and was *bur.* in Cullen church.

VII. 1770, 1811. 7. JAMES (OGILVY), EARL OF FINDLATER, EARL OF SEAFIELD, &c. [S.], 1st and only surv. s. and h., *b.* 10 April 1750, at Huntingtower afsd.; styled **LORD DESKFORD**, 1764-70; *matric.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 8 April 1769. He *m.* in 1779, at Brussels, Christina Theresa Josepha, da. of Joseph MURRAY, *Count Murray of Melgum* in the Holy Roman Empire, Lieut. Gen. in the service of the Emperor of Germany. The Earl of Findlater and Seafeld *d.* s.p. at Dresden, 5 Oct. 1811, aged 51, and was *bur.* there. At his death the *Earldom of Findlater* [1638] and the *Barony of Ogilvy*

^(a) Macky, in his "Characters," thus writes of him in 1702. "He is a gentleman of great knowledge in the civil law and the constitution of the Kingdom; understands perfectly how to manage the Scottish Parl., to the advantage of the Court. This and his implicitly executing what pleased King William, without ever reasoning about it, established him very much in His Majesty's favour, but his joining with an English Secretary to destroy the colony of Darien, lost him extremely with the people. He affects plainness and familiarity in his conversation, but is not sincere; is very beautiful in his person, with a graceful behaviour, a smiling countenance and a soft tongue."

^(b) He obtained (under the act abolishing heritable jurisdictions, 1747), for the regality of Ogilvy, the constabulary of Cullen and the bailiary of the regality of Strathisla, £1,085, in lieu of his claim for £5,500.

^(c) Horace Walpole thus writes of him to Gen. Conway, 23 April 1740, "you saw Lord Deskfoord at Geneva, don't you like him? He is a mighty sensible man—there are few young people have so good understanding. He is mighty grave and so are you, but you both can be pleasant, when you have a mind. Indeed one can make you pleasant, but his solemn Scotchery is not a little formidable."

of *Deskford* [1616] became *dormant*,^(a) but the Earldom and Viscounty of Seafeld, &c., devolved under the spec. rem. in their respective creations, 1698 and 1701. See under "SEAFIELD." His widow *d.* about 1813. Her will pr. 1813.

FINES, see FIENES.

FINGALL and FINGALL OF WOOLHAMPTON LODGE.

Earldom [I.] 1. LUKE (PLUNKETT), LORD KILLEEN [I.], s. and h. of

I. 1628. Christopher, LORD KILLEEN^(b) [I.], by Genet, da. of Sir Luke DILLON, Ch. Baron of the Exchequer [I.], *suc.* his father 12 Oct. 1613, being then aged 24 and sat in the Parl. of 1614; had a grant of 2,400 acres (the manor of Courtown) in co. Cavan and co. Meath; was styled "*More*" [*i.e.*, "the Great"] and was, 26 Sep. 1628, *cr.* EARL OF FINGALL [I.],^(c) taking his seat, as such, 14 July 1634, serving on the committee for privileges, &c. He *m.* firstly Elizabeth, da. of Rory (O'DONNELL), EARL OF TYRCONNEL [I.], by Bridget, da. of Henry (FITZGERALD), EARL OF KILDARE [I.] She *d.* s.p. in London soon after her marriage. He *m.* secondly (articles dat. 9 June 1611), Susanna, sister of William, 1st EARL OF MEATH, da. of Edward (BRABAZON), 1st BARON BRABAZON OF ARDEE [I.], by Mary, da. of Sir Thomas SMITH. He *m.* thirdly Eleanor, widow of Sir Thomas COLCLOUGH, 2d da. of Dudley BAGENAL, of Dunleckny, co. Carlow. By her who *d.* Nov. 1632, he had no issue. He *m.* fourthly Margaret, Dow. VISCONTRESS GORMANSTON [I.], da. of Nicholas (ST. LAWRENCE), LORD HOWTH [I.], by his second wife, Mary, da. of Sir Nicholas WHYTE. The Earl *d.* 29 March 1637, aged 48. His widow, by whom he had no issue, *d.* 16 Nov. 1637.

II. 1637. 2. CHRISTOPHER (PLUNKETT), EARL OF FINGALL, &c. [I.],

s. and h., by second wife, styled LORD KILLEEN, 1628-37. He took his seat 16 March 1639, but, taking a prominent part in the rebellion of 1641 with other Roman Catholic Lords and gentry, was outlawed in the co. of Meath, 17 Nov. 1641; taken prisoner at the battle of Rathmines, *d.* fourteen days afterwards in Dublin Castle and was *bur.* 18 Aug. 1649, in St. Catharine's, Dublin. By Cromwell's act of Parl., 12 Aug. 1652, he was (after his death) excepted from pardon of life and estate. He had *m.* in Jan. 1636, Mabell, da. of Nicholas (BARNEWALL), 1st VISCOUNT BARNEWALL OF KINGSLAND [I.], by Bridget, Dow. COUNTESS OF TYRCONNEL [I.], da. of Henry (FITZGERALD), EARL OF KILDARE [I.] above named, the said Mabell being sister (*ex parte materna*) to the Earl's step mother. She *m.* secondly Col. James BARNEWALL and *d.* at Beggstown [I.], being *bur.* 4 Feb. 1699, at Killeen.

III. 1649. 3. LUKE (PLUNKETT), EARL OF FINGALL, &c. [I.], s.

and h., *b.* 1639; styled LORD KILLEEN till 1649; restored to his estate by the Court of Claims and by Royal letters, 1670-77.^(d) He, on 29 Nov. 1683, settled all his estates on his son Peter in tail *male* with rem. to his heir in "tail male in such line as the ancient pedigree of *Killeen* would go."^(e) He *m.* Margaret, da. of Donogh (MACARTY), EARL OF CLANCARTY [I.], by Eleanor, sister of James (BUTLER), 1st DUKE OF ORMONDE. He *d.* about 1684. His widow *d.* 1 Jan. 1703.

(a) The heir male of Sir Walter Ogilvy, of Inchmartin, who became the *second* Earl of Findlater, would under the destination of the regnant of the honours (the Earldom of Findlater and the Barony of Ogilvy of Deskford), 18 Oct. 1641, be entitled thereto. They were claimed in June 1812 by Sir William Ogilvy, Bart., of Boyne (who also claimed the Barony of Banff) but no proceedings were taken in support thereof. He *d.* 1824 and his s. and h. another Sir William Ogilvy *d.* s.p. 1861. See "*Hewlett*," pp. 43-45.

(b) See vol. i, p. 171, note "c," and p. 172, note "f," *sub* "Athenry," for an account of Killeen and the other ancient (nine, in all) Baronies [I.], and see also "Preface," p. iii, notes "a" and "b."

(c) The preamble to the patent is in "Lodge," vol. vi, p. 182, *sub* "Dunsany."

(d) His name appears in the "Remonstrance of the Roman Catholic nobility and gentry" [I.] presented in 1663. See vol. ii, p. 149, note "d," *sub* "Carlingford."

(e) See "*Lynch*," pp. 275-276.

[The burial at Richmond, Surrey, on 24 April 1672, of "CHRISTOPHER PLUNKETT, VISCOUNT KEELE," not improbably refers to an eldest s. and h. ap. of the above Earl, which son would be styled "LORD KILLEEN."]

- IV. 1684? 4. PETER (PLUNKETT), EARL OF FINGALL, &c. [I.], s. and h., *b.* 1678, and styled LORD KILLEEN before his accession to the Earldom. He was outlawed (under the name of "Luke") 11 May 1691, for the adherence of his family to the cause of James II. which outlawry was reported as "taken off" 2 Dec. 1697. He *m.* (settl. 7 Sep. 1690), Frances,^(a) 3d da. of Sir Edward HALES, 3d Bart., of Woodchurch, co. Kent, by Anne, da. of Thomas (WOTTON), 2d BARON WOTTON OF MARLEY. He *d.* in London 24 Jan. and was *bur.* 4 Feb. 1717/8, in the chapel of Somersset House, Midx. Will pr. Dec. 1718. His widow *m.* July 1719, Stephen TAAFFE, of Dowestown, co. Meath, who *d.* soon afterwards. She *m.* thirdly Patrick BELLEW (s. and h. ap. of Sir John Bellew, 2d Bart. [I.] who *d.* v.p. and s.p. 12 June 1720. She *d.* 6 Aug. 1749, in her 76th year, at Inchicore, and was *bur.* at Killeen.
- V. 1718. 5. JUSTIN (PLUNKETT), EARL OF FINGALL, &c. [I.], only s. and h., styled LORD KILLEEN, till 1718, at which date he was still a minor. He *m.* 29 Nov. 1731, Mary, da. of Maurice FITZ-GERALD, of Castle Ishen, co. Cork. He *d.* intestate and s.p. 27 March 1734, at Glasnevin.^(b) His widow *m.* 1735, Sir Valentine BROWNE, Bart. [I.], calling himself VISCOUNT KENMARE [I.]. She *m.* thirdly, as the 2d of his 3 wives, JOHN (BELLEW), 4th BARON BELLEW OF DULEEK [I.], who *d.* s.p.m., 1770. She *d.* in London, 1742.
- VI. 1734. 6. ROBERT (PLUNKETT), EARL OF FINGALL, &c. [I.], cousin and h. male, being s. and h. of James PLUNKETT, by his second wife, Mary, da. of Robert CUSACK, of Jenistown, co. Meath, which James, was s. of the Hon. George P. (a Col. in the rebel army), who was 4th and yst. s. of the 1st Earl. Under the settlement made in 1683, by the 3d Earl, he (as heir male) *suc.* to the whole of the family estates. He was Capt. in the Duke of Berwick's regiment in the service of the King of France. He *m.* Mary, da. of Roger MAGENIS, of Iveagh, co. Down, who also was in the French service. He *d.* 1738 in Paris and was *bur.* there.
- VII. 1738. 7. ARTHUR JAMES (PLUNKETT), EARL OF FINGALL, &c. [I.], s. and h., *b.* July 1731, styled LORD KILLEEN till 1738. He *m.* 19 March 1755, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Henrietta Maria, only da. and h. of William WOLLASCOT, of Woolhampton, Berks. He, who resided at Killeen Castle, *d.* 21 Aug. 1793, aged 62. His widow *d.* 12 April 1808.
- VIII. 1793. 8 and 1. ARTHUR JAMES (PLUNKETT), EARL OF FINGALL, &c. [I.], 1st s. and h., *b.* 9 Sep. 1759, at Woolhampton afsd. and styled LORD KILLEEN, till 1793. Before obtaining the reversal of certain outlawries against some of his ancestors, he was reported in the House of Lords [I.], 25 Feb. 1795, as being "heir male of the body of Luke, 1st Earl of Fingall."^(c) He was **K.P.**, 19 July 1821.^(d) He was *cr.* 20 June 1831, BARON FINGALL OF WOOLHAMPTON

(a) With her he had £4,000. Her father, Sir Edward Hales, was by James II. after his abdication, *cr.* Earl of Tenterden.

(b) Of his three sisters and coheirs, Mary, the yst., *m.* Maurice O'Connor, of Mount Pleasant, King's county. Their grandson and heir, Maurice O'Connor, about a century after the honours had been enjoyed by the heir male "without opposition or question of the part of the three daughters and heirs lineal of Peter, 4th Earl, made claim to the *Barony of Killeen* as a *Barony cr. by writ* and, as such, inheritable thro' females. Like all other claims* of the same nature [*i.e.* as to *Irish dignities*] it has been unsuccessful." [Burke's "Peerage," 1889, *sub* "Fingall.]"

(c) See "*Lynch*," pp. 275-276.

(d) He was one of the six extraordinary knights made at the coronation of George IV, becoming a knight in ordinary, 20 Oct. 1829.

* The anomalous decision in 1767, respecting the *Barony of La Poer* (whereby it was ruled to be an *Irish Barony in fee*) forms a solitary, exception to this rule.

LODGE, co. Berks. He *m.* 18 Dec. 1785, Frances, da. of John DONELAN, of Ballydonelan, co. Galway. She *d.* 30 Jan. 1835. He *d.* 30 July 1836, aged 76.

Earldom [I.] }
IX. }
Barony [U.K.] } 1836.
II. }

9 and 2. ARTHUR JAMES (PLUNKETT), EARL OF FINGALL, &c. [I.], also BARON FINGALL OF WOOLHAMPTON LODGE, only surv. s. and h., *b.* 29 March 1791, at Geneva; *styled* LORD KILLEEN, 1793-1836; M.P. for co. Meath, 1830-32; P.C. [I.], 1834; one of the Lords in Waiting, 1837-41; **K.P.**, 9 Oct. 1846; Lord Lieut. of co. Meath, 1849. He *m.* 11 Dec. 1817,

Louisa Emilia, da. of Elias CORBALLY, of Corbalton Hall, co. Meath, by Mary, widow of Frederick NETTERVILLE. She *d.* 7 April 1866, at Brighton, aged 70. He *d.* 21 April 1869, aged 78, at 47 Montagu square, Marylebone.

Earldom [I.] }
X. }
Barony [U.K.] } 1869.
III. }

10 and 3. ARTHUR JAMES (PLUNKETT), EARL OF FINGALL, &c. [I.], also BARON FINGALL OF WOOLHAMPTON LODGE, s. and h., *b.* 10 May 1819, and *bap.* there, being *styled* LORD KILLEEN, 1836-69; Sheriff for co. Meath, 1845; sometime (1856-57) Major in the 8th Dragoons; served at Kertch and at Sebastopol, receiving medal and clasp. He *m.* 12 Feb.

1857, Elise Mary, da. of Mons. Alexis Francis RIO, Chevalier of the Legion of Honour. Lady Killeen *d.* 25 Nov. 1862, at the Villa Mont Fleury, near Pau, in France. The Earl *d.* 24 April 1881, aged 61, at Killeen Castle, co. Meath.

Earldom [I.] }
XI. }
Barony [U.K.] } 1881.
IV. }

11 and 4. ARTHUR JAMES FRANCIS (PLUNKETT), EARL OF FINGALL, &c. [I.], also BARON FINGALL OF WOOLHAMPTON LODGE, only s. and h., *b.* 1 April 1859, at Rome; *styled* LORD KILLEEN, 1869-81; Sheriff for co. Meath, 1881; State Steward to the Lord Lieut. of Ireland, 1882-85. He *m.* 15 May 1883, Elizabeth Mary, 1st da. of George BURKE, of Danes-

field, co. Galway.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 9,589 acres in co. Meath and five in co. Berks. *Total.* 9,594 acres worth £8,727 a year. *Principal Residence.* Killeen Castle, near Tara, co. Meath.

FINGLIASS.

See "WYNDHAM OF FINGLIASS, co. Dublin," Barony [I.] (*Wyndham*), *cr.* 1781; *ex.* 1745.

FINTRIE.

i.e., "ABERUTHVEN, MUGDOCK AND FINTRIE," Barony [S.], (*Graham*), *cr.* 1707, with the DUKEDOM OF MONTROSE [S.], which see.

FIRLE.

i.e., "GAGE OF FIRLE, co. Sussex," Barony (*Gage*), *cr.* 1780; *ex.* 1791. See "GAGE OF CASTLE ISLAND," Viscounty [I.], under the 2d Viscount.

FISHERWICK.

Barony. ARTHUR (CHICHESTER), EARL OF DONEGALL, &c. [I.], was I. 1790. 3 July 1790, *cr.* BARON FISHERWICK, co. Stafford [G.B.] He was, the next year, 27 June 1791, *cr.* MARQUESS OF DONEGALL [I.], see that dignity.

FITTON OF GOSWORTH.

[*Memorandum.* This is one of the seven Irish peerages *cr.* by James II., after his exclusion from the throne of *England* (11 Dec. 1688), but when he was in full possession of all his Royal rights as King of *Ireland*. All these creations were duly inscribed on the patent rolls [I.], from which they have never been erased. See vol. i, p. 59, note "b," *sub* "Albemarle," for an account of this and other *Jacobite* creations.]

Barony [I.] SIR ALEXANDER FITTON, sometime of Gawsworth, co. Chester, was 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. of William FITTON,^(a) of Awrice, co. Limerick, but afterwards of Gawsworth afsd., by Eva, da. of Sir Edward TREVOR, of Brynkynalt. He was Student of the Inner Temple, 1655; Barrister, 1662, about which time he was dispossessed of the Gawsworth estates by the heir *general* and was imprisoned for the fines and expenses in the legal proceedings thereon. He was, 12 Feb. 1686/7, constituted LORD CHANCELLOR [I.], and was *cr.* 1 April 1689, by writ of summons^(b) BARON FYTTON OF GOSWORTH,^(c) co. Limerick [I.], with rem. to the heirs male of his body. In 1689 he was one of one of LORDS JUSTICES [I.] He *m.* about 1655, Anne, da. of Thomas JOLIFFE, of Cofton, co. Worcester. She *d.* 7 Oct. 1687 and was *bur.* in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin. He *d.* s. p. m., at St. Germain's, in France, Nov. 1698, when *the* Barony, created became *extinct*.

FITZ-ALAN (of Oswaldestre, &c.)

Remarks. The castle of Oswaldestre (Oswestry), co. Salop, was granted by William the Conqueror to (1) ALAN FITZ-FLEALD whose s. and h. (2) WILLIAM FITZ-ALAN, of Oswaldestre, *d.* 1160 and was *suc.* by his s. and h. (3) WILLIAM FITZ-ALAN, of the same, who in right of his wife (Isabel, da. and h. of Ingelram de Say) acquired the Lordship of Clun also in co. Salop and *d.* about 1210. Their s. and h. (4) WILLIAM FITZ-ALAN, of Clun and Oswaldestre, *d.* s. p. 1216 and was *suc.* by his br. and h. (5) JOHN FITZ-ALAN, of the same, who *m.* Isabel, sister (whose issue became coheir) to Hugh (de Albini), Earl of Arundel. He *d.* 1240. Their s. and h. (6) JOHN FITZ-ALAN, feudal Lord of Clun and Oswaldestre, inherited (*jure matris*), 27 Nov. 1243, the castle and honour of Arundel, whereby, according to the admission of 1433,^(e) he became EARL OF ARUNDEL. With this Earldom these Lordships continued united, passing, with it, to the Howard family (see tabular pedigree, vol. i, p. 152), till on the attainder in 1589 of Philip (Howard), Earl of Arundel, they were granted to (his uncle) Henry Howard, afterwards Earl of Northampton, who transferred them to his (the grauntee's) nephew, Thomas Howard, Earl of Suffolk. They were, apparently, *not* in the possession of Thomas Howard, the restored Earl of Arundel (next below mentioned) in 1627, the date on which the titles of his ancestors were confirmed to him.]

(a) This William, who settled in Ireland was yr. br. of Sir Edward Fitton, of Gawsworth, President of Munster (who *d.* 1606), who was father of Edward Fitton, *cr.* a Bart. 1617 (*d.* 1619), whose only son Sir Edward Fitton, the 2d Bart. *d.* s. p. about 1643, being he whose entail of the Gawsworth estates (in favour of the heir *male*) was (some 20 years later) set aside.

(b) It is remarkable "that the only writs of Parliamentary summons creating *hereditary* peerages by express words" are but four, *viz.*, one in England, whereby in 1449, Henry VI., *cr.* Henry Bromflete, *Lord de Vescei*; and three others in Ireland whereby James II. in 1689 (after his deposition from the kingdom of England) created Sir Alexander Fytton, *Baron Fytton of Gosworth*, co. Limerick, Thomas Nugent, *Baron Nugent of Riverston*, co. Westmeath, and John Bourke, *Baron Bourke of Bophin*, co. Galway. See "Lynch," pp. 359—360.

(c) Gawsworth in Cheshire was the seat of this family for many centuries and is no doubt here indicated by "Gosworth." There is no place of either name in co. Limerick. The patent is set forth in full in "Lynch," pp. 359—360 were, however, (by mistake) it is printed "Gosworth."

(d) "Their issue was Anne an only child." See Stephen's "*Nat. Biography*."

(e) See vol. i, p. 138, note "c," *sub* "Arundel."

Barony.

I. 1627.

THOMAS (HOWARD) EARL OF ARUNDEL and EARL OF SURREY (s. and h. of Philip, Earl of Arundel, *attainted* in 1589 as above mentioned) obtained an act of Parl., 3 Car. I., "for the annexing of the Castle, &c., of Arundel, with the titles and dignities of the BARONIES OF FITZ-ALAN, CLUN AND OSWALDESTRE AND MALTRAVERS,^(a) and with divers other lands, &c., being now parcels of the possessions of [him the said] Thomas, Earl of Arundel and Surrey, &c., to the same title, name, and dignity of EARL OF ARUNDEL." From this period, therefore, the Baronies of Clun and Oswaldestre (or *Fitzalan* of Clun and Oswaldestre) which, hitherto, had been mere feudal Lordships may be considered as *Peerage* dignities^(b) and as being, together with Maltravers, annexed to the Earldom of Arundel. See "Arundel" Earldom, *cr.* 1067, under the xxvith holder thereof.

FITZ-ALAN (of Bedale).

Barony by**Writ.**

I. 1295

to

1305.

BRIAN FITZ-ALAN, of Bedale, co. York, s. and h. of Brian Fitz-Alan, of the same, *suc.* his father before 1276; served in the Scotch wars and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD FITZ-ALAN) by writs from 23 June (1295), 23 Ed. 1 to 22 Jan. (1304/5), 33 Ed. 1. In 1297 he was made the King's Lieutenant for Scotland. He was one of the Barons who (as "*Brianus fil. Alani, D'n's de Bedale*") subscribed in 1301 the celebrated letter to the Pope.^(c) He *d. s.p.m.* about 1305^(d) and was *bur.* in Bedale church. M.I.^(e) At his death the Barony fell into abeyance.^(f)

FITZ-BERNARD.

Barony by**Writ.**

I. 1313.

II. 1330?

to

1361.

1. THOMAS FITZ-BERNARD, of Kingsdown, co. Kent, s. and h. of Ralph F. of the same, either by his first wife, Joan, da. and coheir of Robert AGUYLON, or by his second wife, Agatha, *suc.* his father about (1306), 34 Ed. 1, and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD FITZ-BERNARD), by writs directed "*Thome, filio Bernardi*" from 8 Jan. (1312/3), 6 Ed. II, to 14 March (1321/2), 15 Ed. II. He *d.* before (1334), Ed. III, in which year also *d.* Bona, his widow.

2. JOHN (FITZ-BERNARD), LORD FITZ-BERNARD, s. and h. appears never to have sum. to Parl. as a Baron. He *d. s.p.* 1361, when the *Barony* became *extinct.*^(g)

FITZ-CLARENCE.

i.e., FITZ-CLARENCE," Viscountcy (*Fitz-Clarence*), *cr.* 1831, with the EARLDOM OF MUNSTER, which see.

(a) In his *petition* the Earl calls them "the titles, names, and dignities of Lord Fitz-Alan, Lord of Clun and of Oswaldestre, and Lord Maltravers."

(b) See vol. ii, p. 315, note "c," *sub* "Clun," for Mr. Round's able remarks on the *status* of these titles after the passing of this anomalous act.

(c) See full account thereof in "*Nicolas*," pp. 761—809.

(d) See remarks hereon of Mr. Townsend (*Windsor Herald*) in *Coll. Top et Gen.* vol. vii, p. 47, which, however, do not appear very conclusive.

(e) The arms on his monument were "Barry of 8, or and gu."

(f) The coheirs were his two daughters, viz. (1) Maud, aged 7 in 1307, who *m.* Sir Gilbert Stapleton, whose great grandson and h., Sir Miles Stapleton, had two daughters and coheirs, Elizabeth *m.* (—) Calthorpe, and Joane, *m.* Christopher Harcourt; (2) Katharine, aged 5 in 1307, who *m.* John (Grey) 2d Lord Grey de Rotherfield.

(g) "The heirs of the person first summoned were the issue of his aunt." See "*Coll. Top. et Gen.*," vol. vii, p. 161. These heirs were the same as those of the Lords Badlesmere, the said aunt, Margaret Fitz-Bernard, being mother of the first Lord Badlesmere. In *Philpot's "Kent"* (p. 203) this Margaret is said to have been *daughter* (not *aunt*) of Thomas, Lord Fitz-Bernard.

FITZ-GERALD^(a) [of Offaly].

Barony^(c) [I.] 1. MAURICE FITZ-GERALD, who in 1176, was of I. 1176? Offaly,^(b) co. Kildare, was one of the 3 sons of Gerald FITZ-WALTER, Constable of Pembroke Castle, by Nesta, da. of RHYS ap. Gruffydh ap Tudor Mawr, PRINCE OF SOUTH WALES. He, being one of the first English invaders of Ireland in 1169, was at the taking of Dublin in 1171, was appointed in 1172 Joint Warden of Dublin and received in 1176 a grant of the Barony of Offaly,^(c) &c. He m. Alice, da. of Arnulph DE MONTGOMERY, by Lafracoth, da. of Murrough O'BRIEN, KING OF IRELAND. He d. Sep. 1177, at Wexford and was *bur.* in the Abbey of the Grey Friars there.

II. 1177. 2. GERALD FITZ-MAURICE (FITZ-GERALD), Lord of Offaly, one of the sons (probably 1st s. and h) of the above. He was, with his father in 1171, at the siege of Dublin. He is said to have been Lord Justice of Ireland and to have sat in the Parl. [I.] of 1205. He m. Katharine, da. of Hamo DE VALOIS, Lord Justice [I.], 1197. He d. 1205.

III. 1205. 3. MAURICE FITZ-GERALD, Lord of Offaly, s. and h., b. 1195; obtained possession in 1216 of Maynooth and other the lands of his father, receiving that year a grant of the Castle of Crom,^(d) &c. He was Lord Justice [I.], 1229-30, as also in 1232 till 1245^(e) when he was dismissed for his tardiness in assisting the King in his war with Wales. He introduced into Ireland the order of Franciscans in 1215 and of Dominicans in 1216, founding the Abbey of Youghal in 1232, the Abbey of Sligo in 1236; building also the Castles of Armagh and of Sligo, &c. He m. Juliana, da. of John DE COGAN, joint Lord Justice [I.], 1247-48. He d. a monk at Youghal Monastery 20 May 1257, and was *bur.* there.

IV. 1257. 4. MAURICE FITZ-MAURICE (FITZ-GERALD), Lord of Offaly, 1st s. and h. Lord Justice [I.], 1272-73. He m. Emmelina, da. and h. of Sir Stephen DE LONGESPEE (sometime, 1259-60, Lord Justice [I.]), Lord of the territory of O'Murthy (s. of William, EARL OF SALISBURY), by Emmeline, da. and coheir of Walter DE RIDELSFORD, Lord of Bray and of O'Murthy afsd. He d. at Ross 1277. His widow d. 1291.

(a) The best account of this branch of the Geraldines is "*The Earls of Kildare, 1057—1773*," a work compiled by Charles William (Fitz Gerald), 4th Duke of Leinster [I.], 1874-87, under his then style of Marquess of Kildare. It was first privately printed in 1857, but in June 1858, a third edition was published (pp. 330) to which, in 1862, was subjoined an "*addenda*" of 402 pages.

(b) "The Barony of Offaly" (as also "the Castle of Wicklow, in lieu of his share of Wexford") was, in 1176, granted to this Maurice by Earl Strongbow. See note "a," next above.

(c) As to the question whether he or his successors can in *any way* be considered as holding a Peerage Barony in the sense now attributed thereto, see p. 83, note "c," *sub* "Desmond." In the "*Earls of Kildare*" (see note "a" above), Gerald who d. in 1205 is made the "first Baron," it being stated that "in 1205 he sat in the Parl. as *Baron of Offaly*, having been summoned as *holding that Barony*," but even allowing that the words in *italics* are capable of proof, no such summons in Ireland, could create a Barony; so that in the text above (Gerald's father) the first territorial Baron is the first of whom an account is given.

(d) Crom (Croom) and Shanet (Shanid) were two castles about sixteen miles apart in co. Limerick, one being the seat of the Geraldines of Kildare, and the other that of the Geraldines of Desmond, whose distinctive war cries were accordingly "*Crom-a-boo*" and "*Shanet-a-boo*." In 1495 an act of Parl. was passed (10 Hen. VII. c. 20) "to abolish the words *Crom-a-boo* and *Butler-a-boo*." The word "*Abù*" or "*Aboo*," an exclamation of defiance, was the usual termination of the war cries in Ireland. See "*Earls of Kildare*," p. 20, as in note "a."

(e) The murder of Richard (Marshall), Earl of Pembroke, in April 1234 at Kilkenny took place during his tenure of office, for whose death he was (probably unjustly) much blamed.

V. 1277. 5. GERALD FITZ-MAURICE (FITZ-GERALD), Lord of Offaly, only s. and h. He in 1260 (v.p.) completed the Franciscan Abbey at Kildare and in 1271 founded the Abbey at Clane. Being wounded at a battle at Thomond with the O'Brien, he *d.* unm. in 1287 at Rathmore and was *bur.* at Kildare^(a) having settled Offaly and his lands at Maynooth on his cousin John, afterwards 1st Earl of Kildare [I.]

VI. 1287. 6. MAURICE FITZ-GERALD "appears to have suc. as 5th Baron of Offaly."^(b) He was nephew and h. male of the last Lord, being only s. and h. of Gerald FITZ-MAURICE, by Joanna, da. of Sir Geoffrey DE GENEVILLE, of Trim, which Maurice was next br. to the last Lord and was drowned in the channel, 1277. He *m.* Agnes, da. of William (DE VALENCE), EARL OF PEMBROKE, by Joan, da. and h. of Warine DE MONCHENSY. He *d.* s.p. certainly before 1298 if not ten years or more earlier. His widow *m.* (secondly) Hugh DE BALIOL and thirdly John DE AVENNES, but *d.* s.p.

VII. 1290? 7. JOHN FITZ-THOMAS FITZ-GERALD, Lord of Offaly, heir male, being only s. and h. of Thomas FITZ-MAURICE, of Geashill, by his first wife, Rohesia, da. and h. of Richard DE ST. MICHAEL, Lord of Rheban, Athy, and Woodstock, which Thomas was yr. br. of Maurice (4th) Lord of Offaly and 3d s. of Maurice (3d) Lord of Offaly both before named. He was *b.* about 1250; *suc.* to the estates of Offaly, &c., in 1287 as above stated and sat in the Parl. [I.], 1295. He was 14 May 1316, *cr.* EARL OF KILDARE [I.] See that title.

FITZ-GERALD AND VESEY^(c) [VESCI or VESCY] OF CLARE AND OF INCHICRONAN, co. CLARE; also FITZ-GERALD OF DESMOND AND CLAN GIBBON.

Barony [I]. 1. CATHARINE FITZ-GERALD, wife of the Rt. Hon. James I. 1826. FITZ-GERALD, was *cr.* 31 July 1826,^(d) BARONESS FITZ-GERALD AND VESEY^(c) [VESCI, or VESCY] OF CLARE AND OF INCHICRONAN,^(e) co. Clare [I]. She was yst. sister and coheir of John Vesey, of Oranmore, co. Galway (who *d.* 1779), being 2d da. of the Rev. Henry VESEY, Warden of Galway, by Mary, da. and coheir of George GERRY, Alderman of Galway. She was *b.* about 1759; *m.* in 1782; was raised to the Peerage as above stated, in 1826, for her husband's services and *d.* 3 Jan. 1832, aged 73. Her husband who was s. of William FITZ-GERALD, of Inchicronan, co. Clare, by Eliza, da. and coheir of Pierce LYNCH, of Grange, was *b.* about 1743; was M.P. for Fore,

(a) Juliana, his only surv. sister, *m.* in 1276 Thomas de Clare (s. of Richard, Earl of Gloucester), by whom she had two daughters and coheirs, *viz.* (1) Margaret who *m.* Bartholomew, Lord Badlesmere, and (2) Maud *m.* Robert, Lord de Clifford. Both these ladies left issue, among which the representation (as heir *general*) of the earlier Lords of Offaly remains.

(b) See "*Earls of Kildare*," (p. 19), as in note "a" on p. 358. The noble author is evidently doubtful as to whether this Maurice survived his cousin the Lord of Offaly above named.

(c) It seems difficult to arrive at the correct spelling of the last word of this title, but it is said to be written as "*Vesey*" in the patent. The name of "*Vesey*," was that which was authorised as a surname by the sign manual of 1815, to the lady's husband. In the Lord's Journals, 16 May 1834, the claim to vote is allowed of "*William Vesey-Fitz-Gerald, Baron Fitz-Gerald and Vesoi*"; but when he takes his seat as a Peer [U.K.], in Feb. 1835, the *surname* and the Irish peerage title are both spelt "*Vesci*," but, finally, when on 5 July 1845, the claim to vote is allowed of his brother and heir, the claimant is called "*Henry Vesey Fitz Gerald, Baron Fitz Gerald and Vesey*," and the Irish patent of 1826, is recited as "*Fitz Gerald and Vesey*."

(d) The three extinctions made use of for this creation, according to the act of Union [I.], were (1) Glenbervie, *ex.* 1823; (2) Milford, *ex.* 1823 and (3) Coleraine, *ex.* 1824.

(e) See p. 190, note "b" (*circa finem*) sub "*Dufferin*," for an instance of the length of some of these 19th century peerage titles.

1776-83; for Tulske, 1783-97; for Kildare, 1798—1800, and for Ennis, 1802-18, being altogether in ten successive Parliaments [I.]; was sometime, 1784-99, Prime Serjeant [I.], P.C. [I.], 1784, being known as "the silver tongued Serjeant," but relinquished all office at the time (and on the ground) of the Union [I.] He *d.* at Herbert House, Booterstown, co. Dublin, 20 Jan. 1835, aged 93.

II. 1832. 2 and 1. WILLIAM (VESCY-FITZ-GERALD), BARON

Barony [U.K.] FITZ-GERALD AND VESEY OF CLARE AND INCHICRONAN [I.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., took (together with his brother) by sign manual, 13 Feb. 1815, the name of *Vesey* before that of *Fitz-Gerald*.

I. 1835. He was one of the Lords of the Treasury and P.C. [I.], 1809; one of the Lords of the Treasury and P.C. [U.K.], 1812; Chancellor of the Exchequer and First Lord of the Treasury [I.]; was M.P. for Clare, 1820-26; for Lostwithiel, 1830, and for Ennis, 1831-35; Envoy to Sweden, 1820; Paymaster Gen., 1826; and Treasurer of the Navy, 1828-30. He was *cr.* 10 Jan. 1835, BARON FITZ-GERALD OF DESMOND AND CLAN GIBBON, Co. CORK [U.K.] President of the Board of Control and first Commissioner for India, 1841-43; Lord Lieut. of co. Clare; F.S.A., &c. He *d.* unm. 11 May 1843, in Belgrave square, Midx., when the *Barony of Fitz-Gerald of Desmond and Clan Gibbon* became *extinct*. Will pr. June 1843.

Barony [I.] 3. HENRY (VESCY-FITZ-GERALD), BARON FITZ-GERALD

III. 1843, AND VESEY OF CLARE AND INCHICRONAN [I.], br. and h., *b.* about 1786; *ed.* at Trin. Coll., Dublin; B.A., 1810; M.A., 1814; LL.B. to 1860. and LL.D., 1815. In Holy Orders; Vicar of Ballintemple; Rector of Castleraghand and Dean of Kilmore. He *m.* 7 Sep. 1825, Elizabeth, da. of Standish O'GRADY, of Elton, co. Limerick. She *d.* 4 March

1834. He *d.* s.p.m. 30 March 1860, aged 74, at Danesfort, co. Cavan, when the *peerage* became *extinct*.

FITZ-GERALD OF KILMARNOCK.

Barony for The Rt. Hon. JOHN-DAVID FITZ-GERALD, one of the Justices of the Queen's Bench division of the High Court of Justice in Ireland was on 23 June 1882, appointed a LORD OF APPEAL IN

Life. ORDINARY (under "the Appellate Jurisdiction act, 1876") and granted the dignity of a *Baron for life*^(a) by the style or title of BARON FITZ-GERALD OF KILMARNOCK, co. Dublin. He was s. of David FITZ GERALD, of Dublin, merchant, by Catherine, 1st da. of

David LEAHY, of London; was *b.* 1816 in Dublin; Barrister (King's Inns), 1838; Queen's Counsel, 1847; M.P. for Ennis, 1852-60; Bencher, 1853; Solicitor Gen. [I.], 1855-56; P.C. [I.], 1856; Attorney Gen. [I.], 1856-58, and 1859-60; Judge of the Queen's Bench [I.], 1860-82, when he was raised to the (life) Peerage as above stated; P.C. [U.K.], 1882; LL.D., of Dublin, &c. He *m.* firstly, in 1846, Rose, 2d da. of John O'DONOGHUE, of Fitzwilliam square, Dublin. She *d.* 1850. He *m.* secondly, 3 May 1860, Jane Matilda Mary, sister of Thomas Arthur Joseph, 4th VISCOUNT SOUTHWELL [I.], 2d da. of Lieut. Col. the Hon. Arthur Francis SOUTHWELL, by Mary Anne Agnes, da. of Thomas DILLON, of Mount Dillon, co. Dublin. He *d.* 16 Oct. 1889, in Fitzwilliam Place, Dublin, and was *bur.* at Glasnevin Cemetery, when his *life Peerage* became, of course, *extinct*. Will pr. at Dublin over £12,000 on 9 Jan. 1820. His widow, who was *b.* 7 Feb. 1838, was living 1890.

FITZ-GIBBON.

i.e., "FITZ-GIBBON OF LOWER CONNELLO, co. Limerick," Barony [I.] (*Fitz-Gibbon*), *cr.* 1789; also "FITZ-GIBBON OF LIMERICK, co. Limerick," Viscounty [I.] (*Fitz-Gibbon*), *cr.* 1793; also "FITZ-GIBBON OF SIDBURY, co. Devon," Barony [G.B.] (*Fitz-Gibbon*), *cr.* 1799; see "CLARE" Earldom [I.], *cr.* 1795; *et.* 1864.

(^a) See vol. i, p. 357, note "a," *sub* "Blackburn," as to the nature and extent of these creations.

FITZ-HARDINGE^(a) OF BEREHAVEN.

Viscounty [I]. 1. CHARLES BERKELEY, 2d s. of Sir Charles B., of Bruton, co. Somerset (who in 1665, *suc.* his said son as 2d Viscount), by Penelope, da. of Sir William GODOLPHIN, was *b.*

I. 1663. before 1636; was groom of the Bedchamber to the Duke of York, 1656, and having faithfully served the Royal family during their exile was knighted at Whitehall, 30 May 1660; was M.P. for new Romney 1661-65; Keeper of the Privy Purse, 1662; and soon afterwards, 14 July 1663, was *cr.* BARON BERKELEY OF RATHDOWNE, co. Wicklow and VISCOUNT FITZ-HARDINGE^(a) OF BEREHAVEN, co. Kerry [I.], with a *spec. rem.*, failing his issue male, to his father and the heirs male of his father's body. Envoy to Paris, Nov. 1664. On 17 March 1664,^(b) he was *cr.* BARON BOTETOURT^(c) OF LANGPORT, co. Somerset and EARL OF FALMOUTH, but with the ordinary limitation. He *m.* 18 Dec. 1664, Mary, da. of Harvey BAGOT, of Pipe Hall, co. Stafford, by his 1st wife, Dorothy, sister and coheir of Robert, and da. of Sir Henry ARDEN of the same. He *d.* s.p.m.^(d) being slain in the naval engagement with the Dutch, 3 June 1665 and was *bur.* the 22d in Westm. Abbey. Will dat. 21 April and pr. 29 June 1665. His widow *m.* (as his first wife) Charles (SACKVILLE), 6th EARL OF DORSET, who *d.* 29 Jan. 1705/6. She *d.* in or before 1679. Admon. 10 May 1679.^(e) On Lord Falmouth's death his *English Earldom and Barony* became *extinct*, while the Irish titles devolved, as under, according to their *spec. limitation*.

II. 1665. 2. CHARLES (BERKELEY), VISCOUNT FITZ-HARDINGE OF BEREHAVEN, &c. [I.], father and (according to the *spec. rem.* in the patent) heir. He was elder br. of John, 1st LORD BERKELEY OF STRATTON, being s. and h. of Sir Maurice Berkeley, of Bruton, co. Somerset, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir William KILLIGREW, of Hanworth, Midx. He was *bap.* 3 Jan. 1599/1600, at St. Margaret's Lothbury, London; knighted, at Beaulieu, 26 Aug. 1622, and, having distinguished himself by his loyalty to Charles I., was at the Restoration, made Comptroller of the Household, P.C., and afterwards Treasurer of the Household. He *m.* Penelope, da. of Sir William GODOLPHIN, of Godolphin, Cornwall, by Thomasine, da. and h. of Thomas SIDNEY, of Writton, co. Norfolk. He *d.* at Whitehall, 12 June 1668. Will dat. 1 Dec. 1666, pr. 27 June 1668. His widow *d.* May 1669. Will, in which she directs to be *bur.* at Bruton, dat. 22 April and pr. 18 May 1669.

III. 1668. 3. MAURICE (BERKELEY), VISCOUNT FITZ-HARDINGE OF BEREHAVEN, &c. [I.], s. and h., being elder br. of the 1st Viscount. He had, v.p., on 2 July 1660, been *cr.* a BARONET, as "of Bruton, co. Somerset." He *m.*, before Dec. 1666, Anne, da. of Sir Henry LEE, 1st Bart., of Quarendon, by Eleanor, da. of Sir Richard WORTHY. He *d.* s.p.m. legit. 13 June 1690, when his *Baronetcy* became *extinct*. Will, &c., in which he directs to be *bur.* at Bruton dat. 22 April and 3 May 1690, pr. 27 June following. His wife survived him.

IV. 1690, 4. JOHN (BERKELEY), VISCOUNT FITZ-HARDINGE OF
to BEREHAVEN and BARON BERKELEY OF RATHDOWNE [I.], yst. br. and
1712. h. Treasurer of the Chamber and one of the Tellers of the
Exchequer to Queen Anne. He *m.* Barbara, 1st da. of Sir Edward
VILLIERS, Knight-Marshal, by his 1st wife, Frances, yst. da. of

^(a) Robert *Fitz Hardinge* (said to be "a noble Dane") obtained the Lordship of Berkeley, co. Gloucester from King Henry II., and was ancestor to the race of Berkeley.

^(b) The date assigned in Doyle's Official Baronage is 6 March 1665.

^(c) He was a *descendant* but not a representative of the Lords Botetourt, his branch of the family being a cadet of the Berkeleys of Stoke Gifford in which line vested the coheirship to that dignity. See vol. i, p. 384, note "c" in the Tabular pedigree, sub "Botetourt."

^(d) His only surv. child, Mary *m.* 2 May 1681, Gilbert Gerard, afterwards Sir Gilbert Cosin-Gerard, Bart., from whom she was divorced in 1684, and *d.* s.p. 18 April 1693, in her 28th year, being *bur.* at Bexley, Kent. M.I.

^(e) See p. 151, note "e," sub "Dorset," as to her character.

Theophilus (HOWARD), 2d EARL OF SUFFOLK. She was Governess to H.R.H. the young Duke of Gloucester, who *d.* 1700. She *d.* 19 Sep. 1708, in her 52d year, and was *bur.* in Westm. Abbey. M.I. He *d.* at Windsor, 19 Dec. 1712, *s.p.m.* in his 63d year, and was *bur.* the 26th in Westm. Abbey. Will dat. 7 June 1712, pr. 3 Jan. 1712/3. On his death the issue male of the father of the grantee, and consequently the *Peerage* granted with limitation to such issue, became *extinct*.

FITZHARDINGE.

Earldom.

I. 1841,
to
1857.

1. WILLIAM-FITZ-HARDINGE BERKELEY, of Berkeley Castle, co. Glouc., eldest s. of Frederick Augustus (Berkeley), EARL OF BERKELEY, by Mary, da. of William COLE, being the son of a marriage alleged to have taken place on 30 March 1785 (as sworn by that lady), but which was without a dissenting voice declared by the House of Lords, on 1 July 1811, *not* to be proved. He was *b.*

26 Dec. 1786, in Mount street, Grosvenor sq., *bap.* at St. Geo. Han. sq., 25 Jan. 1787, and during the latter part of the life of his father^(a) was *styled* (as his s. and h. ap.) VISCOUNT DURSLEY^(b); M.P. for co. Gloucester, 1810. At his father's death, 8 Aug. 1810, he *suc.*, under settlement to the vast estates of the family and petitioned for his writ of summons as a Peer, but his legitimacy *not* being proved (as above said) he thenceforth (having been Col. of the South Glouc. Militia since 1810) *styled* himself "Col. Berkeley," and, as such, was well known in the annals of politics, sport, fashion, and scandal, for a long period. He was the mainstay of the "Liberal" party in the west, securing one seat (at the least) for that party in east as well as in west Gloucestershire. From 1823 to 1830 he claimed (unsuccessfully) the *Barony of Berkeley* as a *Barony* appertaining to the castle and honor of Berkeley *by tenure*^(c). He was raised to the *Peerage* at the coronation of William IV., being *cr.*, 10 Sep. 1831,^(d) BARON SEGRAVE^(e) OF BERKELEY CASTLE, co. Gloucester. He was, on 17 Aug. 1841, *cr.* EARL FITZ-HARDINGE just previous to the resignation of the Melbourne Ministry. He was Lord Lieut. for the co. of Gloucester, 1836. He *d. unm.* at Berkeley Castle, 10 Oct. 1857, aged 70, when all his honours became *extinct*. Will pr. Dec. 1857.

FITZHARDINGE OF BRISTOL.

Barony.

I. 1861.

1. MAURICE-FREDERICK-FITZ-HARDINGE BERKELEY, of Berkeley Castle, co. Gloucester, next br. to the above named EARL FITZHARDINGE, being s. of Frederick Augustus (Berkeley), EARL OF BERKELEY, by Mary da. of William COLE, and their second son by a marriage alleged to have taken place on 30 March 1785 as before mentioned. He was *b.* 3 Jan. 1788, and *bap.* 16 March at St. Geo. Han. sq. Entering the Naval Service, 1802, he became finally Admiral of the White, 1863. He was M.P. for Gloucester in five Parliaments, *viz.*, 1832-33; 1835-37 and 1841-57; was a Lord of the Admiralty, 1833-34; 1837-39; 1846-52 and 1852-57. P.C., 1855; C.B., 1855; G.C.B., 1861. On the death of his elder br., 10 Oct. 1857, he *suc.* to the vast estates of the family under the will of his

(a) About the year 1799 "and, I think, not before," according to the evidence of his mother in 1811.

(b) His younger brother (the first child born after the marriage in 1796) was *bap.* at St. Martin's in the fields 19 Nov. 1796, and registered as "Lord Dursley, son of the Earl and Countess of Berkeley;" all the previous ones (6) having been registered as children of the Earl of Berkeley and "Mary Cole." In each case the form of entry was according to a minute in their father's handwriting.

(c) See vol. i, p. 337, note "c," *sub* "Berkeley."

(d) For a list of these "coronation" peerages see vol. ii, p. 312, note "a," *sub* "Cloncurry."

(e) To the *Barony of Segrave* the Berkeley family was (then) considered a coheir, but by the decision of the House in 1877 it would appear that the abeyance of this *Barony* between the families of Berkeley and Howard had (together with the *Barony of Mowbray*) been terminated in favour of the latter family ever since the time of King Richard III.

father. He, like his br., claimed the *Barony of Berkeley* as a Barony appertaining to the Castle and Honour of Berkeley *by tenure*, which claim on 26 Feb. 1861, was declared by the House as not proved. (a) On 5 Aug. 1861, he was *cr.* BARON FITZ-HARDINGE of the city, and county of the city OF BRISTOL. He *m.* firstly, 4 Dec. 1823, at Chichester, Charlotte, da. of Charles (LENNOX), 4th DUKE OF RICHMOND, by Charlotte, 1st da. of Alexander (GORDON), 4th DUKE OF GORDON [S]. She, who was *b.* 4 Dec. 1804, *d.* 20 Aug. 1833. He *m.* secondly, 30 Sep. 1834, at Woodchester, Charlotte, da. of Thomas (MORTON), 1st EARL OF DUCIE, by Frances, da. of Henry (HERBERT), 1st EARL OF CARNARVON. He *d.* 17 Oct. 1867, at Berkeley Castle in his 80th year. Will pr. 23 Nov. 1867, under £60,000. His widow, who was *b.* Nov. 1806, *d. s.p.* 2 July, 1881, aged 74, at 40, Hans place, Midx.

II. 1867. 2. FRANCIS WILLIAM FITZ-HARDINGE (BERKELEY), BARON FITZ-HARDINGE OF BRISTOL, s. and h., *b.* 16 Nov. 1826. Ed. at Rugby school; Capt. Royal Horse Guards, 1853-57. Lieut. Col. of the Glouc. Yeomanry Cavalry, 1859-82; Hon. Col. 1882, Lieut.-Col. Com. South Glouc. Militia, 1860-68; Hon. Col. 1868. M.P. for Cheltenham, 1856-65. He *m.* 24 Nov. 1857, at East Clandon, co. Surrey, Georgina, da. of William HOLME-SUMMER of Hatchlands in East Clandon, Surrey, by Mary Barnard, 1st da. of James Barnard HANKEY, of Fetcham Park, Surrey.

Family Estates.—These in 1883, consisted of 18,264 acres in Gloucestershire, 1,471 in Dorset and 539 (near Cranford), in Middlesex. Total 20,274, worth £33,717 a year. *Principal Residence.* Berkeley Castle, co. Gloucester.

The above does not include the vast estates in London (Berkeley square, Stratton street, Bruton street, &c.), see vol. i, p. 342, note "b," *sub* "Berkeley of Stratton." See also vol. ii, p. 51, note "a" (*circa finem*), *sub* "Bucleuch," for some account of such Peers as hold considerable London property.

FITZ-HARRIS OF HURN COURT.

i.e., "FITZ-HARRIS OF HURN COURT, co. Southampton," Viscounty (Harris), *cr.* 1800, with the EARLDOM OF MALMESBURY, which see.

FITZ-HENRY.

HUGH FITZ-HENRY, of Ravensworth, in Richmondshire, was one of those who were sum. 8 June (1294), 22 Ed. II., to attend the King wherever he might be, &c., but this cannot be considered as a regular writ of summons to Parl. (b) He was one, however, of those whose name (as "*D'n's de Ravenewath*") in 1301, is appended to the celebrated letter to the Pope. (c) He *d.* at Berwick on Tweed in March 1303/4, being ancestor of the Lords Fitz-Hugh.

Barony by Writ.
I. 1309. 1. AUCHER FITZ-HENRY, (d) who *m.* Joan, da. and coheir of John DE BELLEW, by Laderina, sister and coheir of Peter DE BRUCE, of Skelton, co. York, acquired thereby an eighth part of the Barony of Skelton, and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron (LORD FITZ-HENRY) from 4 March (1308/9), 2 Ed. II., to 10 Oct. (1325), 19 Ed. II. He *d.* about (1339), 13 Ed. III.
II. 1339. 2. HENRY FITZ-AUCHER, s. and h., aged 40 in (1339), 13 Ed. III. He appears never to have been sum. to Parl. as a

(a) See vol. i, p. 337, note "c," *sub* "Berkeley."

(b) See vol. i, p. 259, note "c," *sub* "Basset de Sapcote."

(c) See account thereof in "*Nicolas*," pp. 761—809.

(d) He was probably a descendant of a Richard Fitz-Aucher, who held lands in Epping and Waltham, co. Essex, *temp.* Hen. III.

Baron. He *m.* Beatrice before 1339. He appears to have *d. s.p.* when any *Barony* that may have been *cr.* as *afsd.* became *dormant*^(a) or *extinct*.

FITZ-HERBERT OF EASTWELL.

i.e., "FITZ-HERBERT OF EASTWELL, co. Kent," *Barony (Finch), cr.* 1660, the grantee being already (by succession in 1639) EARL OF WINCHILSEA; *cr.* 1729. See "WINCHILSEA" Earldom, *cr.* 1628, under the 3d, 4th, 5th, and 6th holders thereof.

FITZ-HUGH.

- Barony by Writ.**
- I. 1321. 1. HENRY FITZ-HUGH, of Ravensworth, in Richmondshire, s. and h. of Hugh FITZ-HENRY (named on page 363) of the same, by Albreda, his wife, *suc.* his father in March 1303/4; distinguished himself greatly in the wars with Scotland; was Gov. of Barnard Castle, 1315, and was *sum.* to Parl. as a Baron (LORD FITZ-HUGH) from 15 May (1321), 14 Ed. II., to 15 Nov. (1351), 25 Ed. III. He *m.* Eve, da. of Sir John BULMER. He *d.* 1356.
- II. 1356. 2. HENRY (FITZ-HUGH), LORD FITZ-HUGH, grandson and h., being 2d but only *surv. s.* of Sir Henry FITZ-HUGH, by Joan, sister and coheir of William, and da. of Sir William FOURNEYS, of Carleton, Notts, which Henry was s. and h. ap. of the last Lord but *d. v.p.* He served in the wars with France, 1358-68. He *m.* Joane, da. of Henry (SCROPE), 1st LORD SCROPE [DE MASHAM], by Joan, his wife. He *d.* 29 Aug. 1386, and was *bur.* at Jervaulx Abbey.
- III. 1386. 3. HENRY (FITZ-HUGH), LORD FITZ-HUGH,^(b) s. and h., aged 23 at his father's death in 1386. He was *sum.* to Parl. as a Baron^(c) from 17 Dec. (1387), 11 Ric. II., to 1 Sep. (1423), 2 Hen. VI. He held a prominent position during the reigns of Henry IV. and Henry V., being employed by the former on missions to Denmark and Scotland, being CONSTABLE OF ENGLAND at the coronation of Henry V., to whom he was afterwards Chamberlain of the Household and with whom he served in the French wars. He is said to have visited Jerusalem, Cairo, &c. **K.G.**, 1408. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir Robert GREY, *alias* MARMION, by Lora, da. and coheir of Herbert de St. QUINTIN. He *d.* 11 Jan. 1424/5. Will dat. 27 Dec. 1424, directing his burial to be at Jervaulx Abbey. The will of his widow ("Lady of Ravensworth"^(d)) dat. 24 Sep. and 10 Dec. 1427, at Witton directs her burial to be at Jervaulx Abbey.^(d)
- IV. 1425. 4. WILLIAM (FITZ-HUGH), LORD FITZ-HUGH, 3d but 1st *surv. s.* and h., aged 26 at his father's death. He was *sum.* to Parl. as a Baron^(c) from 12 July (1429), 7 Hen. VI., to 5 Sep. (1450), 29 Hen. VI. He was, with his father, in the French wars. In 1433 he was one of the Commissioners to treat with Scotland and, two years later, was in command against the Scots. He *m.* Margery, da. of William (WILLOUGHBY), LORD WILLOUGHBY DE ERESBY, by his first wife, Lucy, da. of Robert (STRANGE), LORD STRANGE DE KNOKIN. He *d.* 22 Oct. 1452.
- V. 1452. 5. HENRY (FITZ-HUGH), LORD FITZ-HUGH, only s. and h., aged 23 at his father's death. He was *sum.* to Parl. as a Baron^(c) from 26 May 1455 (33 Hen. VI.), to 15 Oct. 1470. In 1460 he was made Steward of the Honour of Richmond by Henry VI., but he appears to have been in favour also

^(a) Joan Fitz-Aucher, his sister, is said to have *m.* (—) Cloville, of Hanningfield, co. Essex, to which family the arms of Aucher are allowed as a quartering.

^(b) John Fitz Hugh, who was slain in the battle of Otterbourne, 10 Aug. 1388, is said to have been an elder br. of this Henry and to have *d. v.p.* It is more likely from the dates that he was a younger *uncle* (not brother) to this Henry.

^(c) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

^(d) "From the Antiquarian Repertory, No. xxix," see "*Test. Vet.*," p. 212.

with Edward IV. In 1468 he made a pilgrimage to the Holy Sepulchre. He *m.* Alice (sister of Richard, the celebrated Earl of Warwick and Salisbury), da. of Richard (NEVILL), EARL OF SALISBURY, by Alice, da. and h. of Thomas (MONTACUTE), also EARL OF SALISBURY. He *d.* 4 June 1472.

VI. 1472. 6. RICHARD (FITZ-HUGH), LORD FITZ-HUGH, only surv. s. and h., aged 15 years at the death of his father. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron^(a) from 15 Nov. (1482) to 1 Sep. (1487), 3 Hen. VII. He was present at the coronation of Richard III, 6 July 1483,^(b) but was constituted by Henry VII, in 1486, Gov. of the Castles of Richmond, Middleham and Barnard Castle. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Thomas (BURGH or BOROUGH), 1st LORD BURGH DE GAYNESBORO, by Margaret, da. of Thomas (ROS), LORD DE ROS. He *d.* about 1508.

VII. 1508, 7. GEORGE (FITZ-HUGH), LORD FITZ-HUGH, only s. and to h. had livery of his lands in 1509. He was sum. to Parl. as a 1512. Baron from 17 Oct. (1509), 1 Hen. VIII. to 28 Nov. (1511), 3 Hen. VIII. He *d.* s.p. (1512-13), 4 Hen. VIII., when the Barony fell into *abeyance*.^(c)

FITZ-JOHN.

JOHN FITZ-JOHN, who in 1258, was under age (tho' *m.* to Margery, da. of Philip BASSET, the Chief Justicier, 1261-63), was sum. to [Montfort's] Parl., 14th Dec. (1264), 49 Henry III. Such summons, however, does not originate a hereditary Barony.^(d) He fought against the King at Evesham, 4 Aug. 1265, being almost the only person of note, on that side, who survived that battle. He *d.*, s.p., (1276), 4 Ed. I.

(a) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(b) See p. 8, note "b," *sub* "Dacre of the North," for a list of the Peers there present.

(c) The coheirs were (1) his aunt, Alice, wife of Sir Thomas Fienes, and eldest da. of the 5th Lord. Her representative in 1890 (thro' the families of Fiennes, Lenard, Roper and Brand) is the Viscount Hampden. (2) Sir Thomas Parr, s. and h. of Elizabeth, another da. of the said 5th Lord Fitz Hugh. Her representative in 1890 (thro' the families of Parr, Herbert, Windsor and Stuart) is the Marquess of Bute.

(d) "The first writ extant [of any summons to Parl.] is that of the 49 Hen. III. [24 Dec. 1264], but very little can be gathered from it, as it does not contain the names of one-third part of the Baronial body, and, though issued in the King's name, the King was himself a prisoner to [Simon de Montfort] the Earl of Leicester, the leader of the rebellious Barons, who [*i.e.*, which Earl] it may be fairly inferred, summoned only those Barons, who took part with him *against* the Royal cause" [Courthope, p. xxv, *sub* "Baronies by writ"]. In this writ the number of lay Peers summoned was but 23, of whom five (LEICESTER, GLOUCESTER, NORFOLK, OXFORD and DERBY) were *Earls*; the remaining eighteen were as follows, *viz.* (1) CAMOYS; (2) ST. JOHN; (3) LE DESPENCER "*Justic. Angl.*"; (4) FITZ-JOHN; (5) MUNCHENSI; (6) SEGRAVE; (7) VESCY; (8) BASSET DE DRAYTON; (9) HASTINGS; (10) LUCY; (11) ROS; (12) D'EYVILLE; (13) NEWMARCH; (14) COLVILLE; (15) MARMION; (16) BERTRAM; (17) BASSET DE SACPOTE and (18) GAUNT. It was, however, held in 1877, by the House of Lords (in the decision on the claim to the Barony of Segrave) that *no peerage* can be considered as having been constituted by this writ, which was issued in rebellion. This, consequently establishes the writ of 28 June 1283 (11 Ed. I.), as the *earliest* that can constitute a peerage Barony by writ, save, probably as to two (pre-judicated) cases, *viz.*, those of Le Despencer and de Ros, each of which had *previously* (one in 1604 and the other in 1806) been allowed as Baronies *originating* with the writ of 1264. See p. 90, note "c," *sub* "Despencer."

Barony by Writ. RICHARD FITZ-JOHN, son of John^(a) FITZ-JOHN-FITZ-GEOFFREY, of Berkhamstead, Herts, &c., and br. and h. of John Fitz-John (next above named) *suc.* his said brother in 1276, being I. 1295, then aged 24. He was in the wars in Wales and France, and was to sum. as a Baron [LORD FITZ-JOHN] by writ, directed "*Rico. fil. Johis.*" 23 June (1295), 23 Ed. I.^(b) He m. Emma. He *d.*, s.p. in France (1297), 25 Ed. I., when the *Barony* became extinct. His widow was living 1298.^(c)

MATTHEW FITZ-JOHN^(d) was sum. 26 Jan. (1296/7), 25 Ed. I., to attend the King at Salisbury.^(e) He was one of the Barons whose signature is appended (as "*Matt's fil. Joh'is, D'n's de Stokham*") to the celebrated letter in 1301 to the Pope,^(f) and had previously been Governor of Exeter (1288), Sheriff of Devon (1288 and 1294) Warden of the forests of Melksham and Chippenham (1301), &c. He *d. s.p.* (1309-10), 3 Ed. II., having left all his land to the King. His widow Eleanor living 1310.

FITZ-MARMADUKE, see THWENG.

FITZ-MAURICE.

i.e., "FITZ-MAURICE," Viscounty [I.] (*Fitz-Maurice Petty*), *cr.* 1751. See "SHELBURNE," Earldom [I.], *cr.* 1753.

FITZ-OSBERT.

ROGER FITZ-OSBERT was sum. (with about 60 other persons) 8 June (1294), 22 Ed. I., to attend the King wherever he might be to advise on the affairs of the realm.^(g) He *d. s.p.* about 1306.

FITZ-PAYNE.

Barony by Writ. I. ROBERT FITZ-PAYNE, s. and h. of Robert FITZ-PAYNE, *suc.* his father, in 1280, in very considerable estates in Dorset, Somerset, Wilts, Devon, &c., was in the Welsh wars, 1282, was sum. 26 Jan. (1296/7), 25 Ed. I., to attend the King at Salisbury^(e) and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FITZ-PAYNE] by writs directed "*Robo. fil. Pagani*" from 6 Feb. (1298/9), 27 Ed. I., to 23 Oct. (1314), 8 Ed. II. He was in the Scotch wars, 1303; **K.B.**, 1306; was at the

^(a) This John who *d.* 1258, was s. and h. of John FITZ-GEOFFREY-FITZ-PIERS, who was a yr. s. of Geoffrey (FITZ-PIERS), Earl of Essex (the said John being the said Earl Geoffrey's son by a *second* wife) and was br. of the half-blood and heir to some of the estates of William (de Mandeville), Earl of Essex (the said Earl's son by a *first* wife) who *d.* 1227. See p. 281, note "d," *sub* "Essex."

^(b) His name occurs in the rolls of Parl. before the record of writs of summons commenced.

^(c) His estates devolved on his sisters or their issue, whose names, as also the property they inherited, are very fully given in "*Dugdale.*"

^(d) His pedigree is in *Dugdale* (vol. i, p. 625), *sub* "Fitz-Herbert." He is said to be s. of John who was s. of Matthew, a yr. s. of Herbert Fitz-Herbert, Chamberlain to King Stephen. See Banks' "*Bar. Angl.*," vol. ii, p. 81.

^(e) See vol. i, p. 111, note "b," *sub* "Ap-Adam," as to the summons of 1297 not having the effect of a regular writ of summons to Parl.

^(f) See full account of this letter and the signatories thereto in "*Nicolas*," pp. 761-809.

^(g) See vol. i, p. 259, note "c," *sub* "Basset de Sapcote," as to the summons of 1294 not having the effect of a regular writ of summons to Parl.

coronation of Edward II., 1307/8 ; Gov. of the castle of Winchester, 1307 ; Steward of the Household, 1308, &c. He was one of the Barons whose signature is appended (as "*Rob's fil. Pagani, D'n's de Lammer*") to the celebrated letter in 1301 to the Pope.^(a) He m. Isabel, da. and finally sole heir of Sir John CLIFFORD, of Frampton, co. Gloucester. He d. (1315-16), 9 Ed. II. His widow was living (1319-20), 13 Ed. II.

II. 1316, 2. ROBERT (FITZ-PAYNE), LORD FITZ-PAYNE, only s. to and h., aged 28 at his father's death. He was sum. to Parl. as a Baron from 7 Aug. (1327), 1 Ed. III., to 15 Nov. (1351), 25 Ed. III. He served in the wars in Scotland and France and was a Knight Banneret before 1344. He m. before (1323-24), 17 Ed. II., Ela, widow of John MARESCAL, of co. Norfolk, being probably a sister of Guy, LORD BRYAN, and a da. of Sir Guy DE BRYAN. He d. s.p.m. (1354), 28 Ed. III., when the *Barony* became dormant^(b) till in 1450 it fell into *abeyance*. His widow d. (1356), 30 Ed. III.

ROBERT DE GREY, yr. s. of Richard, LORD GREY DE CODNOR, by Johanna, his wife, having m. before (1323-24), 17 Ed. II., Elizabeth, sister of Guy, LORD BRYAN, and probably sister of Ela, LADY FITZ-PAYNE abovenamed, inherited, on the death of the said Ela, most of the estates held by her and her husband, Lord Fitz Payne abovenamed, under a settlement made by them in (1323-24), 17 Ed. II., to that effect, in the event of their dying without *male* issue. He was accordingly in (1356), 30 Ed. III., found *heir by grant* to the said Ela. He thereupon assumed the name of *Fitz Payne* and is sometimes (tho' erroneously) supposed to have been cr. LORD-FITZ PAYNE 6 April 1369.^(c) He d. s.p.m. (1392-93), 16 Ric. II.^(d)

^(a) See p. 366, note "f."

^(b) His only da. and h. Isabel (30 years old at her father's death in 1354) would appear to be *de jure suo jure* BARONESS FITZ-PAYNE, but neither she nor her heirs ever assumed that dignity. She m. John Chideocke (who d. 1387) and had a s. and h., Sir John Chideocke (aged 40 in 1387) whose s. and h. Sir John Chideocke (aged 15 in 1416) left at his death in 1450 two daughters and coheirs among whose descendants this *Barony* still remains in *abeyance*. Of these daughters (1) Katharine m. (secondly) Sir John Arundel, of Lanherne, and is represented by the heirs of Sir John A., of Lanherne, who d. s.p.m. in 1701 ; while (2) Margaret m. William (Stourton), Lord Stourton, and is represented by Lord Mowbray, Segrave, and Stourton, who is thus (1890) coheir (*i.e.*, the heir to a moiety) of the *Barony* of Fitz Payne.

^(c) "He is said to have been sum. to Parl., in Dugdale's List of Summonses, 6 Apr. (43 Edw. III.), 1369 ; but it appears, from a MS. note of the late Francis Townsend, Esq., Windsor Herald, and which the List of Summonses printed by order of the House of Lords confirms, that the names of the four Barons last mentioned in that writ, as given by Dugdale, viz., Johanni filio Ricardi Grey de Codenoure, Johanni de Tibetot, Roberto Fitz-Paine, and Henrico de Percy, are not on the roll." [*Nicolas*.]

^(d) "Isabel, his da. and heiress, m. Richard, Lord Poynings, and from the heiress of Robert, Baron Poynings (s. and h. of the said Richard, Lord Poynings, and Isabel Fitz-Payne, his wife), marrying Henry Percy, s. and h. apparent of Henry XIII., 2d Earl of Northumberland (who was sum. to Parl. *jure uxoris* as Baron Poynings) his descendants styled themselves Barons Poynings, Fitz-Payne, and Bryan. Under the latter title it has been clearly proved [vol. ii, p. 45, note "a"] that the Earls of Northumberland had no claim to the *Barony* of Bryan ; and, with respect to the *Barony* of Fitz-Payne, it is evident that, as Isabel de Grey, *alias* Poynings, da. and h. of the above Robert de Grey, did not descend from Robert Fitz-Payne, who was sum. to Parl. in 27 Edw. I., she could not have possessed any right to the *Barony* created by that writ ; and as it appears that her father was not sum. to Parl. (or at least that there is no record of it on the roll) the said Isabel could never have inherited any *Barony* whatever." [*Nicolas*.]

FITZ-REGINALD.

- Barony by Writ.** I. JOHN FITZ-REGINALD, of Blenleveny in Wales, s. and h. of Reginald FITZ-PETER,^(a) of the same, by Joan, coheir of William DE FORTIBUS, *suc.* his father in (1286), 14 Ed. I.; was sum. (with about 60 other persons) 8 June (1294), 22 Ed. I., to attend the King wherever he might be to advise on the affairs of the realm;^(b) was again sum. 26 Jan. (1296/7), 25 Ed. I., to attend the King at Salisbury^(c) and finally was sum. as a Baron [LORD FITZ-REGINALD] from 29 Dec. (1299), 28 Ed. I., to 26 Aug. (1307), 1 Ed. II.^(d) He (as "*Johannes filius Reginaldi, Dominus Blenleveney*") was one of the signatories to the memorable letter in 1301 to the Pope.^(e) He *m.* Alice, who survived him, and *d.* (1309-10), 3 Ed. II.
- II. 1310. 2. HERBERT FITZ JOHN-FITZ REGINALD, s. and h., whose descendants are said to have assumed the name of Fitz-Herbert, but of him who was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron, nothing is known, save that in (1327), 1 Ed. III., his widow, Eleanor held a third of Blenleveny in dower.^(f)

FITZ-ROBERT.

See "CLAVERING or FITZ-ROGER" Barony, *cr.* 1295, under the second Baron, John Fitz-Robert *alias* Clavering.

FITZ-ROGER.

See "CLAVERING or FITZ ROGER," Barony, *cr.* 1295; *dormant or extinct*, 1332.

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- Barony by Writ.** JOHN FITZ-ROGER was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FITZ-ROGER] on 6 Feb. (1298/9), 27 Ed. I., but never afterwards. Nothing further is known of him.^(g)
- I. 1299.
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- Barony by Writ.** ANDREW FITZ-ROGER was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FITZ-ROGER], on 10 April (1299), 27 Ed. I., but never afterwards. Nothing further is known of him.^(g)
- I. 1299.
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(a) This Reginald *suc.* his br. Herbert Fitz-Peter about 1249, both being sons of Peter Fitz-Herbert, by Isabel, *da.* and coheir of William de Braose, of Brecknock, the heiress of Blenleveny, which Peter was s. and h. of the well known Herbert Fitz-Herbert, Chamberlain to King Stephen.

(b) See p. 366, note "g."

(c) See p. 366, note "e."

(d) As to one of these Parls., *viz.*, that of 35 Ed. I., "He may be presumed to have been present in this Parl. as the names of those who did not attend are mentioned, and why excused; which, intimates that all the others summoned obeyed their writ." [Banks's *Bar. Angl.* vol. ii., p. 81].

(e) See p. 366, note "f."

(f) In Atkyns's "*Gloucestershire*," p. 239, mention is made of Matthew Fitz-Herbert, of Harefield in that co., a descendant of John Fitz-Reginald, Lord Fitz-Reginald (who had in 1286 inherited that estate from his father), having levied a fine thereof (1340), 14 Ed. III. to himself and his br. Reginald, in tail male, with rem. to Edward St. John, and having died (1356), 30 Ed. III., after which the said Edward St. John of Scopham and Joan his wife became in (1382-83), 6 Ric. II., seized of the same.

(g) It is not improbable that John and Andrew Fitz-Roger were brothers of Robert Fitz-Roger, Lord of Clavering, who was sum. to Parl. as a Baron, 1295, but 4 years previously (See under "Clavering"), but their names do not occur in any reliable pedigree of that family.

FITZ-WALTER.

- Barony by Writ.** 1. ROBERT FITZ-WALTER, of Woodham-Walter, and Dunmow, co. Essex, &c., s. and h. of Walter FITZ-WALTER^(a) of the same, by Maud, his first wife, *suc.* his father in 1257, being then aged 10 years; was knighted, 1274; distinguished himself in the wars with France, Wales and Scotland and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FITZ-WALTER] from 23 June (1295), 23 Ed. I. to 10 Oct. (1325), 19 Ed. II.^(b) He was one of the Barons, who (as *Robertus fil. Walteri, Dominus de Wodeham*) subscribed in 1301, the celebrated letter to the Pope.^(c) He *m.* firstly before (1280), 8 Ed. I., Devorgild, da. and coheir of John DE BURGH, of Walkern, Herts, by Cicely, da. of John DE BALIOL. She *d.* s.p.m., 1284. He *m.* secondly, Eleanor, said to be da. of (—) FERRERS. He *d.* (1325), 19 Ed. II.^(d) *Inq. post mortem*, at Shimpling, 29 Jan. 1325/6.
- II. 1325. 2. ROBERT (FITZ-WALTER), LORD FITZ-WALTER, s. and h., by 2d wife, aged 25 and upwards, at his father's death. He was in 1327, in the expedition to Scotland, but was never sum. to Parl. He *m.* before 1334, at which date she was aged 30, Joan, 1st sister and coheir of John, Lord Multon (who *d.*, s.p., 1334), da. of Thomas (DE MULTON), LORD MULTON, both of Egremont in Cumberland. He *d.* 1328. *Inq. post mortem*, 19 July 1328. His widow, in 1338, had for her share the Castle of Egremont and a third of the manor thereof. She *d.* 1363, having survived her son.
- III. 1328. 3. JOHN (FITZ-WALTER), LORD FITZ-WALTER, s. and h., aged 13 and upwards, at his father's death. He was sum. to Parl. from 3 March (1340/1), 15 Ed. III. to 20 Nov. (1360), 34 Ed. III. He was in the French wars and was knighted before Paris in 1360. He *m.* before 1340, Eleanor, da. of Henry (PERCY), LORD PERCY, by Idonea, da. of Robert (DE CLIFFORD), LORD CLIFFORD. He *d.* 18 Oct. 1361. *Inq. post mortem*, 13 Jan. (1360/1), 35 Ed. III. His wife (or widow) appears to have been dead before May, 1368.^(e)
- IV. 1361. 4. WALTER (FITZ-WALTER), LORD FITZ-WALTER, s. and h., aged 16 in Michaelmas 1361 and aged 19 at the death of his grandmother abovenamed. He was sum. to Parl. from 6 April (1369), 43 Ed. III., to 3 Sep. (1385), 9 Ric. II.^(f) He was taken prisoner, in 1370, in the war with Gascony, whereby he had to mortgage his castle of Egremont for £1,000. He served also against Spain and was considered "one of the most expert soldiers in this realm."^(g) He was of great service, in 1381, in helping to suppress the rebellion in Essex. Warden of the West Marches, 1384. He *m.* firstly (lic. 23 June 1362), Eleanor, da. of Thomas (Dagworth), LORD DAGWORTH, by Eleanor, da. of Humphrey (BOHUN), Earl of Hereford. He *m.* secondly Philippa, 1st da. and coheir of John (DE MOHUN), LORD MOHUN DE DUNSTER, by Joane, da. of Bartholomew (DE BURGHESH), LORD BURGHESH. He *d.* Sep. 1386. His widow who "must have been born as early as

(a) This Walter was s. and h. of Robert Fitz Walter, "Marshal of the army of God and Holy Church," the foremost among the 25 Barons to enforce the "*Magna Charta*," who was slain at the siege of Damietta in 1234.

(b) His name occurs in the rolls of Parl. before the record of writs of summons commenced.

(c) See account thereof in "*Nicolas*," pp. 761—809.

(d) He alienated in 1275, Barnard's Castle (called "The Castle of London") which (together with the Barony of Dunmow) had been conferred by King Henry I., on his ancestor, Robert Fitz Richard (5th s. of Richard Fitz Gilbert, ancestors of the Earls of Clare), which Robert was grandfather of the famous Robert Fitz Walter (see note "a," *supra*) his own grandfather. The rights pertaining to that Castle (*viz.*, that of Banner Bearer to the city of London) as "Constable of the Castle of London," he retained for himself and his posterity.

(e) In the very minute will (of that date) of her brother, Thomas Percy, Bishop of Norwich, no mention is made of her.

(f) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(g) "*Dugdale*," vol. i, p. 222.

1367^(a) *m.* Sir John GOLAFRE, of Langley, Oxon, who *d.* 1396. She *m.* thirdly Edward (PLANTAGENET), 2d DUKE OF YORK (*suc.* as such, 1 Aug. 1402) who was slain at Agincourt 25 Oct. 1415, aged 42. Her will dat. 12 March 1430, pr. 13 Nov. 1431. She is *bur.* in Westm. Abbey. M.I.^(b)

V. 1386. 5. WALTER (FITZ-WALTER), LORD FITZ-WALTER, s. and h.,^(c) *b.* about 1368, being 18 at the death of his father. He was *sum.* to Parl. from 12 Sep. (1390), 14 Ric. II., to 25 Aug. (1404), 5 Hen. IV.^(d) In 1398 he was found coheir to Maud, Countess of Northumberland (da. of Thomas, Lord Lucy), as to her share in the estates of her grandmother, Margaret, sister of Joan, Lady Fitz Walter, da. and coheir of Thomas, Lord Multon of Egremont, both abovenamed. He *m.* before April 1390 (at which date she was in her 12th year) Joan, apparently *de jure suo jure*, BARONESS DEVEREUX, being sister and heir (1396 and then aged 17) of John, Lord Devereux, and da. of John (DEVEREUX), LORD DEVEREUX, by Margaret, his wife. He *d.* 16 May (1406), 7 Hen. IV. *Inq. post mortem* at Sudbury 8 Hen. IV. Will dat. at York, directing his burial to be at Henham. His widow *m.* (as his third wife) before 1409 Hugh (BURNELL), LORD BURNELL, who *d.* s.p.m.s. 27 Nov. 1420. She was one of the Ladies for whom robes of the Order of the Garter^(e) were prepared, firstly in 1390 and 1399, as "Lady Fitz Walter" and secondly, in 1409, after her remarriage as the "Lady de Burnell." She *d.* 11 May (1409), 10 Hen. IV., and was *bur.* at Dunmow afsd. *Inq. post mortem* (together with that of her son) 6 Nov. (1422), 1 Hen. VI.

VI. 1406. 6. HUMPHREY (FITZ-WALTER), LORD FITZ-WALTER, s. and h., who, apparently, on the death of his mother, in 1409, would also have been LORD DEVEREUX. He was *b.* at Penshurst, co. Kent, 18 Oct. 1398, and was about eight years old at his father's death. He *d.* under age and unm. 1 Sep. (1415), 3 Hen. V. *Inq. post mortem* 6 Nov. (1422), 1 Hen. VI., at Newmarket.

VII. 1415. 7. WALTER (FITZ-WALTER), LORD FITZ-WALTER, and, apparently, LORD DEVEREUX, br. and h., *b.* 22 June (St. Alban's day), 1401, at Woodham Walters, and while still under age (as well as afterwards) distinguished himself greatly in the wars with France, receiving large grants of land (in tail male) in Normandy. He was *sum.* to Parl. from 12 July (1429), 7 Hen. VI. to 27 Nov. (1430), 9 Hen. VI. He *m.* before 1430, Elizabeth, widow of William MASSEY, da. of (—) CHIDECOCKE. He *d.* in the prime of life, s.p.m. (being apparently the last heir male of his family), 25 Nov. 1431, was *bur.* at Dunmow. *Inq. post mortem*, at Henhow, Suffolk, 20 April (1432), 10 Hen. VI. Will pr. 10 Nov. 1432. His widow *d.* 14 June 1464. *Inq. post mortem*, at Chelsworth, Suffolk, 27 July (1464), 4 Ed. IV.^(f)

(a) See "Courthope," p. 324, *sub* "Mohun" [note] as to the various dates from 1370 downwards assigned for her birth. It is quite clear that this Philippa (whose third husband was born in 1373) was but the *step* mother of the Lord Fitz Walter who was born (five years earlier) in 1368 and who doubtless was the child of the (first) marriage which took place 1362.

(b) Her monument is engraved in "Sandford." On it are the arms of her three husbands impaling Mohun.

(c) See note "a" next above, as to the impossibility of his mother being the *second* wife of his father.

(d) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(e) Beltz's "Order of the Garter," pp. cccxij and cccxiii, and p. 252, not 4. The lady's father, Lord Devereux (*d.* 1393), had been a **K.G.** but neither of her husbands received that honour. There appear, however, to be ladies similarly honoured, who were in no way connected with the order, e.g., "the lady de Trivet" in 1390, i.e., Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir Philip Timbury, relict of Thomas Swinbourne and widow of Sir Thomas Trivet. See "Order of the Garter" *ut supra*.

(f) Her three daughters were found her coheirs of whom the first two were by William Massy "another husband" while the youngest (only) was by Lord Fitz Walter. Their names were (1) Anne, wife of Thomas Radclyffe, "Esq.;" (2) Joanna, wife of Sir Robert Fiennes—(both which ladies were then 36 years old and upwards) and (3)

VIII. 1431. 8. ELIZABETH, *suo jure* BARONESS FITZ-WALTER,^(a) only da. and h. b. at Henham, co. Essex, 28 July (1430), 8 Hen. VI. and *hap.* there; aged 1½ year at her father's death; made proof of her age of 14, by *inq.* 27 Oct. (1444), 23 Hen. VI., taken at Dunmow; at which date she was *m.* to Sir John RADCLIFF,^(b) of Attleborough, co. Norfolk, who, in her right was styled LORD FITZ-WALTER, and who *d.* 6 April 1461 (probably of his wounds), having on 29 March previous, fought for the Yorkist party at the battle of Ferrybridge.^(c) *Inq. post mortem*, 30 Nov. (1461), 1 Ed. IV. She *m.* secondly, John (DINHAM), LORD DINHAM, **K.G.**, who *d.*, s p. legit. 23 Jan. 1508/9. It is presumed that she was living 7 Jan. 1505 and was the wife mentioned in his will of that date.

IX. 1485, 9. JOHN RADCLIFF, s. and h., aged 9 at the death of his to father in 1461, when his wardship was granted to Elizabeth, his 1496. mother. He was sum. to Parl. in his mother's lifetime^(d) (in her Barony) as LORD FITZ WALTER, by writ directed "*Johi Radclyff de Fitz Wauter*," 15 Sep. 1485,^(e) and continued to be so summoned till 14 Oct. (1495), 11 Hen. VII.^(f) He was Steward of the Household in 1485, and was joint HIGH STEWARD OF ENGLAND, 25 Nov. 1487, at the coronation of Elizabeth, the Queen Consort. He *m.* firstly, about 1480, Anne, sister of Sir Richard WHETHILL, of Calais. He *m.* secondly, Margaret. He was *attainted* in Parl. (1495-96), 11 Hen. VII. for treason (*i.e.*, for joining in the attempt of Perkin Warbeck), was sent prisoner to Calais where (having attempted to escape therefrom) he was beheaded in 1496, when *all his honours* became *forfeited*. His widow was living, 24 Oct. 1516.

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Elizabeth" *modo dna Fitz Water, nuper uxor Johis Radclyffe defuncti*," aged 30 and upwards. The fact of this da. Ann, having *m.* another Radcliff has made great confusion. Anne, as well as Elizabeth, has been generally (tho' wrongly) made a da. and coheir of Lord Fitz-Walter, while the future succession is as often deduced from one pair of Radcliffs as from the other. In Dugdale each version is given in different places, that in vol. ii, p. 285, being in contradiction to the [incorrect] one in vol. i, p. 223, which last is a good deal aggravated by a *tabular* pedigree (similarly incorrect) at p. 209 previous. In Morant's "*Essex*" (*sub* "Woodham Walter") the *wrong* version (made, however, *still* more wrong) is adopted, there being added some rather severe remarks on Dugdale for having misled the author, by the (what happens to be the *correct*) version in his vol. ii, in this and other instances.

(a) The representation of the Barony of Devereux, would appear to have devolved on her by the same right as that of Fitz-Walter, but it appears never to have been assumed. See p. 98, note "b," *sub* "Devereux."

(b) See a good pedigree of this branch of the Radcliff family in Barrett's "Attleborough, co. Norfolk" [1848], pp. 189-191. That property was acquired by Sir John Radcliff of Attleborough, from his marriage, in 1411, with Cicely, Mortimer, the heiress thereof. He *d.* 1421, leaving Sir John Radcliff, of Attleborough, his son and heir who was Seneschal of Aquitaine and **K.G.** (1429), and who *m.* Katharine Burnell, and *d.* 26 Feb. 1440/1, leaving John Radcliff, his s. and h., who *jure uxoris*, was Lord Fitz-Walter, as stated in the text. See also Carthew's "*Launditch*," part i, p. 105.

(c) "On the King's part is slain Lord Fitz Walter." See letter dat. 4 April 1461, in the "*Paston Letters*." It is to be observed that this peerage is recognised to his widow in 1464 ["*modo Dna Fitz Water*."] in the *inq. post mortem* of that date. See p. 370, note "f."

(d) So also Thomas Grey (afterwards, 1501-30, Marquess of Dorset), was, 31 Oct. 1494, made **K.B.**, as "Lord Harington," tho' his mother, the *suo jure* Baroness Harington was alive.

(e) See "Creations, 1483-1646," in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records, to which the able editor adds, in this case, "new family name introduced into an ancient Barony."

(f) There is proof in the Rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

X. 1506. 10 and 1. ROBERT RADCLIFFE, s. and h., *b.* about 1483. He had been attainted with his father but was restored in blood and honours^(a) by pat. 25 Jan. (1505/6), 21 Hen. VII.^(b) and procured an act of Parl. to the same effect (1509), 1 Hen. VIII. He was sum. to Parl. by writs directed "*Roberti Ratcliff de Fitz-Walter, Ch'c'r.*" [LORD FITZ-WALTER] from 28 Nov. (1511), 3 Hen. VIII., to 15 April (1523), 14 Hen. VIII. He was *cr.* 18 June 1525,^(c) VISCOUNT FITZ-WALTER^(d) and on 8 Dec. 1529, was *cr.* EARL OF SUSSEX. He *d.* 26 Nov. 1542.

Viscounty. }
 II. } 1542. 2 and 11. HENRY (RADCLIFFE), EARL OF SUSSEX, VISCOUNT FITZ-WALTER, and LORD FITZ-WALTER, s. and h., *b.* about 1506 and styled VISCOUNT FITZ-WALTER, 1529-42. He *m.* twice and *d.* 17 Feb. 1556/7.
 Barony. }
 XI. }

Barony. 12 and 3. THOMAS (RADCLIFFE), LORD FITZ
 XII. 1554. WALTER, s. and h. ap. by the first wife. He was *b.* about 1525; was styled VISCOUNT FITZ-WALTER, 1542-57, and was v.p. sum. to the House of Lords in his father's Barony by writ directed "*Thomas, Domino Fitz Walter*" [LORD FITZ WALTER] 12 Nov. (1554), 1 and 2 Philip and Mary. He *suc.* his father 17 Feb. 1556/7, as VISCOUNT FITZ WALTER and EARL OF SUSSEX. He *d. s.p.* 9 June 1583.

Viscounty. }
 IV. } 1583. 4 and 13. HENRY (RADCLIFFE), EARL OF SUSSEX, VISCOUNT FITZ-WALTER, and LORD FITZ-WALTER, br. of the whole blood and h., *b.* about 1530. He *d.* 14 Dec. 1593.
 Barony. }
 XIII. }

Viscounty. }
 V. } 1593. 5 and 14. ROBERT (RADCLIFFE), EARL OF SUSSEX, VISCOUNT FITZ-WALTER, and LORD FITZ-WALTER, s. and h., *b.* before 1570. He *d. s.p.s.* 22 Sep. 1629, when the right to the Barony of Fitz-Walter devolved on the heir general (as under) but the Viscounty of Fitz-Walter together with the Earldom of Sussex devolved on his cousin,
 Barony. }
 XIV. }

the heir *male* of the grantee of those dignities (see under "SUSSEX"), both, however, becoming *extinct* on his death *s.p.* in Aug. 1643.

[HENRY RADCLIFFE, styled VISCOUNT FITZ-WALTER, 1st s. and h. ap. by first wife, *b.* about 1600. He *m.* about April 1613, at St. Barth. the Great, London, Jane, da. and coheir of Sir Michael STANHOPE, of Sudbury, co. Suffolk. He *d. s.p.* and v.p. 20 Nov. 1621. *Inq. post mortem.* His widow *m.* 25 April 1621, at Kensington, Midx., Sir William WITHTYPOOLE.]

(a) These honours according to the inscription on his monument at St. Laurence Pountney, London ("Robertus Radcliffe, Miles, Dominus Fitz-Walter, Egremont et Burnell," &c.), included the Baronies of Burnell and Egremont, to neither of which either he or his father had any claim. See vol. ii, p. 83, note "d," sub "Burnell," and see also sub "Multon de Egremont."

(b) This was by virtue of an act (1504), 19 Hen. VII., giving the King power to reverse attainders.

(c) See vol. ii, p. 438, note "c," sub "Cumberland," for a list of the creations made that day.

(d) "The signed Bill for this dignity is remaining, but, being without a *recepti*, and there being no enrolment of a Patent, it would have appeared as though no Patent had passed the Seal, had it not been borne by Garter at the ceremony of the creation." [Courthope.]

See fuller particulars under "Sussex" Earldom, *cr.* 1529; *ex.* 1643; *sub* the first four holders of that dignity.

Barony. 15. SIR HENRY MILDMAY, *de jure* LORD FITZ WALTER,^(a)
 XV. 1629. cousin to the deceased Lord and heir gen. to the 1st Lord Fitz
 Walter, being second son of Sir Thomas Mildmay, of Moulsham co.
 Essex (who *d.* 11 July 1608), by Frances (*b.* 1552, *m.* 1580, *d.* 1627),
 sister of the *half* blood to Thomas and Henry, Earls of Sussex and Lords Fitz
 Walter, before mentioned, being only da. of Henry (Radcliffe), 2d Earl of Sussex
 and Lord Fitz Walter, by his *second* wife, Anne, da. of Sir Philip CALTHORPE. He
 was *b.* about 1585; *suc.* his eldest br. Sir Thomas Mildmay (who *d.* s.p.) 13 Feb.
 1625/6, in the estate of Moulsham, inheriting, also, that of Woodham Walter and
 Dunmow, from the family of Fitz-Walter. He claimed the Barony of Fitz-
 Walter by petition read in the Parl. (called "the Long Parl."), 9 Aug. 1641.
 He *m.* Elizabeth, 2d da. and coheir of Thomas DARCY, of Tolleshunt Darcy, co.
 Essex, by Camilla, da. of Vincent Guicciardini, of Florence. He *d.* 1654.

XVI. 1654. 16. HENRY MILDMAY, *de jure* LORD FITZ-WALTER,^(a)
 grandson and h., being 1st s. and h. of Robert MILDMAY, of Overstone,
 co. Northampton, by Mary, 3d da. and coheir of Sir Thomas EDMONDS, of Overstone
 afsd.,^(b) which Robert was s. and h. ap. of Henry, the *de jure* Lord Fitz-Walter
 (1629-54), next abovenamed, but *d.* v.p. 1646. His petition for this Barony was
 before the House of Lords in Aug. 1660.^(c) He *d.* unim. and under age, at St.
 Martin's in the fields, and was *bur.* 24 March 1661/2, at Chelmsford.

XVII. 1661 17. BENJAMIN MILDMAY, [*de jure*^(a) 1661, and sub-
 and sequently, 1670, *de facto*] LORD FITZ-WALTER, br. and h. He
 1670. was *b.* in or before 1646. His petition for this Barony was before
 the House of Lords in Feb. 1667,^(c) but, parl. being prorogued, a
 decision by the Privy Council was, 19 Jan. 1669/70, given in his favour, and he was
 sum. to the House of Lords by writ, 10 Feb. 1669/70, directed *Benjamin Mildmay*
de Fitz Walter, Chivalier, and placed (*salvo jure*), on the 14th inst., at the lower end
 of the Barons bench and subsequently (*also salvo jure*), 10 Nov. 1670 as "the last

^(a) According to the decision of the Privy Council in 1669 and the (consequent) issue
 of the writ 14 Feb. 1669/70, to Benjamin Mildmay as Lord Fitz Walter.

^(b) The mother of this Mary was Magdalen, da. and coheir of Sir John Wood, also
 of Overstone. See pedigree in Baker's "Northamptonshire," vol. i, p. 56.

^(c) The claim was opposed by "Robert Cheeke, Esq." s. and h. of Sir John C. of
 Pirgo, co. Essex (who *d.* 1659), who was s. and h. of Henry C., by Frances, only sister
 of Edward (Radcliffe), 6th and last Earl of Sussex, who *d.* s.p. in 1643. The grounds
 urged against the Mildmay claim were (1) (HALF BLOOD, inasmuch as the mother
 of Lady Frances Mildmay was the *second* wife of the 2d Earl of Sussex (Lord Fitz-
 Walter), from which, wife the 3d and subsequent Lords did not descend. (2) THE
 ATTACHMENT OF A BARONY TO AN EARLDOM, when (as in this case) it had once been
 held therewith; and (3) BARONY BY TENURE, so that this Barony ought to devolve
 with the land. It was, however, decided (1) that *Half blood could not be any impediment*
in the case of a dignity; (2) that *Altho' a Baron in fee simple be created an Earl,*
the Barony shall descend to the heir general, whether or not the Earldom continue,
or be extinct, and (3) as to the very important question of Barony by tenure that
"whatever pretence there might be for presuming that there were originally Baronies by
tenure, yet that Baronies by tenure had been discontinued for many years, and were
then not in being, and so not fit to be revived."

Sir H. Nicolas in his "observations on dignities," remarks hereon; "It does not
 appear on what ground Mr. Cheeke's counsel claimed the Barony of Fitz-Walter by
 tenure, for that Barony was originally attached to the tenure of the manor of Little
 Dunmow in Essex (which was granted to Robert Fitz-Walter in the reign of Henry
 I), and, at the period when this claim was discussed it was not in the possession of
 either of the claimants." It seems that this manor, which had descended, from the
 Fitz-Walters, to Sir Henry Mildmay, (who died seized thereof in 1629), was alienated
 to the family of May, was mortgaged, before 1672, by Sir John May (to Edward
 Eversfield) and was afterwards, in 1700, sold by Sir Thomas May.

Baron of the reign of King Edward I.^(a) He *m.* 6 Dec. 1669, at St. Botolphs, Bishopsgate (Lic. from Vic. Gen., he about 23 and she about 21), Catharine, sister and h. of Thomas (FAIRFAX), 4th VISCOUNT FAIRFAX OF EMLEY [I.], only da. of William, 3rd Viscount, by Elizabeth, da. of Alexander SMITH. He *d.* 1 and was *bur.* 12 June 1679, at Chelmsford. Admon. 27 June 1679. His widow *d.* 20 March 1724/5, aged 80 and upwards and was *bur.* 27 at Chelmsford.

XVIII. 1679. 18. CHARLES (MILDMAY), LORD FITZ-WALTER, s. and h. *b.* 31 Aug. and *bap.* 3 Sep. 1670, at Little Baddow, Essex. He *m.* 8 June 1693 (Lic. from Bp. of London, he 23 and she 18), Elizabeth, da. of the Hon. Charles BERTIE, of Uffington, co. Lincoln (s. of Montagu, 2d EARL OF LINDSEY), by Mary, da. of Peter TRYON. He *d.* 16 Feb. 1727/8, and was *bur.* the 24, at Chelmsford. Will pr. 22 Feb. 1727/8. His widow, who was *b.* and *bap.* 24 July 1675, at St. Martin's in the fields, *d.* in Grosvenor street, Dec. 1738. Will pr. 1739.

XIX. 1728. 19 and 1. BENJAMIN (MILDMAY), LORD FITZ-WALTER, **Earldom.** br. and h. *bap.* 27 Dec. 1672, at Chelmsford; Equerry to Prince George of Denmark, 1706-08; Chief Commissioner of the Salt duties, 1714; Commissioner of Excise, 1720-28. He was, 14 May 1730, *cr.* VISCOUNT HARWICH, co. Essex, and EARL FITZ-WALTER; P.C. 1735; President of the Board of Trade, 1735-56; Treasurer of the Household, 1737-55; Lord Lieut. of Essex, 1741. He *m.* 18 June, 1724, at St. James' Westm., Frederica, Dow. COUNTESS OF HOLDERNESS, da. and coheir of Meinhardt (SCHOMBERG), 3d DUKE of SCHOMBERG, by Charlotte, da. of Charles Louis, ELECTOR PALATINE. She *d.* 7 Aug. 1751, aged 63 and was *bur.* at Chelmsford, Essex. M.I. He *d.* s.p.s., 29 Feb. 1756,^(b) aged 86, in London, and was *bur.* at Chelmsford. M.I.(c) Will pr. 1756. On his death the *Earldom of Fitz-Walter*, together with the *Viscounty of Harwich*, became *extinct*,^(d) but the ancient *Barony of Fitz-Walter* fell into *abeyance*.^(e)

(a) On 8 March 1669/70, it was reported to the House, that "he claimed precedence of all Barons now sitting as Barons, particularly of the Lord Abergavenny, and alleged a determination in Henry VIII's time whereby he [*sic.*] was placed next below the Lord Clifford." Objection was made to this claim by (the Duke of Norfolk, as) *Lord Mowbray*, by (the Earl of Northumberland, as) *Lord Percy*, by *Lord Abergavenny* (by proxy, he being then under age), by *Lord Audley*, and by *Lord Berkeley*. The writ of 23 Ed. I. [1295] and other subsequent ones were set forth by Lord Fitz Walter, who, however, acquiesced (*salvo jure*) in the placing assigned him.

(b) According to Horace Walpole, he, in 1755, "was an old Beau."

(c) In the inscription on his monument it is stated that "he inherited the Baronies of Fitz Walter, Egremont, Botitoffe [*i.e.* Botetourt] and Burenells, &c. As to the three last named Baronies (to which he had no right), see under their respective headings.

(d) He devised most of his estates to William Mildmay, a distant cousin, said to be his heir male.

(e) The representation devolved on the issue of Mary, aunt to the last Lord and only sister to Benjamin (Mildmay), Lord Fitz-Walter, who established his claim in 1670. She *m.* her distant cousin, Henry Mildmay, of Graces in Little Baddow, co. Essex, by whom she had five daughters and coheirs, of three of whom (Mrs. Goodwin, Mrs. Waterson and Mrs. Townshend), the issue is proved to be extinct. As to the two others (1) Lucy *m.* Thomas Gardiner, by whom (besides issue proved to be extinct) she had a da., Jemima who *m.* John Joseph (Surgeon) and had a da. Jemima, *m.* to Robert Duke, of Colchester, a woollen-draper who is asserted to have settled in America, and of whose issue Mr. Courthope states "no trace whatever has been discovered." (2) Frances, *m.* Christopher Fowler, by whom she had a s. and h. Edmund Fowler (who inherited the estate of Graces abovenamed, and) who *d.* 1751, leaving a da. and h., Fanny, who *m.* in 1765, Sir Brook Bridges, Bart., and *d.* 1825, leaving a s. and h. Sir Brook-William Bridges, 4th Bart., who *d.* 1829, and was *suc.* by Sir Brook-William Bridges, Bart. (*cr.* in 1868, Baron Fitz-Walter of Woodham Walter), on whose claim to the Barony of Fitz-Walter (as such coheir and *probable* sole heir) the committee for privileges resolved, 18 July 1844, that "on the death of Lord Fitz-Walter in 1756 the Barony fell into abeyance between Dame Fanny Bridges Dame Lucy Bacon and Jemima Duke, and [that] the said Dame Lucy Bacon after-

FITZ-WALTER DE DAVENTRE.

ROBERT FITZ-WALTER, s. and h. of Sir Walter FITZ-SIMON, who was s. and h. of Simon FITZ-WALTER, next yr. br. to the celebrated Robert Fitz-Walter ("Marshal of the army" of the Barons who obtained *Magna Charta*) was by writ 26 Jan. (1296/7), 25 Ed. I., addressed "*Rob.' fil' Walteri de Daventre,*" sum. to attend the King at Salisbury, but such writ did not constitute a regular summons to Parl.^(a) which was never issued to him or his descendants.

i.e., "FITZ WALTER," Viscounty (*Radclyff*), *cr.* 1525; see "SUSSEX" Earldom, *cr.* 1529; both titles becoming *extinct* in 1643.

i.e., "FITZ-WALTER" Earldom (*Mildmay*), *cr.* 1730; *ex.* 1756; see "FITZ-WALTER" Barony, *cr.* 1295, under the 19th holder of that dignity.

FITZ-WALTER OF WOODHAM WALTER.

Barony.

SIR BROOK-WILLIAM BRIDGES, Bart., of Goodneston Park, co. Kent, s. and h. of Sir Brook-William BRIDGES, 4th Bart., of the same, by his first wife, Eleanor, da. and eventually coheir of John FOOTE, of London, Banker, was *b.* 2 June 1801, at Goodneston Park afsd.; ed. at Winchester School and at Oriel Coll., Oxford; B.A., 1822; M.A., 1827; was M.P. for East Kent, Feb. to July 1852 and 1857-68. He claimed in 1841 the Barony of Fitz-Walter (*cr.* 1295) and proved himself heir to a moiety and *probably* to the entirety thereof.^(b) The abeyance of this Barony was, however, not terminated in his favour, but he was, some quarter of a century afterwards, *cr.* 17 April 1868, BARON FITZ-WALTER OF WOODHAM WALTER, co. Essex. He *m.* 4 July 1834, his cousin, Fanny, 1st da. of Lewis CAGE, of Milgate, in Bersted, co. Kent, by Fanny, sister of Sir Brook William Bridges abovenamed, and 1st da. of Sir Brook BRIDGES, 3d Bart. She *d.* 28 Oct. 1874, aged 81, at Goodneston Park. He *d.* there s.p. 6 Dec. 1875, aged 74, when the *peerage* became *extinct*.

FITZ-WARINE.

Barony by

I. FULKE FITZ-WARINE, of Whittington and Alberbury,

Writ.

co. Salop, s. and h. of Fulke F. of the same, by Clarice, his wife, *suc.* his father (who was slain, *ex. parte Regis*, in the battle of Lewes), 14 May 1264; made proof of his age (1273), 1 Ed. I., and having served in the Welsh wars was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FITZ-

WARINE], from 23 June (1295), 23 Ed. I. to 24 Oct. (1314), 8 Ed. II., the last two

wards Aug. 1765] died without issue and thus the Barony is now [1844], in abeyance between the petitioner (as grandson and heir of Dame Fanny Bridges), and the descendants (if any) of Jemima Duke." It is to be noted that the words "*if any*" (which form part of the resolution), imply doubt as to existence of such descendants, and that if such *doubt* was but a *certainty*, the claimant (according to the modern usage), would be *entitled* to the Barony. A very different treatment was shewn to this (*Conservative*) claimant of a peerage to what had been, a few years previously, shewn to the (*Liberal*) claimants of the Baronies of Vaux, Camoys, Braye, Beaumont, Hastings and Co., peerages which (mostly) had for very many centuries been *unheard of*, and of which the fortunate claimants represented (mostly) a very small fraction, while in *this* case the Barony had continued *uninterruptedly* from 1295 to 1755, and the claimant represented an undoubted *moiety*, if indeed not the entirety thereof.

(a) See vol. i, p. 111, note "b," *sub* "Ap Adam."

(b) See p. 374, note "e," as to the coheirship to this Barony.

writs being with the addition thereto of the word "*Seniori*."^(a) He was also sum. (with about sixty others) 8 June 1294, to attend the King wherever he might be.^(b) His name as "*Fulco filius Warini, Dominus de Whittington*" is subscribed to the famous letter in 1301 to the Pope.^(c) He served also in the Scotch and Flemish wars and was made **K. B.** in 1306, when attending Prince Edward on his expedition to Scotland. He *m.* firstly Margaret, da. of Griffith-ap-Wenwynwyn, PRINCE OF POWYS-WENWYNWYN, by Hawyse, da. of John LE STRANGE, of Knockyn. He *m.* secondly Mabel. He *d.* apparently in 1315.^(d) His widow (who survived her son) was living 1349.

II. 1315? 2. FULKE (FITZ-WARINE), LORD FITZ-WARINE, s. and h., by 2d wife. He was sum. to Parl. from 6 Oct. 1315, 9 Ed II.^(e) to 22 Jan. (1335/6), 9 Ed. III. He served in the French and Scotch wars and was Constable of the Royal Army, against the Barons, at Boroughbridge 1322. He *m.* firstly before 1315 Alianor, da. of William BEAUCHAMP, of co. Somerset. He *m.* secondly Joan, da. of Henry (BEAUMONT), LORD BEAUMONT, and (*jure uxoris*) EARL OF BUCHAN, by Alice, 1st da. and coheir of Sir Alexander COMYN, of Buchan. He *d.* (1349), 23 Ed. III.

III. 1349. 3. FULKE (FITZ-WARINE), LORD FITZ-WARINE, s. and h., *b.* about 1342, being seven years old and upwards at his father's death. He was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron. He attended the Black Prince in 1367 in the French wars. He *m.* Margaret, da. (whose issue, before Jan. 1391/2, became coheir with the issue of her half-sister, Joan,^(f) wife of Sir John Touchet) of James (AUDLEY), LORD AUDLEY, by his second wife, Isabel, da. and coheir of William MALBANK, of Wich Malbank. He *d.* March 1372/3.

IV. 1373. 4. FULKE (FITZ-WARINE), LORD FITZ-WARINE, s. and h., aged 21 years and upwards, at the death of his father. He (like his father), was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron. He *d.* (1377-78), 1 Ric. II.

V. 1377. 5. FULKE (FITZ-WARINE), LORD FITZ-WARINE, s. and h., *b.* about 1363, making proof of his age (1383-84), 7 Ric. II. He (like his father and grandfather), was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron. He *m.* Elizabeth, sister and heir (1332-34), of John Cogan, and da. of Sir John COGAN, of Braunton, in North Devon, by Isabella, da. and h. of Sir Nigel LORING. He *d.* 8 Aug. 1391, at Heleigh Castle and was *bur.* at Whittington. Will dat. the day of his death, pr. 5 Nov. 1391. His widow *m.* Sir Hugh COURTENAY, of Haccomb, and *d.* 1 Nov. (1397), 21 Ric. II.

VI. 1391. 6. FULKE (FITZ-WARINE), LORD FITZ-WARINE, s. and h., *b.* about 1388, being 3 years and upwards, at the death of his father, and 2 years (Jan. 1391/2), and upwards at the death of Thomas de AUDLEY (*br.* of his great grandmother abovenamed), from whom he inherited the estate of

(a) "Although Dugdale's statement, vol. i, p. 445, is followed in the text, that this Fulke Fitz-Warine was not summoned after [1314], 8 Edw. II, it is to be remarked that the word '*Seniori*' is continued after the name of Fulke Fitz-Warine from [1315], 9 Edw. II, to 5 Aug. [1320], 14 Edw. II, during which period it is considered to have been his son who was so summoned." [*Nicolas.*]

(b) See vol. i, p. 259, note "c," *sub* "Basset de Sapcote," as to this not being a regular writ of summons to Parl.

(c) See full account thereof in "*Nicolas*," pp. 761—809.

(d) In 9 Ed. II. (1315-16) his son's wife had livery of the manor of Whittington until her husband could return from France to perform the homage due.

(e) See note "a," next above.

(f) This Joan, sister of the *whole* blood to Nicholas (Audley), Lord Audley (the last male heir of the Audley family) was ancestress to the future Lords Audley. See vol. i, p. 199, note "a," *sub* "Audley," as to this coheirship.

Tawstock, co. Devon,^(a) the principal residence of his descendants.^(b) He never attained full age and (consequently) like his three immediate ancestors, was never sum. to Parl. as a Baron. He *m.* Anne, da. of William (BOTREUX), LORD BOTREUX, by Elizabeth, da. of John de St. LOE. He *d.* under age, Oct. (1407), 9 Hen. IV. Will, leaving his wife and her mother his exors, pr. 20 June, 1407. His widow *m.* William (CLINTON), LORD CLINTON, who *d.* 30 July 1432.

VII. 1407. 7. FULKE (FITZ-WARINE), LORD FITZ-WARINE, only s. and h., *b.* 1406, being aged one year at his father's death. He *d.* unm. and under age, 21 Sep. (1420), 8 Hen. V. being, apparently, the last heir male of his family.

VIII. 1420. 8. ELIZABETH *de jure*, (apparently), *suo jure* BARONESS to FITZ-WARINE,^(c) only sister and h., *b.* about 1403, being aged 17 in 1428? 1420 and then the wife of Richard Hankford "Esquire," who was afterwards knighted. He had livery of her lands (1424-25), 3 Hen. VI. She *d.* before 1430. At her death her right to the *Barony* fell into *abeyance* between her two daughters and coheirs. Her husband (who was s. and h. of Sir Henry HANKFORD, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Sir Richard STAPLETON), *d.* s.p.m. (1430-31), 9 Hen. VI., leaving, by a second wife, another da. Ann (coheir to her father) then aged 12 weeks.

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IX. 1433, 9. THOMAZINE *de jure* (apparently) *suo jure* BARONESS or FITZ WARINE, was, on the death of her sister Elizabeth (who *d.* unm. 1449. [1433-34], 12 Hen. VI.), the sole issue of her mother, Elizabeth, *suo jure* Baroness Fitz Warine, by her husband Sir Richard Hankford both next abovenamed. She was *b.* at Tawstock afsd. about 1421, being aged 12 and unm. [1433-34], 12 Hen. VI., and proved her age [1436-37], 15 Hen. VI., when she was the wife of SIR WILLIAM BOURCHIER. She *d.* before him and was *bur.* at Braunton afsd. He was br. to Henry, EARL OF ESSEX, being 3d s. of Sir William BOURCHIER, COUNT OF EU, by Anne, Dow. COUNTESS OF STAFFORD, da. and h. of Thomas (PLANTAGENET), DUKE OF GLOUCESTER. He was sum. to Parl. *jure uxoris* as LORD FITZ WARINE from 2 Jan. (1448/9), 27 Hen. VI., to 7 Sep. (1469), 9 Ed. IV., by writs directed "*Willielmo Bourghchier, Militi, Domino de Fitz-Waryn.*"^(d) He *m.* secondly Katharine, widow of (—) STURKLEY. She *d.* 26 March 1467. Her will (made with his consent) dat. at Braunton directs her burial to be at West Wolvington and is pr. 1 Sep. 1467. He *d.* about 1471 and was *bur.* at the Augustine Friars, London.

X. 1471? 10. FULKE (BOURCHIER), LORD FITZ-WARINE, only s. and h. He was sum. to Parl. 19 Aug. (1472), 12 Ed. IV., by writ directed "*Fulconi Bourghchier de Fitz-Waryn, Chevr.*"^(d) He *m.* Elizabeth, sister and coheir [1509] of John, LORD DINHAM,^(e) da. of Sir John DINHAM [Lord Dinham?] by Joan, da. and h. of Richard DE ARCHES. He *d.* 12 Sep. 1479, and was *bur.* at Braunton afsd. Will dat. 1 April 1475, pr. 10 Nov. 1480. His widow *d.* 15 Oct. 1516, and was *bur.* at Grey Friars, London.

(a) A well-worked out pedigree, by Sir W. R. Drake, F.S.A., of the descent of the Lords Fitz-Warine, thro' Audley, from Martyn of Tawstock, and (thro' Martyn) from Brian, Tracy and Braose, is in Marshall's "*Genealogist*, vol. vi, pp. 16—19. The estate of Tawstock is still in the Fitz-Warine descendants, having descended (thro' Hankford and Bouchier) to the family of Wrey, of Tawstock, Baronets.

(b) These were, however, frequently *buried* at Braunton which had been acquired (1384) in the previous generation from the family of Cogan.

(c) The writs having been omitted for 5 generations in the last two, of which, however, the persons entitled thereto died in minority) and no proof of sitting being found in the rolls of Parl., makes it doubtful whether, the first writ constituting an hereditary Barony of Fitz-Warine should not be reckoned from (1449), 27 Hen. VI. See also p. 125, note "a," *sub* "DINAN."

(d) There is proof in the rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(e) See p. 126, note "c," *sub* "Dinham," for these coheirs.

XI. 1479. 11. JOHN (BOURCHIER), LORD FITZ-WARINE, only s. and h.;^(a) *b.* about 1470; sum. to Parl. 12 Aug. 1492 to 8 June 1536; **K.B.**, 31 Oct. 1494; P.C. 1520. He was on 9 July 1536, *cr.* EARL OF BATH. He *d.* 30 April 1539.

XII. 1539. 12. JOHN (BOURCHIER), EARL OF BATH, and LORD FITZ-WARINE, only s. and h. *styled* LORD FITZ-WARINE, 1536-39; aged 40 at his father's death in 1539, shortly after which he *suc.* his cousin, in 1339/40, as COUNT OF EU in Normandy and, subsequently, in 1548, *suc.* his maternal uncle as LORD DAUBENY. He *d.* 10 Feb. 1560/1.

[JOHN BOURCHIER, *styled* LORD FITZ-WARINE, s. and h. ap., *b.* 1529. **K.B.** He *d.* v.p. 28 Feb. 1556/7, aged 27.]

XIII. 1561. 13. WILLIAM (BOURCHIER), EARL OF BATH, LORD FITZ WARINE, &c., grandson and h., being s. and h. of John Bouchier, *styled* Lord Fitz-Warine, next abovenamed. He was *b.* 1556, being *styled* LORD FITZ-WARINE, 1557-61. He *d.* 12 July 1623.

[JOHN BOURCHIER, *styled* LORD FITZ-WARINE, s. and h. ap., *bap.* 21 Nov. 1585; *d.* an infant and v.p. and was *bur.* 12 March 1586/7, at Tawstock, afsd.]

[ROBERT BOURCHIER, *styled* LORD FITZ-WARINE, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap., *bap.* 3 March 1587; *d.* an infant and v.p. and was *bur.* 27 May 1588, at Tawstock.]

XIV. 1623, 1637. 14. EDWARD (BOURCHIER), EARL OF BATH [1536], to LORD FITZ-WARINE [1295], and LORD DAUBENY [1295], also COUNT OF EU, in Normandy [1419], 3d but 1st surv. s. and h.; *bap.* 1 March 1590, at Tawstock, being *styled* LORD FITZ-WARINE till 1623, and made **K.B.** (as such) 2 June 1610. He *d.* s.p.m., 2 March, 1636/7, when the *Baronies of Fitz-Warine and of Daubeny* fell into *abeyance*,^(b) while the Earldom of Bath and the Countship of Eu devolved on his cousin and heir *male*, on whose death, 16 Aug. 1654, they became extinct.

[JOHN BOURCHIER, *styled* LORD FITZ-WARINE, s. and h. ap., *b.* 21 Jan. and *bap.* 20 Feb. 1630, at Tawstock. He *d.* an infant v.p. and was *bur.* at Tawstock, 5 Oct. 1631.]

For fuller particulars, see "Bath" Earldom, *cr.* 1536; *ex.* 1654, under the first four holders thereof.

^(a) "On the Pell receipt roll, Easter, 20 Ed. IV., 15 July (1480), the name of the heir of the late Lord Fitz-Waryn is given as *Thomas* (under age)." See "*Genealogist*," vol. iv., p. 46, in a contribution by "J. H. Ramsay."

^(b) The coheirs were his three daughters, *viz.* (1) Elizabeth, Countess of Denbigh, who *d.* s.p. 22 Sep. 1670. (2) Dorothy *m.* firstly Sir Thomas Grey, *styled* Lord Grey de Groby, and secondly Gustavus Mackworth. Her son Thomas, Earl of Stamford, *d.* s.p. 1720, but she had two daughters by her first, and one da. by her second husband. No issue of the *youngest da.* (Mary Mackworth) said to have *m.* a Lincolnshire gentleman is known of, but the issue of the *second da.* (Anne Grey), Mrs. Grove, existed (in the male line), till 1775, but *possibly* may, since 1857, be extinct, while the *eldest da.* (Elizabeth Grey), Mrs. Benson is represented [1890], by Sir Rainald Knightley, Bart., whose ancestor (Lucy Knightley), *m.* Jane Grey Benson, the only child that left issue of Mrs. Belson, abovenamed. (3) Anne, Countess of Middlesex, whose issue by her first husband, the Earl, is extinct, but who *m.* secondly, Sir Chichester Wrey, Bart., whose descendant and representative, Sir Bouchier-Palk Wrey, 7th Bart., *d.* s.p.m., 11 Sep. 1879, leaving as his representative his grandson (the s. and h. of his only da.) Reginald Joseph Weld, of Lulworth Castle, Dorset, who is thus heir to a moiety of the ancient Barony of Fitz-Warine. See an article by "W. D. Pink," in Marshall's "*Genealogist*," vol. v. p. 32.

- Barony by Writ.** I. "WILLIAM FITZ-WARYNE LE FRERE,"^(a) (so called in 1330, when he was made Gov. of Montgomery Castle) was in the wars in Flanders, Scotland, and France; was a Banneret, 1342; I. 1342. **K.G.**, 1345,^(b) and was on 25 Feb. (1341/2), 16 Ed. III, sum. to Parl. apparently^(c) as a Baron [LORD FITZ-WARYNE] but neither he nor any of his descendants was ever afterwards so sum. He *m.* Amicia, da. and h. of Sir Henry DE HADDON, of Candel-Haddon, co. Dorset. He *d.* of the pestilence 28 Oct. 1361, and is said to be *bur.* in Grey Friars, London, but not improbably was *bur.* at Wantage, Berks.
- II. 1361, 2. SIR IVO FITZ-WARINE, s. and h., was never sum. to Parl. He was at the siege of Nantes in 1380 and in the expedition to Castile in 1385. He *m.*, before 1384, Maud, da. and coheir of Sir John ARGENTINE. He *d.* s.p.m. 6 Sep. 1414, and was *bur.* at Wantage. M.I. His wife survived him. At his death any right to the Barony (if indeed any peerage Barony ever existed) devolved on his da. and heir.^(d)

FITZ-WILLIAM afterwards (1321) GREYSTOCK.

- Barony by Writ.** I. RALPH FITZ-WILLIAM, of Grimthorpe, co. York, 2d s. of William FITZ-RALPH, of Grimthorpe afsd., by Joane, da. of Thomas DE GREYSTOCK, of Greystock, co. Cumberland, *suc.* his elder br. Geoffrey Fitz-William (1296), 24 Ed. I.; served in the Scotch wars and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FITZ-WILLIAM] from 24 June (1295), 23 Ed. I., to 6 Oct. (1315), 9 Ed. II., by writs directed "*Rado. fil. Willi.*"^(e) He was Warden and joint Warden of the Scotch Marches, *temp.* Ed. I. and Ed. II.; Gov. of Berwick and Gov. of Carlisle. His signature as "*Radus. fil. Willielmi, Dominus de Grimthorp*" is to the celebrated letter to the Pope in 1301.^(f) He *m.* (fine [1281-2], 10 Ed. I.), Margaret, widow of Nicholas CORBET, da. and coheir of Sir Hugh DE BOLEBEK, of Bolebek, co. Northumberland. He *d.* at a great age Nov. (1315), 9 Ed. II., and was *bur.* at Nesham, co. Durham.
- II. 1315. 2. ROBERT (FITZ-WILLIAM), LORD FITZ-WILLIAM, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., aged 40, at his father's death, with whom he had been in the Scotch wars, 1311. He never was sum. to Parl. He *m.* Elizabeth, da. of Ralph NEVILL, of Scotton, co. Lincoln. He *d.* (1316-17), 10 Ed. II., and was *bur.* at Butterwick. His widow *d.* 25 Oct. (1346), 20 Ed. III.
- III. 1317. 3. RALPH (FITZ-WILLIAM, afterwards GREYSTOCK), LORD FITZ-WILLIAM, s. and h., *b.* about 1299, being aged 17, at his father's death. Having assumed the surname of *de Greystock*, he was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD GREYSTOCK], by writs from 15 May (1321), 14 Ed. II. to 17 Sep. (1322), 16 Ed. II., directed "*Rado de Graystok.*" See under "GREYSTOCK," Barony, *cr.* 1321; in *abeyance*, 1569.

(a) "The description *Le Frere* may warrant the conjecture that he was brother to the chief of the family, Fulk, Lord Fitz-Waryne, a person of great distinction at that period." See Beltz's "*Knights of the Garter*," p. 96.

(b) He appears to have been No. 27 in that order, viz., the first Knight elected after its institution, which consisted of the King and the 25 *Founders*.

(c) He "had summons among the Earls and Barons to attend a great Council to be holden at Westminster, but which is not denominated in the writ a *Parliament*." Banks's "*Bar. Angl.*"

(d) This lady was Eleanor, then aged 30, and the second wife of Sir John Chideoke. She *d.* (1434-35), 13 Hen. VI., leaving Sir John C. her s. and h., who *d.* (1449-50), 28 Hen. VI., leaving two daughters and coheirs, viz. (1) Katharine, wife of Sir John Arundell, of Lanherne, and (2) Margaret, wife of William, Lord Stourton. See "*Coll. Top. et Gen.*," vol. vi, p. 398, where fuller particulars are given.

(e) There is proof of his sitting in the rolls of Parl.

(f) See full account thereof in "*Nicolas*," pp. 761-809.

SIR WILLIAM FITZ-WILLIAM, of Elmley and Sprotborough, co. York, was sum. by writ dat. at Ramsey, 5 April (1327), 1 Ed. III. to attend at Newcastle-upon-Tyne with horse and arms; but such summons did not constitute a writ of summons to Parl. He *d.* 1341, leaving issue.^(a)

FITZWILLIAM, and FITZWILLIAM OF LIFFORD, FITZWILLIAM OF MILTON, and FITZ-WILLIAM OF NORBOROUGH.

Barony [I.] 1. WILLIAM FITZWILLIAM, of Milton, co. Northampton, and of Gainspark Hall, co. Essex^(b); s. and h. of Sir William F. of the same,^(c) by Winifred, da. of Sir Walter MILDMAY, of Apethorpe, co. Northampton, *suc.* his father, 5 Aug. 1618, and was *cr.* 1 Dec. 1620, BARON FITZWILLIAM OF LIFFER, *alias* LIFFORD, co. Donegall, [I.], taking his seat as such, 4 Dec. 1634. He *m.* about 1608, Catharine, sister of Sir George Hyde, **K.B.**, da. of William HYDE, of South Denchworth, Berks, by Catharine, da. of George GILL, of Wyddial, Herts. She was *bur.* at Marholm, co. Northampton, 11 Feb. 1642. He *d.* at his house in the Strand, Midx., 6 Jan. 1643/4, and was *bur.* at Marholm. Admon. 19 Dec. 1649, to a creditor.

II. 1644. 2. WILLIAM (FITZWILLIAM), BARON FITZWILLIAM OF LIFFORD [I.], s. and h., *b.* about 1609. He *m.* (lic. from Fac. 11 July 1638, he about 29, Bachr., to marry at Wennington, co. Essex), Jane PERRY, of Aveyley, Essex, widow, relict of Robert Perry, merchant, said (generally) to be da. and coheir of Hugh PERRY, *alias* HUNTER, Alderman and sometime (1632-33), Sheriff of London. He *d.* at his house in the Savoy, Midx., 21 Feb. 1658 and was *bur.* at Marholm. His widow was *bur.* there 8 April 1671. Her admon. 5 Aug. 1671.^(d)

III. 1658. 3 and 1. WILLIAM (FITZ-WILLIAM), BARON FITZ-
Earldom [I.] WILLIAM OF LIFFORD [I.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 29 April 1643, at the Duchy House, Savoy, Midx.; took his seat in the House of Lords [I.], 25 July 1661. He was *Custos Rot.* for Peterborough. He was *cr.* 21 July 1716, VISCOUNT MILTOWN, co. Westmeath, and EARL FITZ-WILLIAM, co. Tyrone [I.] He *m.* 10 May 1669, at St. Andrew's, Holborn (lic. from Fac. off., she about 22, with consent of her widowed mother), Anne, da. and finally sole heir of Edmund CREMER, of Setchey, co. Norfolk. She *d.* 4 and was *bur.* 13 Feb. 1716/7, at Wareham, aged 71. Admon. 2 March 1716/7. He *d.* 28 Dec. 1719, in his 77th year, and was *bur.* at Marholm. Will pr. 1720.

^(a) His direct line became extinct in 1518, on the death of William Fitz-William of Sprotborough, which estate then devolved on his aunt Dame Dorothy Copley and on the family of Copley. From John Fitz-William of Green's Norton, co. Northampton, 6th s. of Sir John F. of Sprotborough (*d.* 1418), 4th in descent from Sir William (in the text), abovenamed, derive the Earls Fitz-William (probably the male representatives of this ancient house), while William (Fitz-William), Earl of Southampton (so *cr.* 1538), was 4th in descent from Edmund Fitz-William of Wadworth, co. York (*d.* 1430, aged 70), the second s. of Sir John F. of Sprotborough (*d.* 1385), grandson of Sir William (in the text) abovenamed.

^(b) This estate he sold in 1636.

^(c) This William (*d.* 1615), was s. and h. of Sir William F., three times Deputy of Ireland (who *d.* 1599), s. and h. of another Sir William F. (*d.* 1576), s. and h. of Sir William F., well-known as a most opulent Alderman of London (who purchased the estates of Milton and Gainspark and *d.* 1534), s. and h. of John F. the 6th s. of Sir John F. (*d.* 1418), of Sprotborough, co. York. See note "a," just above.

^(d) Their da. Jane, *m.* the celebrated architect, Sir Christopher Wren, by whom she had one da. Jane, who *d.* unm. 29th Dec. 1702, aged 26.

Earldom [I.] }
 II. }
 Barony [I.] } 1719.
 IV. }

2 and 4. JOHN (FITZ-WILLIAM), EARL FITZ-WILLIAM,^(a) &c. [I.], 3d but only surv. s. and h., b. about 1685; styled VISCOUNT MILTOWN, 1716-19; M.P. for Peterborough, 1710-28; and *Custos Rot.* thereof. He m. 17 Sep. 1718, at Carlton-in-Lindrick, Notts, Anne, da. and heir of John STRINGER of Sutton-upon-Lound, in that co. She d. at Bristol, 14 Sep. 1726, and was bur. at Marholm. He d. 28 Aug. 1728, and was bur. there. Will pr. 1729.

Earldom [I.] }
 III. }
 Barony [I.] } 1728.
 V. }

3, 5, and 1. WILLIAM (FITZWILLIAM), EARL FITZWILLIAM, VISCOUNT MILTOWN, and BARON FITZWILLIAM OF LIFFORD [I.], only s. and h., b. 15 Jan. 1719; styled VISCOUNT MILTOWN till 1728; ed. at Eton; M.P. for Peterborough, 1741-42, and *Custos Rot.* thereof 1741. He was made a Peer of Great Britain, being, on 19 April 1742, cr. LORD FITZWILLIAM, BARON OF MILTON, co. Northampton, and subsequently, on 6 Sep. 1746, cr. VISCOUNT MILTON and EARL FITZWILLIAM OF NORBOROUGH, co. Northampton. Lord of the Bedchamber 24 June 1751.^(b) He m. 22 June 1744, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Anne, 1st da. (whose issue became coheir) of Thomas (WATSON-WENTWORTH), 1st MARQUESS OF ROCKINGHAM, by Mary, da. of Daniel (FINCH), EARL OF WINCHILSEA AND NOTTINGHAM. He d. 10 Aug. 1756, and was bur. the 20th at Marholm. Will pr. 1756. His widow d. 29 Aug. 1769, at Chelsea, Midx., and was bur. 11 Sep. at Marholm. Will pr. Feb. 1770.

Earldom, &c. }
 II. }
 Earldom [I.] } 1756.
 IV. }
 Barony [I.] }
 VI. }

2, 4, and 6. WILLIAM (FITZWILLIAM, afterwards WENTWORTH-FITZWILLIAM), EARL FITZWILLIAM OF NORBOROUGH, VISCOUNT MILTON, and BARON FITZWILLIAM OF MILTON, also EARL FITZWILLIAM, VISCOUNT MILTOWN, and BARON FITZWILLIAM OF LIFFORD [I.], s. and h., b. 30 May 1748, at Milton, and *bap.* 1 July at Castor, co. Northampton; styled VISCOUNT MILTON till 1746 when (in his 9th year) he *suc.* to his father's estates and titles; ed. at Eton and at King's Coll., Cambridge; took his seat in the House, 1769, opposing Lord North's policy as to the claims of America; *suc.* on the death, 2 July 1782, of his maternal uncle, Charles, (Watson-Wentworth), Marquess of Rockingham (the *prime minister*) to the vast estates of the Wentworth family in Yorkshire, and by Royal lic., 7 Dec. 1807, took the name of *Wentworth* before that of *Fitzwilliam*. He entertained the Prince of Wales and about 40,000 people 2 Sep. 1789, at Wentworth, co. York; was cr. D.C.L. of Oxford, 3 July 1793; LORD PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL, July to Dec. 1794, and again Feb. to Oct. 1806, being meantime LORD LIEUT. OF IRELAND for a few months in 1795. He was also Lord Lieut. of the west riding of Yorkshire, 1798-1819. He m. firstly, 10 July 1770, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Charlotte, 2d da. of William (PONSONBY), 2d EARL OF BESSBOROUGH [I.], by Caroline, da. of William (CAVENDISH), 3d DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE. She, who was b. 29 Nov. and *bap.* 21 Dec. 1747, at Marylebone, d. 13 May 1822, in her 74th year at Milton House, and was bur. at Marholm. Her will pr. 1822. He m. secondly, 21 July 1823, at Bishops-court, co. Kildare (he aged 78 and she 70) Louisa, Dow. BARONESS PONSONBY OF IMOKILLY, 4th da. of Richard (MOLESWORTH), 3d VISCOUNT MOLESWORTH [I.], by his second wife, Mary, da. of the Ven. William USHER. She, who was b. 23 Oct. 1749, d. 1 Sep. 1824, and was bur. at Marholm. He d. 8 Feb. 1833, in his 85th year, at Milton House, and was bur. at Marholm. Will pr. Sep. 1833.

^(a) See vol. ii, p. 102, *sub* "Cadogan," for instances of the surname as the title of an Earldom.

^(b) He had a few months previously (April 1751) been one of the six Earls who supported the pall at the funeral of Frederick, Prince of Wales.

Earldom, &c.	} 1833.	3, 5, and 7. CHARLES WILLIAM (WENTWORTH-FITZWILLIAM), EARL FITZWILLIAM OF NORBOROUGH, &c., also EARL FITZWILLIAM, &c. [I.], only s. and h., by first wife, <i>b.</i> 4 May 1786, in Grosvenor sq., and <i>bap.</i> at St. Geo. Han. sq.; <i>styled</i> VISCOUNT MILTON till 1833; ed. at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.P. for Malton, 1806-07; for Yorkshire, 1807-30; for Peterborough, 1830; for Northamptonshire, 1831, and for north Northamptonshire, 1831-33; F.R.S., 1811; <i>cr.</i> LL.D. of Cambridge, 1833; K.G. , 4 Nov. 1851. By Royal lic., 20 Aug. 1856, he had confirmation of the name of <i>Wentworth</i> before that of <i>Fitzwilliam</i> . He <i>m.</i> 8 July 1806, at her father's house in
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Arlington street, St. George Han. sq., his first cousin, Mary, 4th da. of Thomas (DUNDAS), 1st BARON DUNDAS OF ASKE, by Charlotte, 1st da. of William (FITZWILLIAM), 1st and 3d EARL FITZWILLIAM [G.B. and I.] abovenamed. She, who was *b.* 30 May 1787, *d.* 1 Nov. 1830, aged 43, and was *bur.* at Marholm. Will *pr.* Dec. 1830. He *d.* 4 Oct. 1857, aged 71, at Wentworth-Woodhouse, (*) and was *bur.* at Marholm.

[WILLIAM CHARLES WENTWORTH-FITZWILLIAM, *styled* VISCOUNT MILTON, 1833 to 1835, 1st s. and h. ap., *b.* 18 Jan. 1812; baptism reg. at Castor and at Marholm; ed. at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1833; M.P. for Malton, 1832-33; for North Northants, 1833-35. He *m.* 15 Aug. 1833, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Selina Charlotte, 2d da. of Charles (JENKINSON), 2d EARL OF LIVERPOOL. He *d.* at Wentworth House, s.p.m., and v.p., 8 Nov. 1835, aged 23, and was *bur.* at Wentworth-Woodhouse. Admon. Feb. 1836. His widow, who was *b.* 3 July 1812, *m.* 28 Aug. 1845, at Wentworth House afsd., George Savile FOLJAMBE, of Asberton Hall, Notts, who *d.* 18 Dec. 1869, aged 69. She, who was *b.* 3 July 1812 (and who resided at Haselbech Hall, Northamptonshire) *d.* 24 Sep. 1883, aged 71, at Carlton House terrace, Midx.]

Earldom, &c.	} 1857.	4, 6, and 8. WILLIAM THOMAS SPENCER (WENTWORTH-FITZWILLIAM), EARL FITZWILLIAM OF NORBOROUGH [1746] VISCOUNT MILTON [1746] and BARON FITZWILLIAM OF MILTON [1742], also EARL FITZWILLIAM [1716], VISCOUNT MILTOWN [1716], and BARON FITZWILLIAM OF LIFFORD [1620], in Ireland, 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. male, <i>b.</i> 12 Oct. 1815, at Milton, and <i>bap.</i> at Castor, co. Northampton; ed. at Eton and at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1837. He was M.P. for Malton, 1837-41 and 1846-47, and for co. Wicklow, 1847-57. Lord Lieut. of the West Riding of Yorkshire, 1857; K.G. , 21 May 1862. Yeomanry Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, and Colonel, 1884. He <i>m.</i> 10 Sep. 1838, at Dalmahoy, co. Edinburgh, Frances Harriet, 1st da. of George Sholto (DOUGLAS), EARL OF MORTON [S.], by Frances Theodora, da. of the Rt. Hon. Sir George Henry ROSE, G.C.H. , She was <i>b.</i> 29 Sep. 1819.
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[WILLIAM WENTWORTH-FITZWILLIAM, *styled* VISCOUNT MILTON, 1857 to 1877, 1st s. and h. ap., *b.* 27 July 1839 and *bap.* at St. Geo. Han. sq.; ed. at Eton and at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.P. for south div. of West Riding of Yorkshire, 1865-72. He *m.* 10 Aug. 1867, at St. Geo. Han. sq., Laura Maria Theresa, 2d da. of Lord Charles BEAUCLEERK, 4th s. of William, 8th DUKE OF ST. ALBANS. He *d.*, v.p., 17 Jan. 1877, at Rouen, in France, aged 37. His widow, who was *b.* 3 Jan. 1849, *d.* 20 March 1886, at Torquay, Devon, aged 37.]

[WILLIAM CHARLES DE-MURE WENTWORTH-FITZWILLIAM, *styled*, since 1849, VISCOUNT MILTON, grandson and h. ap., being only s. and h. of William WENTWORTH-FITZWILLIAM, *styled* VISCOUNT MILTON, and Laura, his wife, both abovenamed. He was *b.* 25 July 1872, at Michigan, U.S.A., and was *bap.* Nov. following at Wentworth-Woodhouse.]

(*) His death occurred just before a contemplated visit to his house from the Queen

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 22,192 acres in Yorkshire (N.E. and W. ridings), 881 in Northamptonshire, 522 in Cambridgeshire, 308 in Derbyshire, and 92 in Huntingdonshire and Lincolnshire; also 89,891 acres in co. Wicklow, 1,532 in co. Kildare and 325 co. Wexford. *Total* 115,743 acres worth £13,880 a year. "Lord F. (writing to *The Times*) calls his Irish property 93 acres less than here stated—the rental £2,646 more." See Bateman's "*Landowners*," 1883. Roughly speaking there are about 92,000 acres in Ireland worth £50,000 a year and 24,000 acres in England worth £88,000 a year. *Principal Residences.* Wentworth House, near Rotherham, co. York, and Collatin Park, co. Wicklow.

The estate of Milton Park, near Peterborough, consisting of 23,318 acres in Northamptonshire and Huntingdonshire, worth £39,547 a year is not herein included, having been devised by the late Earl, in 1857, to his 2d surv. son the Hon. George Wentworth-Fitzwilliam, who d. 4 March 1874, aged 56, leaving issue.

Earl Fitzwilliam stands 22d in point of acreage but 6th in point of rental among the 28 noblemen who, in 1883, possessed above 100,000 acres in the United Kingdom. See a list of these in vol. ii, p. 51, note "a," sub "Buccleuch."

FITZWILLIAM OF MERYON, and OF THORNCASTLE.

Viscounty and I. SIR THOMAS FITZWILLIAM, of Mount Merrion, co.

Barony [I]. Dublin, s. and h. of Sir Richard F. of the same, by Jane, da. of [—] PRESTON *suc.* his father, 5 March 1595, being then 14 years of age; was knighted 23 Aug. 1608; Sheriff of co. Dublin, 1609;

I. 1629. had a grant of 1000 acres of land in the Barony of Over, co. Armagh, on 17 Dec. 1610, and was on 5 Aug. 1629, *cr.* by letters patent, dat. at Cornbury, BARON FITZWILLIAM OF THORNCASTLE and VISCOUNT FITZWILLIAM OF MERYON [I]. He took his seat 14 July 1634. On 24 Oct. 1641, the day after the breaking out of the rebellion (his services to the Lords Justices [I.], being refused, as being a Papist), he went to England to assist Charles I. He is said to have obtained from that King a privy seal for an English Earldom, dat. 1 May 1645, at Oxford, of which the patent could not then be perfected. He was outlawed in Ireland. He m. 23 Aug. 1605, Margaret, 1st da. of Oliver (PLUNKETT), 4th LORD LOUTH [I.], by his first wife, Frances, da. of Sir Nicholas BAGENALL, Knt. Mareschal of Ireland.

II. 1650? **2. OLIVER (FITZWILLIAM), VISCOUNT FITZWILLIAM OF MERYON, &c.** [I.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. He fought for the King at Naseby, 1645. He was a Lieut. Gen. under Ormonde and, by a victory at Roscommon, secured the province of Connaught to the King. On 20 April 1661, he was *cr.* EARL OF TYRCONNEL [I.], and took his seat (by proxy) in the House, 9th July 1662. He m. firstly, Dorothy, da. of [—] BRERETON, of Malpas, co. Chester. He m. secondly, Ellen, da. of John (HOLLES), 1st EARL OF CLARE, by Anne, da. of Sir Thomas STANHOPE, of Shelford, Notts. He d. s.p., 11 April 1667, at Merrion, and was *bur.* in Donnybrooke church, when the *Earldom of Tyrconnel* [I.], became *extinct*. M.I. His widow was living 1677.

III. 1667. **3. WILLIAM (FITZWILLIAM), VISCOUNT FITZWILLIAM OF MERYON, &c.** [I.], br. and h. He was Governor of Whitechurch, Salop, and Lieut. Gen. of that county during the civil war. He m. Mary, sister of Thomas LUTTRELL, of Ranaghan, co. Westmeath (who d. s.p. 1673) and da. of Thomas Luttrell, of Luttrellstown, co. Dublin, by his second wife, Alison (*m.* in 1616), da. of Nicholas (ST. LAWRENCE), LORD HOWTH [I].

IV. 1670? **4. THOMAS (FITZWILLIAM), VISCOUNT FITZWILLIAM OF MERYON, &c.** [I.], only s. and h. He, in 1673, *suc.* to the estate of Ranaghan abovenamed. He was P.C. to James II.; was Col. of a Reg. of Horse; a Commissioner in the Treasury, &c. He was outlawed 1689 but subsequently restored. He m. firstly Mary, da. of Sir Philip STAPLETON, of Wighill, co. York. He m. secondly Elizabeth, 2d da. of George PITT, of Strathfieldsaye, Hants, by Jane (Dow. LADY CHANDOS), 1st da. of John (SAVAGE), EARL RIVERS. He d. 20 Feb. 1704. Will *pr.* April 1705.

V. 1704. 5. RICHARD (FITZWILLIAM), VISCOUNT FITZWILLIAM OF MERYON, &c. [I.], only s. and h., by first wife. He conformed to the established church and took his seat in the House of Lords [I.], 25 May 1710. On 14 Nov. 1715, he was one of a Committee to congratulate Geo. I. on his accession. He was P.C. both to Geo. I. and Geo. II., and in Jan. 1726 was M.P. for Fowey, in Cornwall. He m. (settl. 26 Feb. 1703/4), Frances, da. of Sir John SHELLEY, Bart., being the only child of her mother (his first wife) Winifred, only da. of (whose issue became sole heir to) George (NEVILL), LORD ABERGAVENNY. He d. at his house at Thorpe, Surrey, 6 June 1743. Will dat. 4 Oct. 1742, pr. 22 Oct. 1743. His widow d. at the age of 99 and was bur. 18 Nov. 1771, at St. James', Westm. Will dat. 25 June 1761, pr. Dec. 1771.

VI. 1743. 6. RICHARD (FITZWILLIAM), VISCOUNT FITZWILLIAM OF MERYON, &c. [I.], s. and h.^(a) *hap.* 24 July 1711, at St. Andrew's Dublin. On 18 Nov. 1733, he was Cornet in the Royal Regt. of Horse (under his br. in law the Earl of Pembroke), and at his father's death was in Germany in the King's service. Of him his father speaks in his will as "a wretch, who in contempt of sense, &c., has clandestinely sold the remainder of his family estate, &c." On 28 May 1744, he was elected **K.B.**, and installed, 20 Oct. P.C., April 1746; Vice Admiral of the province of Leinster, F.R.S., &c. On 23 Oct. 1751, he took his seat [I.]. He m. 3 May 1744, at the house of her father, in St. James' square, St. James' Westm. Catharine, da. of Sir Matthew DECKER, of Richmond, Surrey, Bart., by Henrietta, da. of Rev. Richard WATKINS, D.D., Rector of Wickford, co. Warwick. He d. 25 April 1776, and was bur. in Donnybrook chapel, co. Dublin. Admon., March and Nov. 1777, and again 26 Aug. 1794. His widow was bur. 15 Feb. 1786, at Richmond, Surrey. Will dat. 12 Aug. 1784, pr. 11 March 1786.

VII. 1776. 7. RICHARD (FITZWILLIAM, VISCOUNT FITZWILLIAM OF MERYON, &c. [I.], s. and h.^(a) *hap.* at Richmond afsd, 22 Aug. 1745; ed. at Trinity Hall, Cambridge; M.A., 1764. Took his seat in the House [I.], 26 Nov. 1776. He d. un^{m.} 4 Feb. 1816. Will dat. 18 Aug. 1815, pr. 22 Feb. 1816.^(b)

VIII. 1816. 8. JOHN (FITZWILLIAM) VISCOUNT FITZWILLIAM OF MERYON, &c. [I.], br. and h.^(a) *hap.* 21 Oct. 1752, at Richmond, afsd. He d. un^{m.} at Paris, Oct. 1830. Will, in French, dat. 20 Sep. 1829, at Paris, pr. 10 March 1831.

IX. 1830, to 1833. 9. THOMAS (FITZWILLIAM) VISCOUNT FITZWILLIAM OF MERYON and BARON FITZWILLIAM OF THORNCASTLE [I.], only surv. br. and h.^(a) *hap.* 3 Sep. 1755, at Richmond afsd. He m. July 1780, Agnes, da. of Thomas MACCLESFIELD, of Chesterton, co. Derby. She d. 15 Jan. 1817. He d. s.p., at Bath, Jan. 1833, when the *Peerage* became extinct. Will dat. 18 Jan. 1832, pr. 31 Jan. 1833.

FIVIE, see FYVIE.

FLACRAIG.

i.e., "LIVINGSTON OF FLACRAIG," Barony [S.] (*Livingston*), cr. 1660 with the EARLDOM OF NEWBURGH [S.], which see.

^(a) He was coheir to a moiety of the Barony of VAUX, thro' the families of Shelley, Nevill, and Vaux. This moiety, in 1833, fell again into moieties between the descendants of Mary, Countess of Pembroke and Frances, Baroness Carbery [I.], the daughters of the 5th Viscount FitzWilliam [I.]. See under "Vaux."

^(b) In his will, after an annuity of £300 to his brother and successor, he bequeaths his South Sea Stock, and his books, pictures, prints, &c., to the University of Cambridge (being the foundation of the FitzWilliam Museum), and devises the reversion of the chief part of his estates (after several life tenancies), to his cousin, Hon. Sidney HERBERT (afterwards Lord Herbert of Lea), and his issue intail male.

FLEMING [of Slane], see SLANE.

FLEMING.

Barony [S.] 1. **SIR ROBERT FLEMING**, of Biggar and Cumbernauld, I. 1445? 2d but only surv. s. and h. of Sir Malcolm F. of the same, by Elizabeth 3d da. of Robert (STEWART), DUKE OF ALBANY [S.], REGENT OF SCOTLAND; *suc.* his father [who was beheaded with the Earl of Douglas, &c.], 24 Nov. 1440; was, when of age, infeoffed in his lands and received into favour by King James II. [S.], by whom, apparently, about 1445,^(a) he was *cr.* a Peer of Parl. as LORD FLEMING [S.] He occurs in the records of Parl. [S.], 11 Oct. 1466, and had a safe *conduct* to visit England 2 Nov. 1484. He *m.* firstly Janet, 3d da. of James (DOUGLAS), 7th EARL OF DOUGLAS [S.], by Beatrix, da. of Henry (SINCLAIR), EARL OF ORKNEY [S.] He *m.* secondly Margaret, da. of James LINDSAY, of Covington. He *d.* 1494.

II. 1494. 2. **JOHN (FLEMING), LORD FLEMING [S.]**, grandson and h., being 2d s. but eventually h. of Malcolm FLEMING, by Euphemia, da. of James (LIVINGSTON), LORD LIVINGSTON [S.], which Malcolm was s. and h. ap. of the first Lord (by his first wife) but *d. v.p.* some date after Oct. 1474. He *suc.* his elder br. Sir David Fleming, of Monycabo, some date after 1480. He appears among the records of Parl. [S.], 31 Aug. 1493; was served heir to his grandfather in 1500 and had a charter of Monycabo, 8 May 1509. He was on several embassies to France; was CHAMBERLAIN OF SCOTLAND from, or before, 1517 till his death; and was one of the three noblemen appointed in Nov. 1523 to abide with the King [S.] He *m.* firstly, before 5 May 1496, Euphemia, 5th da. of David (DRUMMOND), 1st LORD DRUMMOND [S.], by Elizabeth, da. of Alexander (LINDSAY), 4th EARL OF CRAWFORD [S.] She was poisoned (with two of her sisters) 1501 and *bur.* at Dunblane.^(b) He *m.* secondly (charter 12 March 1508/9), Margaret, 1st da. of Matthew (STEWART), 2d EARL OF LENNOX [S.], by Elizabeth, da. of James (HAMILTON), LORD HAMILTON [S.] She was *divorced* before 26 Oct. 1516.^(c) He *m.* thirdly Agnes SOMERVILLE. He *d.* 1 Nov. 1524, being assassinated while hawking. His widow was living 17 Dec. 1526.

III. 1524. 3. **MALCOLM (FLEMING), LORD FLEMING [S.]**, s. and h., by first wife, *b.* about 1494; CHAMBERLAIN [S.], 1524. He was taken prisoner by the English at the rout of Solway Nov. 1542, but released at a ransom of 1,000 marks, 1 July 1543. He *m.* (dispensation 26 Feb. 1524/5), Lady Johanna STEWART, illegit. da. of King James IV. [S.], by Isabel, da. of James (STEWART), EARL OF BUCHAN [S.] He *d.* 10 Sep. 1547, in his 53d year, being slain at the battle of Pinkie.

IV. 1547. 4. **JAMES (FLEMING), LORD FLEMING [S.]**, s. and h., *b.* about 1535; CHAMBERLAIN [S.], 10 March 1553; Guardian of the east and middle marches. He *m.* before 14 Dec. 1553, Barbara, 1st da. of James (HAMILTON), 2d EARL OF ARRAN [S.], *Duc de Chatellherault in France*, REGENT [S.], by Margaret, da. of James (DOUGLAS), 1st EARL OF MORTON [S.] He was one of the eight representatives of Scotland, at Paris, at the marriage of the Queen of Scots with the Dauphin, 24 April 1558. Four of these, of whom he was one, are supposed to have been poisoned.^(d) He *d. s.p.m.*,^(e) at Paris, 15 Dec. 1558, in his 24th year.

(^a) In the "Decreet of Ranking" [S.], 1606, the Barony of Fleming is placed fourth, *viz.*, below "Lindsay" "Forbes" and "Glamis" and next above "Saltoun" of which the creation was 1445.

(^b) See p. 174, note "e," *sub* "Drummond."

(^c) She *m.* secondly Alexander Douglas, of Mains.

(^d) See vol. ii, p. 174, *sub* "Cassillis" under the 3d Earl, and the note thereto.

(^e) Jane his only da. and h. *b.* 1554 (whose descendants are the heirs of *line* of the Lords Fleming), *m.* firstly John (Maitland), Lord Maitland of Thirlestane [S.], ancestor of the Earls of Lauderdale [S.], and *secondly*, John (Kennedy), 2d Earl of Cassillis [S.] She *d.* 23 June 1609, aged 55.

V. 1558. 5. JOHN (FLEMING), LORD FLEMING [S.], br. and h. male, who by charter, 15 Jan. 1557/8, *suc.*, as such heir, to the estate. CHAMBERLAIN [S.], 30 June 1565, for life. He subscribed the association at Hamilton, 8 May 1568, on behalf of Mary, Queen of Scots, for whom he held Dumbarton Castle till 2 April 1571, having been “*forfeited*” by the Parl. [S.], 17 Nov. 1569. He *m.* Elizabeth, only child of Robert Ross, 1st Master of Ross, s. and h. ap. of Ninian, 3rd LORD ROSS OF HALKHEAD [S.], which Robert *d. v.p.*, in 1547. He *d.* at Biggar, 6 Sep. 1572, of wounds accidentally received, at Edinburgh, 5 July previous.

VI. 1572. 6. JOHN (FLEMING), LORD FLEMING [S.], only s. and h. He was *cr.* 19 March 1605/6, EARL OF WIGTOUN, LORD FLEMING AND CUMBERNAULD [S.]. See “WIGTOUN,” Earldom [S.], *cr.* 1606,

“FLEMING AND CUMBERNAULD” Barony [S.] (*Fleming*), *cr.* 1606, with the EARLDOM OF WIGTOUN [S.], which see.

FLINT.^(a)

“The county of Flint has always been considered as an appendant to that of Chester; it is said ‘*ad Gladium Cestrice pertinere*,’ and it has consequently formed part of the Earldom of Chester. Heylyn states that Edward, s. and h. ap. of Edward II., was sum. to Parl. as EARL OF CHESTER AND FLINT, but the latter name does not occur in any writ of summons on record, and the statement is founded on his having received from the King, his father, a grant of *both* the counties, Chester and Flint. Sandford states that he finds Arthur, Prince of Wales, styled ‘*Comes Cestrice et de Flint*’ in 1489, but he was not so *created* by his patent dated 1 Dec. 1489; he was merely *invested with the counties* of Chester and Flint, as other Princes of Wales had been from the time of Henry of Monmouth, s. of King Henry IV.; it [*i.e.*, the Earldom of Flint] was never held as a distinct Earldom from that of Chester.” [Nicolas, with a few additions by Courthope].

See “HANMER OF HANMER AND FLINT, both co. Flint” Barony (*Hanmer*), *cr.* 1872; *ex.* 1881.

FLORENCE COURT.

See “MOUNT-FLORENCE OF FLORENCE COURT, co. Fermanagh,” Barony [I.] (*Cole*), *cr.* 1760.

^(a) “The titles of Earl of Flint and Viscount Wickham were *sarcastically* applied to [George (Jeffreys), Baron Jeffreys of Wem (Lord Chief Justice and Lord Chancellor to James II.) whom Sir Harris Nicolas styles] this notorious personage. Granger, vol. iv. p. 272, says, there is a print of Judge Jeffreys as *Earl of Flint*, Viscount Wickham, Baron of Wem;’ and adds, ‘I was once inclined to think it a sarcasm, until a curious gentleman shewed me the following book: ‘*Dissertatio Lithologica*,’ &c., dedicated to ‘*Honoratissimo Domino Georgio, Comiti Flintensi, Vicecomiti de Weickham Baroni de Weim, supremo Angliæ Cancellario, et serenissimo Jacobo Secundo regi Angliæ a secretioribus consiliis.*’ The proof, which convinced Granger, is, however, evidently a *satirical* dedication to him [*i.e.*, the Chancellor] as the *Flinty* Jefferys.” [Nicolas]. See, also, *Seward’s Anecdotes*, vol. i. p. 322. Can it be possible that this [supposed?] *Lithological* dissertation has a punning reference to the *Flint-stone*?

FOLEY OF KIDDERMINSTER.

Barony.

I. 1712. 1. THOMAS FOLEY,^(a) of Witley Court, co. Worcester, 1st s. and h. of Thomas F. of the same, by Elizabeth, da. of Edward ASHE, of Heytesbury, Wilts; *suc.* his father after 1683; was M.P. for Stafford, 1695 to 1712, when, on 1 Jan. 1711/2,^(b) he was *cr.* BARON FOLEY OF KIDDERMINSTER, co. Worcester.^(c) He *m.* Mary, da. and h. of Thomas STRODE, Serjeant at Law. He *d.* 22 Jan. 1732/3, and was *bur.* at Witley. M.I. Will pr. 19 March 1732/3. His widow *d.* Oct. 1735 and was *bur.* there. Will dat. 6 June 1735, pr. 14 Jan. 1735/6.

II. 1733, 2. THOMAS (FOLEY), BARON FOLEY OF KIDDERMINSTER, to 1st s. and h. mat. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 4 Nov. 1720, aged 17; *cr.* 1766. D.C.L., 11 July 1733. He *d.* unm. 8 Jan. 1766, in his 63d year and was *bur.* at Witley, when the *title* became *extinct.* Will pr. 1766.

III. 1776. 1. THOMAS FOLEY, of Witley Court, co. Worcester and of Stoke Edith, co. Hereford, s. and h. of Thomas F.^(d) of Stoke Edith afsd, by his first wife, Hester, da. and h. of Thomas ANDREWS, of St. Mary-at-Hill, London, was *b.* 8 and *hap.* 10 Aug. 1716. M.P. for Droitwich, 1741-47 and 1754-68; for Herefordshire, 1768-76. Having *suc.* in 1766, by the death of his cousin abovenamed, to the family estates in Worcestershire, he was *cr.* 20 May 1776, BARON FOLEY OF KIDDERMINSTER, co. Worcester. He *m.* 28 March 1740, in Audley chapel, St. Geo. Han. sq., Grace, 3d da. and coheir of George (GRANVILLE), BARON LANSDOWNE OF BIDEFORD, by Mary, da. of Edward (VILLIERS), 1st EARL OF JERSEY. She *d.* at Witley, 1 Nov. 1769, and was *bur.* there. He *d.* 18 Nov. 1777, and was *bur.* there. Will pr. 1778.

IV. 1777. 2. THOMAS (FOLEY), BARON FOLEY OF KIDDERMINSTER, 1st s. and h., *b.* 24 June and *hap.* 7 July 1742, at St. Geo. Han. sq.; mat. at Oxford (Mag. Coll.), 2 May 1759; M.P. for Herefordshire, 1767-74; for Droitwich, 1774-77; Joint Postmaster Gen., 1783. He *m.* at her father's house, in St. Martins in the fields, 20 March 1776, Harriett, 4th da. of William (STANHOPE), 2d EARL OF HARRINGTON, by Caroline, da. of Charles (FITZROY), 2d DUKE OF GRAFTON. She, who was *b.* 26 Oct. 1750, *d.* in childbed 2 Jan. 1781, and was *bur.* at Witley. He *d.* 2 July 1793, aged 51, and was *bur.* there. Admon. July 1794.

V. 1793. 3. THOMAS (FOLEY), BARON FOLEY OF KIDDERMINSTER, 3d but only surv. s. and h., *b.* 22 Dec. 1780, and *hap.* 19 May 1781, at Marylebone; mat. at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 7 May 1798; *cr.* M.A., 25 June 1800. He was P.C. and was Lord Lieut. of co. Worcester. He *m.* 18 Aug. 1806 at (the house of Baroness de Ros) Boyle Farm, Kingston-on-Thames, Cecilia Olivia Geraldine, 5th da. of Robert (FITZGERALD), 2d DUKE OF LEINSTER [I.], by Emilia Olivia, da. and h. of St. George Usher (St. GEORGE), BARON ST. GEORGE OF HATLEY ST. GEORGE [I.] He *d.* 16 April 1833, aged 52, and was *bur.* at Witley. Admon. Aug. 1834. His widow, who was *b.* 3 March 1786, *d.* 27 July 1863, in her 78th year, at 12 Great Stanhope street, Midx.

(^a) An interesting account of the Foley family, "by H. Sydney Grazebrook," is in Marshall's "*Genealogist*," vol. vi. pp. 117-122. The grandfather of the first Lord (Thomas Foley *d.* 1 Oct. 1677, aged 60), was the purchaser of Witley Court and numerous other estates.

(^b) "*Horâ tertiâ post meridiem.*" See vol. i, p. 269, note "d," *sub* "Bathurst," for an account of this proceeding, relating to the elevation of a dozen commoners (at the same time) to the Peerage to secure a majority in the House of Lords.

(^c) His sister, Elizabeth, was the first wife of the celebrated Robert Harley, afterwards (1711), Earl of Oxford and was mother of the 2d Earl.

(^d) This Thomas was s. and h. of another Thomas Foley (*d.* 1737, aged 67), who was s. and h. of Paul Foley (sometime, 1695, Speaker of the House of Commons, who *d.* 1699), all of Stoke Edith afsd., which Paul was yr. br. to Thomas, the father of Thomas, the 1st Baron Foley of the creation of 1712.

VI. 1833. 4. THOMAS HENRY (FOLEY), BARON FOLEY OF KIDDERMINSTER, 1st s. and h., *b.* 11 Dec. 1808, in Hill street, and *bap.* at St. Geo. Han. sq. He was M.P. for Worcestershire, 1830-32, and for West Worcestershire, 1832-33; P.C., 1833; Capt. of the corps of Gent. at arms, 1833-34, 1835-41, 1846 to Feb. 1852, Dec. 1852 to Feb. 1858, 1859-66, and 1868-96. He *m.* 16 July 1849, at St. James's, Westminster, Mary Charlotte (FITZALAN-HOWARD), 1st da. of Henry Charles (HOWARD), 13th DUKE OF NORFOLK, by Charlotte Sophia, da. of Charles Granville (LEVESON-GOWER), 1st DUKE OF SUTHERLAND. He *d.* 20 Nov. 1869, at the Hotel Bristol, Paris, aged 60. Personality sworn under £250,000. His widow, who was *b.* 13 Dec. 1822, living 1890.

VII. 1869. 5. HENRY THOMAS (FOLEY), BARON FOLEY OF KIDDERMINSTER, 1st s. and h., *b.* 4 Dec. 1850, in Grosvenor sq., Midx.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, appear to have been under 2,000 acres, not being noticed in Bateman's "Great Landowners." *Principal Residence.* Ruxley Lodge, Esher, Surrey.

FOLIOT.

- Barony by Writ.**
- I. 1295. 1. JORDAN FOLIOT (probably s. and h. of Jordan F. by Beatrice, da. of Hugh BARDOLPH, niece and coheir of Robert Bardolph, of Hoo, co. Kent), was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FOLIOT], 23 June, 30 Sep., and 2 Nov. (1295), 23 Ed. I. He was also sum. 26 Jan. (1296/7), 25 Ed. I., to the assembly at Salisbury.^(a) He *m.* Margaret. He *d.* (1298-99), 27 Ed. I. His widow *d.* (1329), 4 Ed. III.
- II. 1299. 2. RICHARD FOLIOT, s. and h., aged 15 at his father's death. He was never sum. to Parl. He was living (1313-14), 7 Ed.
- III. 1314? 3. RICHARD FOLIOT, only s. and h., *d.* a minor and to unm. (1325-26), 19 Ed. II., when the *Barony* (if any hereditary 1326. *Barony* existed) fell into *abeyance*.^(b)

FOLKESTONE.

- Viscounty.**
- I. 1747. 1. SIR JACOB BOUVERIE, Bart., of Longford, Wilts, 2d s. of Sir William DES BOUVERIE, 1st Bart. (a Turkey merchant in London) by his second wife, Anne, da. and h. of David URRY, of London, was *b.* before 1703; was sometime a merchant in London; *suc.* to the Baronetcy and the family estates on the death of his eldest br. 21 Nov. 1736; took the name of *Bouverie* in lieu of that of *Des Bouverie* by act of Parl. 22 April 1737; was M.P. for Salisbury, 1741-47, and Recorder thereof, 1744. He was, on 29 June 1747, *cr.* LORD LONGFORD, BARON OF LONGFORD, co. Wilts, and VISCOUNT FOLKESTONE,^(c) of Folkestone, co. Kent. He *m.* firstly 31 Jan. 1733, Mary, da. and h. of Bartholomew CLARKE, of Delapre Abbey and Hardingstone, co. Northampton, by Mary, sister and h. of Hitch YOUNG, of Roehampton, Surrey. She *d.* 16 Nov. 1739, and was *bur.* at Britford, Wilts. He *m.* secondly 21 April 1741, Elizabeth, 1st da. of Robert (MARSHAM), 1st BARON ROMNEY, by Elizabeth, da. and coheir of Admiral Sir Cloudesley SHOVEL. He *d.* 17 Feb. 1761, and was *bur.* at Britford. Will *pr.* 1761. His widow *d.* 25 Sep. 1782, at South Warnborough, Hants. Admon. Nov. 1782.

^(a) See vol. i, p. 111, note "b," *sub* "Ap Adam," as to this summons not constituting a regular writ of summons to Parl.

^(b) The coheirs were his two sisters, viz. (1) Margery aged 12 and unm. in 1329 who *m.* before 1330 Hugh de Hastings, whose coheirs will be found under the Barony of Hastings *cr.* 1295 (2) Margaret aged 11 in 1329 who *m.* John de Camoys, whose coheirs will be found under the Barony of Camoys.

^(c) The Countess of Yarmouth (the King's *Mistress*) who "is stated to have derived considerable sums from the sale of Peerages" is said to have received from Sir Jacob "the magnificent bribe of £12,000, the price of a coronet [a *Viscounty* not a mere *Barony*] which she obtained for him." See Jesse's "Court of Hanover," vol. iii, p. 422, as also Walpole's letter to Montagu, 2 July 1747.

- II. 1761. 2. WILLIAM (BOUVERIE), VISCOUNT FOLKESTONE, &c., 1st s. and h., by first wife, *b.* 26 Feb. 1725. He was *cr.* 31 Oct. 1765, BARON PLEYDELL-BOUVERIE OF COLESHILL, co. Berks and EARL of the county of RADNOR, with a spec. rem. of these dignities. See "RADNOR" Earldom, *cr.* 1765.

FOLLIOTT OF BALLYSHANNON.

- Barony [I]. 1. SIR HENRY FOLLIOTT, Governor of Ballyshannon, co. Donegal, s. of Thomas F., of Pyrton, co. Worcester, by his second wife, Katharine, da. of William LYGON; served in the wars in Ireland, being knighted there, 6 Sep. 1599, by the Lord Lieut. [I.]; was at the victory of Kingsale in 1601, and was, 22 Jan. 1619/20, *cr.* LORD FOLLIOTT, BARON OF BALLYSHANNON, co. Donegal [I]. He *m.* before 1613, Anne, da. of Sir William STRODE, of Stoke-under-Hampden, Somerset. He *d.* 10 Nov. 1622. His widow *m.* before 1627, Robert (DILLON), 2d EARL OF ROSCOMMON [I.], who *d.* 7 Sep. 1642.
- II. 1622. 2. THOMAS (FOLLIOTT), BARON FOLLIOTT OF BALLYSHANNON [I.], s. and h. *b.* 1613; Gov. of Londonderry. He *m.* Rebecca, widow of (—) WATERS or WATERHOUSE, of Dublin, da. of (—) FRENCH. She *d.* before 3 Dec. 1695. His will dat. 3 Dec. 1695, pr. 28 June 1697.
- III. 1697, 1716. 3. HENRY (FOLLIOTT), BARON FOLLIOTT OF BALLYSHANNON [I.], only s. and h. He *m.* Elizabeth,^(a) da. and coheir of Henry Pudsey of Langley, co. Warwick (*d.* 1677, aged 45), by Jane, da. of Francis THORNHAUGH, of Fenton, Notts. He *d.* s.p. in 1716, when the *title* became *extinct*. Admon. 5 March 1716/7. His widow *d.* before 1743. Will dat. 18 April 1725, pr. 7 Nov. 1743, by Margaret Pudsey, Spinster, the residuary legatee.

FORBES.^(b)

- Barony [S.] 1. SIR ALEXANDER FORBES, of Forbes, co. Aberdeen, I. 1442? s. and h. of Sir John F. of the same, Justiciary of that county, by Margaret, his wife, was *b.* about 1380, *suc.* his father in 1405, was among the Scotch forces, who assisted the French in their victory at Beaugé, in Anjou in 1421, over the English; visited King James I. [S.], when a prisoner in England, and was *cr.* a Peer of Parl. (LORD FORBES [S.]) before 12 July 1442.^(c) He *m.* (charter, 1423), Elizabeth, da. of George (DOUGLAS), EARL OF ANGUS [S.], by the Lady Mary STEWART, da. of King Robert III. [S.] He *d.* 1448. His widow *m.* Sir David HAY, of Yester.
- II. 1448. 2. JAMES (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], s. and h. He had lic. from the King (who calls him "his cousin") 14 May 1456 to build the castle of Drumynor in the Lordship of Forbes. He *m.* Egidia, da. of William (KEITH), 1st EARL MARISCHAL [S.], by Mary, da. of Sir James HAMILTON. He was living 20 Sep. 1460, but *d.* soon afterwards.
- III. 1461? 3. WILLIAM (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], s. and h. He *m.* (charter, 8 July 1468), Christian, 3d da. of Alexander (GORDON), 1st EARL OF HUNTLY [S.], by his third wife, Elizabeth, da. of William (CRICHTON), LORD CRICHTON [S.]. He *d.* before 1488.

^(a) Her father is sometimes (erroneously) called Henry *Dudley*. Her sister, Anne (the other coheir *m.* Sir William Jesson, who in her right was of Langley afsd.

^(b) The Barony of Forbes was the *Premier Barony* (existing as a separate dignity) on the *Union Roll* [S.], in 1707, and still (1890) occupies the same position. Even in the *Decreet of Ranking* (1606) "FORBES" was inferior *only* to "LINDSAY OF THE BYRES," a Barony which, since 1633, has been merged in the Earldom of Lindsay [S.].

^(c) He is so designed in a precept of that date from the King to the Lords of the Exchequer [S.]

IV. 1485? 4. ALEXANDER (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], 1st s. and h. He, in 1483, took up arms to revenge the death of King James III. [S.], but finally submitted to the reigning King. He m. Grizel, da. of Thomas (BOYD), EARL OF ARRAN [S.], by the lady Mary STEWART, 1st da. of King James II. [S.]. He d., s.p., before 16 May 1491. His widow m. (as his second wife), David (KENNEDY), 1st EARL OF CASSILLIS [S.], who was slain at Flodden, 9 Sep. 1513. She was living 1509.

V. 1491? 5. ARTHUR (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], br. and h. under age at his brother death. He m. Elizabeth, da. of John (LYON), 3d LORD GLAMIS [S.], by Elizabeth, da. of Sir John SCRIMGEOUR. He d. s.p., before 30 Oct. 1496. His widow was living 27 June 1535.

VI. 1495? 6. JOHN (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], br. and h. *suc.* before 30 Oct. 1496. He (together with his 1st surv. son), was accused of treason and imprisoned in Edinburgh Castle, 1536, but was eventually released, tho' his son was executed, 17 July 1537. He m. firstly, Catharine, da. of John (STEWART), EARL OF ATHOLE [S.], by his first wife, Margaret, da. of Archibald (DOUGLAS), 5th EARL OF DOUGLAS [S.]. She d. s.p.m.s. He m. secondly, Christian, da. of Sir John LUNDIN, of Lundin. He m. thirdly, after 1513, Elizabeth, Dow. BARONESS ELPHINSTONE [S.], an English lady, of the name BERLAY, BARCLAY, or BARLOW. He d. 1547.

VII. 1547. 7. WILLIAM (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], 3d but 1st surv. s. and h., being 2d s. of the second wife.^(a) He was v.p. one of the Gentlemen of the Bedchamber 1539 and in great favour with the King. He m. Elizabeth, da. and coheir^(b) of Sir William KEITH, of Innerugie, co. Banff. He d. 1593. His widow d. before 13 Nov. 1604.

VIII. 1593. 8. JOHN (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], 1st s. and h. He distinguished himself on the King's side against the Roman Catholic Lords in 1594-95. He m. firstly Margaret, 1st da. of George (GORDON), 4th EARL OF HUNTLY [S.], by Elizabeth, sister of William, 4th EARL MARISCHAL [S.], da. of Robert KEITH, styled LORD KEITH. He m. secondly Janet, da. of James SETON, of Touch. He d. between 1606 and 1610.

IX. 1610? 9. ARTHUR (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h.,^(c) being 1st s. of the second wife. He m. 1 Feb. 1600, Jean, 2d da. of Alexander (ELPHINSTONE), 4th LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.], by Jean, 1st da. of William (LIVINGSTON), 6th LORD LIVINGSTONE [S.]. He was living 23 April 1634.

X. 1640? 10. ALEXANDER (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], s. and h. He became Lieut. Gen. in the army of Gustavus-Adolphus of Sweden and was subsequently in the Scotch army sent in 1643 to repress the Irish rebellion. He m. firstly Anne, da. of Sir John FORBES, of Pitsligo, by Christian, da. of Walter (OGILVY), 1st LORD OGILVY OF DESKFORD [S.]. He m. secondly Elizabeth, da. of Robert FORBES, of Rires, co. Fife. He d. at Stockholm, in Sweden, 20 April 1672.

(a) His elder br. (of the whole blood) John Forbes, Master of Forbes, d. unm., being executed for treason 17 July 1537, a charge he denied, tho' he acknowledged to the slaughter of Alexander Seton, Laird of Meldrum.

(b) Margaret, the other coheir, m. William (Keith), 4th Earl Marischal [S.], her marriage "worth £10,000" being sold in 1521 by the Duke of Albany [S.]

(c) As to John, his elder br. (the only son by the first wife) it is said that he "entered into a religious order abroad and died without succession." It is to be noted that a charter of the Lordship and Barony of Forbes 20 Dec. 1598 was granted "to Arthur Forbes, eldest son of John, Lord Forbes, by Jonet Seytoun, his wife," which seems to imply that John was then civilly or actually dead. See Wood's "Douglas," vol. i, p. 593.

- XI. 1672. 11. WILLIAM (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], s. and h.
He was nom. one of the Colonels of Foot in the forces raised for the rescue of the King in 1648. He *m.* firstly in 1648 Jean, da. and h. of Sir John CAMPBELL, of Calder [Cawdor], co. Nairn, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir Thomas URQUHART, of Cromarty. He *m.* secondly Margaret, sister of Thomas and Alexander, 2d and 3d EARLS OF KELLIE [S.], da. of Alexander ERSKINE, styled VISCOUNT FENTOUN, by Anne, da. of Alexander (SETON), 1st EARL OF DUNFERMLINE [S.] He *m.* thirdly Barbara, da. of (—) FORBES, of Asloune. He *d.* 1691.
- XII. 1691. 12. WILLIAM (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], s. and h.,
by first wife, *b.* about 1656; Lieut. Col. of the Horse Guards, and, (1702-04), Col. of the second troop of Horse Grenadier Guards; P.C., to William III. and to Queen Ann, being a supporter of the Revolution in 1689, and of the Union [S.], in 1707; was made Lord Lieut. of the counties of Aberdeen and Kincardine, 19 Aug. 1715, to suppress the Jacobite insurrection. He *m.* Anne, da. of James BRODIE, of Brodie, co. Nairne. He was *bur.* 25 July 1716,^(a) at St. Martin's in the fields, Midx. Admon. (as "William, *alias* John, Lord Forbes"), 9 Dec. 1719, to a creditor.
- XIII. 1716. 13. WILLIAM (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], s. and h.
He *m.* (contract, 3 Sep. 1720), Dorothy, da. of William DALE, of Covent Garden, Midx. Her fortune of £20,000 was all lost in the South Sea scheme and other speculations of 1720. He *d.* at Edinburgh 26 and was *bur.* 28 June 1730, in the Abbey church there. Fun. entry in Lyon office. Will pr. 1732.
- XIV. 1730. 14. FRANCIS (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], only s. and h.
He was *b.* 19 Dec. 1721 and *bap.* 13 Jan. 1721/2, at Chelsea, Midx., where he was *bur.* 8 Aug. 1734, in his 13th year.
- XV. 1734. 15. JAMES (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], uncle and h.
male, being second s. of the 13th Lord; *b.* 1689. He *m.* firstly before 1715, Mary, widow of John FORBES, of Monymusk, da. of Alexander (FORBES), 3d LORD FORBES OF PITSLIGO [S.], by Sophia, da. of John (ERSKINE), EARL OF MAR [S.]. He *m.* secondly, July 1741, Elizabeth, da. of Sir James GORDON, 3d Bart. [S.], of Park, by his second wife, Margaret, da. of John (ELPHINSTONE), 8th LORD ELPHINSTONE [S.]. He *d.* at Putachie, co. Aberdeen, 20 Feb. 1761, in his 73d year. His widow *d.* 12 June 1792, in her 72d year, at Aberdeen.^(b)
- XVI. 1761. 16. JAMES (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], only s. and h.,
by first wife, *b.* about 1725; Capt. 26th Foot, 1746; Dep. Gov. of Fort William, 1764. He *m.* Jan. 1760, Catharine, only surv. da. and h. of Sir Robert INNES, 6th Bart. [S.], of Balveny, by Margery, da. of Col. [—] WINRAM. He *d.* in George street, Edinburgh, 29 July 1804, in his 80th year. Will pr. 1806. His widow *d.* there 16 April 1805.
- XVII. 1804. 17. JAMES OCHONCHAR (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.],
s. and h., *b.* 7 March 1765; was 26 years an officer in the Coldstream Guards, 1781-1807; served in Flanders and at the Helder; Major Gen. in the Army, 1802; Lieut. Gen., 1808; General, 1819. Col. of the 94th, April 1809, of the 54th, Sep. 1809, and of the 21st Foot, 1816-43; Knight of St. Januarius of Sicily; REP. PEER [S.], 1806-43; Commissioner to the Gen. Assembly of the Church [S.], 1826. He *m.* 2 June 1792, at Crailing, co. Roxburgh, Elizabeth, 1st da. of Walter HUNTER, of Polmoor, co. Peebles and of Crailing afsd., by Caroline, 4th da. of George (MACKENZIE), 3d EARL OF CROMARTY [S.] She who was *b.* 9 May 1775, *d.* 1 Oct. 1830. He *d.* 4 May 1843, aged 78, at Bregeny, on the lake of Constance, aged 78.

^(a) Macky in his "characters" writes thus of him, about 1702, "was zealous for the Revolution. He commanded a Reg. of Dragoons, most of King William's reign; is a good natured gentleman, very tall and black; 45 years old.

^(b) An *enconium* on her virtues is in the Gent. Mag. for July 1792.

XVIII. 1843. 18. WALTER (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h.,^(a) *b.* at Crailing afsd. 29 May 1798. He *m.* firstly, 31 Jan. 1825, Horatia, 7th da. of Sir John Gregory Shaw, 5th Bart., of Kenward, Kent, by Theodocia Margaret, da. of John (MONSON), 2d BARON MONSON. She *d.* 24 Dec. 1862, at 4 St. Andrew's Place, Regent's Park, Midx., in her 61th year. He *m.* secondly 4 April 1864, at St. Nicholas, Brighton, Louisa, 2d da. of James ORMOND, of Abingdon, Berks. He *d.* 1 May 1868, at Richmond, Surrey, in his 70th year. His widow living 1890.

XIX. 1868. 19. HORACE COURTENAY GAMMELL (FORBES), LORD FORBES [S.], 3d but 1st surv. s. and h.,^(b) by the first wife; *b.* 24 Feb. 1829, at Aberdeen; *ed.* at Oriel Coll., Oxford; B.A., 1849; REP. PEER [S.] since 1874.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 13,621 acres, co. Aberdeen, worth £5,675 a year. *Principal Residence.* Castle Forbes (formerly Putachie Castle), near Whitehouse, co. Aberdeen.

FORBES OF PITSLIGO.

Barony [S.] I. 1633. 1. SIR ALEXANDER FORBES, of Pitsligo,^(c) co. Aberdeen, only s. and h. of Sir John F. of the same, by Christian, 1st da. of Walter (OGILVY), 1st LORD OGILVY OF DESKFORD [S.], *suc.* his father Sep. 1625, to whom he was served heir 1 Oct. 1628, and was *cr.* 24 June 1633, LORD FORBES^(d) OF PITSLIGO [S.] with rem. to heirs male of his body or their heirs,^(e) whom failing to his heirs male whatsoever of the name of Forbes. He *m.* Jean, da. of William (KEITH), 6th EARL MARISCHAL [S.], by Margaret, da. of John (ERSKINE), EARL OF MAR [S.] He *d.* 26 Oct. 1635.

II. 1635. 2. ALEXANDER (FORBES), LORD FORBES OF PITSLIGO [S.], only s. and h., a minor, 31 July 1638, not attaining full age till the time of the commonwealth. He *m.* Mary, 1st da. of James (ERSKINE), EARL OF BUCHAN [S.], by Mary, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF BUCHAN [S.]. He was living 1660 and sat in the first Parl. [S.], after the Restoration.

III. 1670? 3. ALEXANDER (FORBES), LORD FORBES OF PITSLIGO [S.], only s. and h. He *m.* Sophia, 3d da. of John (ERSKINE), EARL OF MAR [S.], by Mary, da. of Walter (SCOTT), 1st EARL OF BUCCLEUCH [S.]. He *d.* 1691.

^(a) James Forbes, MASTER OF FORBES, his elder br., was *b.* 9 April 1796, in London; was present at the battle of Waterloo in 1815, becoming finally Lieut. Col. in the Coldstream Guards. He *d.* v.p. and unm. in 1835.

^(b) Jonathan Barrington Forbes, MASTER OF FORBES, his next elder br., was *b.* 4 Jan. 1828, and *d.* v.p. and unm. 24 Dec. 1846.

^(c) This estate was brought into the family about 1420 by the match of Sir William Forbes (2d s. of Sir John Forbes, of Forbes), with Agnes, da. of William Fraser, of Philorth, in right of which alliance the arms of Fraser are quartered with Forbes by this branch of the family.

^(d) "Altho' the title granted by the letters patent was that of *Lord Forbes of Pitsligo*, the Peers deriving under that grant generally sat in Parl. under the title of *Lord Pitsligo*." [Hewlett, p. 143.] See also the proceedings 1749-50, *sub* the 4th Lord.

^(e) "*Vel eorum hæredibus.*"—"If the word *vel* can be read as equivalent to *et*, the construction of the grant would be governed by the decision of the House of Lords in the Polwarth case; but if it cannot, the grant may possibly be construed as [1] a grant to the heirs male of the grantee's body if such heirs should be in existence at the time of his decease and [2] if not, then as a grant to the heirs of line of such heirs male with [3] a grant over to the heirs male collateral on failure of either class of heirs. The latter construction would not give a right to the heirs of line of the son if the son *survived* Lord Forbes; but if the word *vel* be construed as equivalent to, or as meaning, *et*, then the heir of line would be entitled." [Hewlett, p. 143.]

IV. 1691, 4. ALEXANDER (FORBES), LORD FORBES OF PITSLIGO to [S.], only s. and h., took his seat in Parl. [S.], 24 May 1700; protested 1746. against the proposed Union [S.], 25 Dec. 1705, and did not attend the Parl., when that treaty was settled. He engaged in the rising of 1715 and again in that of 1745, for which last he was in 1746 *attainted* (under the name of "*Lord Pitsligo*," when his *peerage* as well as estate^(a) became *forfeited*. He claimed the latter on the ground of the misnomer (the true title being *Forbes of Pitsligo*), and the Court of Session gave judgment in his favour, 16 Nov. 1749, which however, on appeal, was reversed by the House of Lords, 1 Feb. 1750. He *m.* firstly, in or before 1713, Rebecca, da. of JOHN NORTON, of London, Merchant. He *m.* secondly, before 1734 (when^(b) she was living), Elizabeth ALLEN, an English lady. He *d.* at Aucheries, 21 Dec. 1762, leaving one son, John Forbes,^(c) Master of Pitsligo, on whose death, also at Aucheries, 30 Aug. 1781, aged 68, the *issue male* of the grantee became *extinct*^(d).)

(^a) By the insurrection of 1745, seven Scotch Peerages were *forfeited* by attainder. This, however, in three cases (those marked with a * asterisk) was reversed by acts of Parl. in 1824, 1826 and 1854. The list is as under.

BALMERINOCHE and COUPAR (*Elphinstone*), Barony. The grantee's heirs male of body *ex.* 18 Aug. 1746.

CROMARTY (*Mackenzie*), Earldom. The grantee's heirs male of the body *ex.* 4 Nov. 1796.
FORBES OF PITSLIGO (*Forbes*), Barony. The grantee's heirs male of the body *ex.* 30 Aug. 1781.

KILMARNOCK (*Boyd*), Earldom. The heir male of the body of the *attainted* Earl is the Earl of Erroll [S.]

* LOVAT (*Fraser*) Barony [*forfeited* 19 March 1746/7] *Restored* 10 July 1854.

[Pitsligo, see Forbes of Pitsligo].

* STRATHALLAN (*Drummond*) Viscounty. *Restored* 17 June 1824.

* WEMYSS (*Wemyss*) Earldom, *forfeited* after the death [1756] of the then (1745) Earl. *Restored* 26 May 1826.

In the act of 19 Geo. II., there were also included ;

Alexander (Erskine) EARL OF KELLIE, who having surrendered before 12 July 1746 (before the attainder took effect), was pardoned.

"James DRUMMOND, Esq.," 1st s. and h. ap. of William, VISCOUNT OF STRATHALLAN "Simon FRASER, Esq.," 1st s. and h. ap. of Simon, LORD LOVAT.

"James DRUMMOND, taking upon himself the title of DUKE OF PERTH" [*i.e.*, James then *styled* Lord Drummond, *attainted* by act, 1 Geo. I., s. and h. ap. of the Earl of Perth, to whose dignities he was accordingly barred from succeeding].

"James GRAHAM, late of Duntroon, taking upon himself the title of VISCOUNT OF DUNDEE" [*i.e.*, the collateral heir male of that Viscounty, *cr.* 1688 ; *forfeited* 1690].

"John NAIRN taking upon himself the title of style of LORD NAIRN" [*i.e.*, John, s. and h. of William, Lord Nairne, who was *attainted* by act, 1 Geo. I.].

"David OGILVIE taking upon himself the title of LORD OGILVIE" [*i.e.*, David, s. and h. ap. of John, who, but for the attainder of his brother, by act, 1 Geo. I., would have been from 1731 to 1761, Earl of Airlie. He himself, but for such attainder, would have been, in 1761, EARL OF AIRLIE].

The list also contains the following persons connected with the Scotch nobility, *viz.*, LORD GEORGE MURRAY (br. to the Duke of Athole), LORD LEWIS GORDON (br. to the Duke of Gordon), "John Drummond taking upon himself the style or title of LORD JOHN DRUMMOND, br. to James, taking on himself the title of Duke of Perth," five of the clan of Macdonald, four of that of Cameron, &c., &c.

The holders of four of these seven Peerages were condemned to death, of whom Balmerinoche and Kilmarnock were (accordingly) beheaded, on 18 Aug. 1746 ; Lovat on 9 April 1747, while Cromarty was subsequently pardoned. "A list of Persons *attainted* after the 45," is in "*The Scottish Antiquary*," (Ed. by A. W. G. Hallen, F.S.A.) for Sep. 1890, vol. v. pp.49—53.

See (above) p. 192, note "a," *sub* "Duffus," for an account of the attainers and executions following the insurrection of 1715.

(^b) See will of Mary Allen, spinster, pr. (209 Ockham) 1734.

(^c) This John *m.* Rebecca, da. of James Ogilvy, of Aucheries. She *d.* his widow 29 Jan. 1804, aged 85, at Aberdeen.

(^d) Whether in the event [1] of the forfeiture not extending to the special class of heirs named in the patent or [2] of such attainder being reversed, the dignity would go to the heir *general* or the heir *male* is a question. It was claimed by the former.

FORDWICH.

See "FINCH OF FORDWICH, co. Kent," Barony (*Finch*), *cr.* 1640; *ex.* 1660.

i.e., FORDWICH, co. Kent," Viscounty (*Cowper*), *cr.* 1718, with the EARLDOM OF COWPER, which see.

FORESTER OF WILLEY PARK.

Barony.

I. 1821. 1. CECIL WELD-FORESTER, of Willey Park, Salop, s. and h. of Lieut. Col. Cecil FORESTER, of Shrewsbury, by Anne, da. and coheir of Robert TOWNSHEND, of Christleton, co. Chester, was *hap.* 7 April 1767, at St. Chad's, Salop; *mat.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 24 Oct. 1785; M.P. for Wenlock, 1790-1820, and having, by the death of his cousin George Forester, *suc.* to the estate of Willey Park *afsd.* took by Royal lic., 15 Aug. 1811 (in compliance with his will) the surname of *Weld*^(a) before that of *Forester*, and was, 17 July 1821,^(b) *cr.* BARON FORESTER OF WILLEY PARK, co. Salop. He *m.* 16 June 1800, Katharine Mary, 2d da. of Charles (MANNERS), 4th DUKE OF RUTLAND, by Mary Isabella, da. of Charles (SOMERSET), 4th DUKE OF BEAUFORT. He *d.* 23 May 1828, aged 61. Will *pr.* Sep. 1828. His widow, who was *b.* 29 April 1779, *d.* 1 May 1829. Admon June 1829.

II. 1828. 2. JOHN GEORGE WELD (WELD-FORESTER), BARON FORESTER OF WILLEY PARK, 1st s. and h., *b.* 9 Aug. 1801, in Sackville street, and *hap.* 7 Sep. at St. James', Westm.; *mat.* at Oxford (Ch. Ch.), 24 Nov. 1820; M.P. for Wenlock, 1826-28; Capt. of the corps of Gent. at Arms, 1841-46; P.C., 1841. He *m.* 10 June 1856, at St. John's, Paddington, Alexandrina Julia Theresia Wilhelmina Sophia, Dow. VISCONTESS MELBOURNE [I.], da. of Joachim Charles Louis Mortimer, COUNT VON-MALTZAN, the Prussian Envoy to the Court of Vienna. He *d.* s.p. 10 Oct. 1874, aged 73, at Willey Park. His widow, who was *b.* 5 Jan. 1818, was living 1890.

III. 1874. 3. GEORGE CECIL WELD (WELD-FORESTER), BARON FORESTER OF WILLEY PARK, next br. and h., *b.* 10 May 1807, in Sackville street, and *hap.* 11 June at St. James', Westm.; *ed.* at Westm. school; entered the army, 1824, retiring as General in 1877, having been Lieut. Col. of the Horse Guards, 1853; M.P. for Wenlock, 1828-74; *sometime* Groom of the Bedchamber; Comptroller of the Household, March to Dec. 1852, and again 1858-59; P.C., 1852. He *m.* 8 Nov. 1862, at St. James', Westm., Mary Anne, widow of David Ochterlony Dyce SOMBRÉ, da. of Edward-Jervis (JERVIS), 2d VISCOUNT ST. VINCENT, by his second wife, Mary Anne, da. of Thomas PARKER. He *d.* s.p. at 3 Carlton Gardens, Midx., 14 Feb. 1886, aged 78, and was *bur.* at Willey. Will *pr.* (at Shrewsbury) July 1886 under £70,000. His widow living 1890.

Sir John Stuart Forbes, 8th Bart. [S.], of Monymusk, whose great grandfather (the 5th Bart.), was s. and h. of Sir William F., the 4th Bart., by Mary, da. of the 3d and only sister of the 4th Lord, which Mary subsequently *m.* the 15th Lord Forbes [S.] This Sir John *d.* s.p.m. 1866, leaving an only da. and h., the Baroness Clinton. The heir male collateral of the grantee of 1633 is presumed to be the family of Forbes, of Neve, Baronets (*cr.* 1823) in right of descent from William Forbes, of Dauch and New, yr. br. of Sir John Forbes, of Pitsligo, from whom the 1st Lord was 5th in descent.

(*) Testator's mother was Elizabeth, da. and h. of George *Weld*, of Willey Park, abovenamed.

(b) This was one of the "Coronation Peerages" of George IV., for a list of which see vol. ii, p. 351, note "d," *sub* "Conyngham."

IV. 1886. 4. ORLANDO WATKIN WELD (WELD-FORESTER), BARON FORESTER OF WILLEY PARK, br. and h., being 4th, but 1st surv. s. of the 1st Lord, b. 18 April 1813; ed. at Westm. school, and at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.A.; 1836; in Holy Orders; Rector of Broseley, Salop, 1841-59; Rector of Doveridge, co. Derby, 1859-67, and of Gedling, Notts, 1867-87; Preb. of Hereford, 1847-74; Canon Res. and Chancellor of York, 1874. He m. firstly, 14 July 1840, his cousin, Sophia Elizabeth, da. of Richard NORMAN, by Elizabeth Isabella (his maternal Aunt), da. of Charles (Manners), 4th DUKE OF RUTLAND abovenamed, She d. 2 April 1872, in her 70th year, at Gedling Rectory. He m. secondly, 5 Oct. 1875, at St. John's, Paddington, Emma Maria, 1st da. of William TOLLEMACHE, by his first wife, Anna Maria Jane, 3d da. of Edward Adolphus (SEYMOUR, afterwards St. MAUR), 12th DUKE OF SOMERSET. She was b. 7 June 1839.

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 14,891 acres in Salop and 724 in Staffordshire. Total 15,615 acres, worth £22,581 a year. *Principal Residence.* Willey Park, near Broseley, Salop.

FORFAR.

See "ASTON OF FORFAR" Barony [S.], (*Aston*), cr. 1627, dormant, 1849.

Earldom [S.] I. ARCHIBALD (DOUGLAS), EARL OF ORMOND, LORD

I. 1661. BOTHWELL AND HARTSIDE [S.], younger s. of Archibald, EARL OF ORMOND, &c. [S.] (who himself was s. and h. ap. of William, 1st MARQUESS OF DOUGLAS [S.], but who d. v.p.), being eldest s. of his father's second wife, Jean, 1st da. and coheir of David (WEMYSS), 2d EARL OF WEMYSS [S.], was b. 1653; suc. his father, 15 April 1655, as EARL OF ORMOND, &c. [S.], under the spec. rem. in the creation (3 April 1651), of those dignities. These, however, he resigned, and was, by a new patent, 2 Oct. 1661, cr. EARL OF FORFAR, LORD WANDALE AND HARTSIDE [S.], with rem. to his heirs male. He was zealous for the Revolution; was P.C. to William III. and to Queen Anne; was one of the commissioners for the Privy Seal [S.], 1689-90; and for the Treasury, 1705 and 1706, and was a steady supporter of the Union. He m. (lic. from Vic. Gen., he aged 25 and she 17), Robina, da. of Sir William LOCKHART, of Lee, Ambassador to France, by his second wife, Robina, da. of John SEWSTER, by Anne, sister of Oliver CROMWELL, the Lord Protector. He d. 11 Dec. 1712, in his 60th year. Fun. entry in Lyon office. His widow d. at Bothwell Castle, 20 March 1741, aged 79. Her will pr. 1741.

II. 1712, 2. ARCHIBALD (DOUGLAS), EARL OF FORFAR, LORD
to WANDALE AND HARTSIDE [S.], only s. and h. Col. of the 3d Reg. of
1715. Foot (the Buffs), 1713. Envoy to Prussia, 1714. He was wounded in 17 places, at the battle of Sheriffmuir, 13 Nov. 1715 (where he acted as Brig. Gen.), and was taken prisoner. He d. unm. (of his wounds), at Stirling, 8 Dec. 1715, when his honours became extinct or dormant.^(a) Admon. 6 Feb. 1715/6, and again 11 May 1717.

FORMARTINE.

i.e., "FORMARTINE," Viscounty [S.] (*Gordon*), cr. 1682, with the EARLDOM OF ABERDEEN [S.], which see.

^(a) The heir male (collateral) would have been the Duke of Douglas [S.] till 1761 and, after his death (at that date), the Duke of Hamilton [S.] and his successors; neither, however, ever assumed the title of Earl of Forfar, so that the grant to heirs male appears to have been understood as heirs male of the body of the grantee. "The dignity appears to have sunk with" the second Earl. "As far as yet discovered no one since has assumed it, and Sir Robert Douglas, an undoubted collateral heir male explicitly states [Peerage pub. in 1764, p. 270], that by his death his honours became extinct." [Riddell, 1833, p. 13.] It is also remarked that the collateral heir male, the Duke of Douglas, "altho' sufficiently lavish of his titles, did not adopt Forfar."

FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE.

Barony [S.] I. SIR GEORGE FORRESTER, Bart. [S.], of Corstophine, I. 1633. co. Edinburgh, s. and h. of Henry F. of the same, by Helen PRESTON, - of the house of Craigmiller, his wife, which Henry was br. and h. of Sir James F. of Corstophine afsd., *suc.* his father before 15 Nov. 1607,

was *cr.* a Baronet [S.], 17 March 1625 (sealed 4 Dec. 1630), with rem. to heirs male, and was by pat. 22 July 1633, *cr.* LORD FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.] with rem. to his heirs male whatever.^(a) He *m.* before 15 Nov. 1607, Christian, da. of Sir William LIVINGSTONE, of Kilsyth. Having no male issue living^(b) he resigned his peerage and obtained a regrant thereof, 5 July 1651, with rem. to James Baillie, of Torwoodhead,^(c) husband of Joanna, his 4th da., and their issue in tail male, rem. to William Baillie (yr. br. of the said James) husband of Liliass, his 5th and yst. da. and their issue in tail male, rem. to the issue of James and William (by their said wives), in tail general, the eldest da. of such issue to be heir of line, with a final rem. to the said James and his heirs male or of an entail by him made, all parties to bear the name and arms of Forrester jointly with their own. This limitation^(d) corresponded to one of the estate of Corstorphine made 1 March 1650. He *d.* 1654.

II. 1654. 2. JAMES (BAILLIE *alias* FORRESTER), LORD FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.], son in law and heir according to the spec. rem. in the regrant^(e) of the peerage in 1651. He was *b.* 29 Oct. 1629, being s. and h. of Major-Gen. William BAILLIE,^(f) of Letham and Torwoodhead, co. Stirling, on whose death he *suc.* to the estate of Torwoodhead. Being a zealous Loyalist he was fined £2,500, in 1654, under Cromwell's "act of grace." He *m.* firstly, about 1650, Joanna, 4th da. and coheir of George (FORRESTER), LORD FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.] and Christian, his wife, both next abovenamed. By her, who was living 8 Feb. 1652, he had no surv. issue. He *m.* secondly, before July 1661, Jean, da. and coheir of Patrick (RUTHVEN), EARL OF FORTH [S.] and EARL OF BRENTFORD [E.], by Clara, da. of (—) BARNARD. He *d.* at Corstorphine 26 Aug. 1679, in his 50th year, being murdered by Christian Nimmo,^(g) niece of his first wife. His second wife by whom he had issue, all of whom took the name of *Ruthven*, was living Oct. 1668.

III. 1679. 3. WILLIAM BAILLIE *de jure* LORD FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.], br. [but not heir] to the above, who, according to the spec. rem. in the regrant of that peerage in 1651, was, on his brother's death without issue *by the first wife*, entitled to the dignity. He who was *b.* 12 Dec. 1632, did not however assume the title. He *m.* before 1 March 1650, Liliass, 5th and yst. da. and coheir of George (FORRESTER), LORD FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.], and Christian, his wife, both abovenamed. He *d.* May 1681, in his 49th year.

IV. 1681. 4. WILLIAM (BAILLIE *alias* FORRESTER), LORD FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.], s. and h. He voted (as a Commoner) in 1681, which vote being questioned "*as a Lord*," he "*disclaimed*" his Peerage. He, however, continuing, to style himself as a Peer, was ordered by the Parl. and Privy Council [S.], to relinquish the title until he had "*instructed his right*"; upon this

^(a) The preamble is given in Wood's "Douglas," vol. ii, p. 682.

^(b) His son, the Master of Corstophine, *m.* in 1634 the widow of Alexander Keith and *d.* v.p., and s.p.

^(c) To this James "the title of *Master of Forrester* is extended as a separate dignity during the lifetime of his father-in-law, failing whom [*i.e.*, and failing the said James] to the other heirs." [Riddell, 124.]

^(d) It is set out fully in Wood's "Douglas," vol. ii, p. 682, but see remarks thereon in "Riddell," pp. 123—125, especially (p. 125), those on the ultimate remainder.

^(e) "The chief singularity in the case is that the *right under the regrant* does not seem to have been known during the lifetime of the second Lord as his pretensions to the Peerage were questioned in 1676." [Riddell, p. 124.]

^(f) He was an illegit. son of Sir William Baillie, of Lamington, born to him during the lifetime of his wife, and therefore was incapable of being legitimated by the subsequent marriage of his parents. See Wood's "Douglas," vol. i, p. 601.

^(g) She was wife of James Nimmo, Merchant, and da. of James Hamilton, of Grange by (—), 3d da. and coheir of the 1st Lord Forrester of Corstorphine.

"all at once, upon 31 Aug. 1698,^(a) *William, now Lord Forrester* produced in Parl. a patent, dat 5 July 1651, which was registered at his desire and [which] purported to be a regrant^(b) by Charles II. of the Forrester honours, with the orig. precedence, proceeding upon the resignation of the first Lord."^(c) He *m.* in or before 1684, Margaret (*b.* 14 April 1661), da. of Sir Andrew BIRNIE, of Saline, Dean of the Faculty of Advocates [S]. He *d.* 1705.

V. 1705. 5. GEORGE (FORRESTER), LORD FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h., *b.* 23 March 1688, his birth being reg. at Edinburgh. He served in the army under the Duke of Marlborough; was Lieut. Col. of the 26th Foot (Cameronians), in the defeat of the insurgents at Preston, 13 Nov. 1715, where he was wounded. Col. of the 30th Foot, 1716; of the second troop of Horse Gren. Guards, 1717; of the 4th Horse Gren. Guards, 1719-27. He *m.* in or before 1724, Charlotte, da. and coheir of Anthony ROWE, of Oxfordshire. He *d.* in Kent, 17 Feb. 1726/7, in his 39th year.^(d) Will pr. Nov. 1727. His widow, who was a Lady of the Bedchamber to the Princess of Orange, *d.* in Holland, Feb. 1743/4. Will pr. 1744.

VI. 1727. 6. GEORGE (FORRESTER), LORD FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.], only s. and h., *b.* 14 July 1724. He was Lieut. R.N., 1735; Captain 1740 and Commander 1744. He *d.* unm. 26 June 1748, at Staines, Midx.

VII. 1748. 7. WILLIAM (FORRESTER), LORD FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.], cousin and h. male, being only s. and h. of the Hon. John FORRESTER, Capt. R.N., by Elizabeth, sister of Sir Charles TYRREL, which John was 6th and yst. s. of William, the 4th Lord, and *d.* 12 Jan. 1737. He *m.* Hannah. He *d.* s.p. at Colern, Wilts, Nov. 1763, when the issue *male* of the 4th Lord became extinct. Admon. 17 Nov. 1763. His widow survived him many years. Her will pr. Oct. 1826.

VIII. 1763. 8. CAROLINE, *suo jure* BARONESS FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.], cousin of the last Lord and eldest sister and heir of line of the 6th Lord, being eldest da. of the 5th Lord and entitled (under the regrant in 1651 of the peerage) to the peerage on the failure of heirs male of the body of the 3d Lord, as heir of line of the said 3d Lord. She *m.* George COCKBURN, of Ormistoun (s. and h. of John C. of the same, one of the Lords of the Admiralty 1717-32) who was Capt. R.N. and was Comptroller of the Navy, 1756-70. He *d.* at Brighton 23 July 1770. The Baroness *d.* in Portland street, Marylebone, 25 Feb., and was *bur.* 2 March 1784, at Hackney, Midx. Will pr. March 1784.

IX. 1784. 9. ANNA MARIA, *suo jure* BARONESS FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.], 1st and only surv. da. and h. She *d.* unm. at Bedgebury, in Cranbrook, Kent, 3 Dec. 1808. Will pr. 1809.

X. 1808. 10. JAMES WALTER (GRIMSTON), LORD FORRESTER OF CORSTORPHINE [S.], cousin and h., being s. and h. ap. of James Bucknall (GRIMSTON), 3d VISCOUNT GRIMSTON, &c. [I.], and 1st BARON VERULAM OF GORHAMBURY [G.B.], by Harriet [*d.* 8 Nov. 1786], only da. and h. of Edward WALTER, of Stalbridge, Dorset, and Harriet [*d.* 5 March 1795], 2d and yst. da. [whose issue, in 1808, became heir of line] to George, the 5th Lord. He was *b.* 26 Sep. 1775. He *suc.* his father as VISCOUNT GRIMSTON, &c. [I.], and BARON VERULAM OF GORHAMBURY [G.B.] a few weeks later (30 Dec. 1808), than his succession to the Barony of Forrester [S.]. He was *cr.* 24 Nov. 1815, EARL OF VERULAM. See under that title.

(a) The patent of 1651 [Qy. that of 1633?] was entered in 1684. See Robertson, p. 220, see also Wood's "Douglas," vol. ii, pp. 682-683, *sub* "22 July 1633," *ad finem*.

(b) "Riddell," p. 124.

(c) See p. 396, note "c."

(d) His vote was objected to, in the election of Scotch Peers in June 1721, on the ground of the peerage being one in tail male.

FORTESCUE, and FORTESCUE OF CASTLE HILL.

Barony. 1. HUGH (FORTESCUE), LORD CLINTON, was, on 5 July I. 1746. 1746, *cr.* BARON FORTESCUE OF CASTLE HILL, co. Devon, with a spec. rem., failing heirs male of his body, to Matthew Fortescue, his br. (*ex parte paternâ*) of the half blood. He was, at the same date, *cr.* EARL CLINTON with the ordinary rem. He *d. unm.* 2 May 1751, aged 55, when the *Earldom of Clinton* became extinct. See fuller particulars of him under "CLINTON" Barony, *cr.* 1299, *sub* the 14th holder.

II. 1751. 2. MATTHEW (FORTESCUE), BARON FORTESCUE OF CASTLE HILL, br. (of the half blood) and heir (under the spec. rem.), being 2d and yst. s. of Hugh FORTESCUE, of Filleigh, Devon, and only s. of his *second* wife, Lucy, da. of Matthew (AYLMER), 1st BARON AYLMER OF BALRATH [I]. He was *b.* 31 March and *bap.* 17 April 1719, at Greenwich; was High Steward of Barnstaple; took his seat in the House, 17 May 1751. He *m.* 8 July 1752, Anne, 2d da. of John CAMPBELL, of Calder, *alias* Cawdor, co. Nairn, and of Stackpole Court, co. Pembroke, by Mary, da. and coheir of Lewis PRYSE, of Gogirthen. He *d.* 10 July 1785, aged 65. Will *pr.* Jan. 1786. His widow *d.* 26 May 1812.

III. 1785. 3 and 1. HUGH (FORTESCUE), BARON FORTESCUE OF Earldom. CASTLE HILL, 1st s. and h., *b.* 12 March 1753; mat. at Oxford (Univ. Coll.), 10 May 1770; M.P. for Beaumaris, 1785-80. Lord Lieut. and Vice Admiral of Devon, 1788-1839; High Steward of Larnstaple and of South Molton. He was *cr.* 1 Sep. 1789, VISCOUNT EBRINGTON, co. Gloucester, and EARL FORTESCUE. He was *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 3 July 1810; was F.S.A., &c. He *m.* 10 May 1782, at the house of Earl Temple, in Pall Mall, St. James' Westm., Hester, sister of George, 1st MARQUESS OF BUCKINGHAM, 3d da. of the Rt. Hon. George GRENVILLE, by Elizabeth, da. of Sir William WYNDHAM, Bart. He *d.* 16 June 1841, at Castle Hill, Devon, aged 88. Will *pr.* Oct. 1841 under £50,000. His widow, who was *b.* 23 Nov. 1760, *d.* 13 Nov. 1847, at Wear Hall, Wear Gifford, Devon.

Barony 2 and 4. HUGH (FORTESCUE), EARL FORTESCUE, VISCOUNT EBRINGTON and BARON FORTESCUE OF CASTLE HILL, s. and h., *b.* 13 Feb. 1783, in Pall Mall, St. James' Westm., and *bap.* the same day; **Earldom** styled VISCOUNT EBRINGTON, till 1841; mat. at Oxford (Brasenose Coll.), 7 Feb. 1800; B.A., 1803; M.A. 1810. He was M.P. for Barnstaple, 1804-07; for St. Mawes, 1807-09; for Buckingham, 1812-17; for Devon, 1818-20; for Tavistock, 1820-30; for Devon (again) 1830-32, and for North Devon, 1832-39, being sum. to the House of Lords, v.p., 1 March 1839, in his father's *Barony of Fortescue*. P.C., 1839. **Lord Lieut. of Ireland**, 1839-41. Lord Steward of the Household, 1846-50. **K.G.**, 12 July 1856. He was also Lord Lieut. of Devon, 1839, High Steward of Barnstaple, of South Molton, &c. He *m.* firstly, 4 July 1817, Susan, 1st da. of Dudley (RYDER), 1st EARL OF HARROWBY, by Susan, da. of Granville (LEVESON-GOWER), 1st MARQUESS OF STAFFORD. She (*Viscountess Ebrington*), who was *b.* 20 June 1796, *d.* 30 July 1827. He *m.* secondly, 26 July 1841, at the Vice-Regal Lodge, Dublin, Elizabeth, widow of Sir Marcus SOMERVILLE, Bart., da. of Piers GEALE, of Clonsilla, co. Dublin. He *d.* at Exeter, 14 Sep. 1861, aged 78. His widow living 1890.

Barony. 3 and 5. HUGH (FORTESCUE), EARL FORTESCUE [1789], V. 1859. VISCOUNT EBRINGTON [1789], and BARON FORTESCUE OF CASTLE HILL [1746], s. and h., *b.* 4 April 1818, in Upper Brook street, Midx.; ed. at Harrow school, styled VISCOUNT EBRINGTON, 1841-61; M.P. for Plymouth, 1841-52; for Marylebone, 1854-59; a Lord of the Treasury, 1846-47; Sec. to the Poor Law Board, 1847-51. He was (like his father had been) sum. to the House of Lords, v.p., 20 Dec. 1859, in his father's *Barony of Fortescue*. Lieut. Col. Com. of North Devon Yeomanry Cavalry, &c. He *m.* 11 March 1847, at Calne, Wilts, Georgiana Augusta Charlotte Caroline, 1st da. of Col. the Hon. George Lionel DAWSON-DAMER (3d s. of John, 1st EARL OF PORTARLINGTON [I]) by Mary Georgiana Emma, da. of Lord Hugh SEYMOUR. She who was *b.* 13 June 1826, *d.* in childbed, 8 Dec. 1866, aged 40, at Castle Hill afsd.

[HUGH FORTESCUE, styled (since 1861) VISCOUNT EBRINGTON, s. and h. ap., b. 16 April 1854; ed. at Harrow School and at Trin. Coll., Cambridge; M.A., 1879; sometime Lieut. Coldstream Guards; M.P. for Tiverton, 1881-85; for West Devon since 1885. He m. 15 July 1886, at St. Peter's, Eaton sq., Emily, da. of William Richard (ORMSBY-GORE), 2d BARON HARLECH, by Emily Charlotte, sister of Francis (SEYMOUR), 5th MARQUESS OF HERTFORD. She was b. 1860.]

Family Estates.—These, in 1883, consisted of 20,171 acres in Devon, 5,116 in Lincolnshire, 1,071 in Gloucestershire, and 571 in Cornwall, besides 3,958 in co. Waterford. Total 30,887 acres, worth £28,673 a year. *Principal Residence.* Castle Hill, near South Molton, Devon.

FORTESCUE OF CREDAN.

Barony [I.] 1. JOHN FORTESCUE-ALAND, 2d s. of Edmond FORTESCUE, of Bierton, Bucks, by Sarah, 1st da. of Henry, and sister and coheir (1683) of Henry ALAND, of Waterford, was b. 7 March 1670; suc. his elder br. Aug. 1704 when he took the name of *Aland* after that of *Fortescue*; Barrister (Inner Temple), 1712; Bench, 1714, and Reader, 1716. M.P. for Midhurst, 1715-16. Solicitor Gen. to the Prince of Wales, 1714, and subsequently, 1715, to the King; a Baron of the Exchequer, 1717; a Justice of the King's Bench, 1718-27, and a Justice of the Common Pleas, 1728-46, resigning office in June 1746 and being thereupon *cr.* (privy seal 26 June) 15 Aug. 1746,^(a) BARON FORTESCUE OF CREDAN,^(b) co. Waterford [I.] He was *cr.* D.C.L. of Oxford, 4 May 1733; was F.R.S. (before 1714), &c. He m. firstly, about 1700, Grace, sister (of the half blood) to Charles, 1st EARL CAMDEN, da. of Sir John PRATT, Lord Ch. Justice of the King's Bench, by his first wife, Elizabeth, da. and coheir of the Rev. Henry GREGORY. He m. secondly, 29 Dec. 1721, Elizabeth, da. and coheir of Sir Robert DORMER, a Justice of the Common Pleas (1706-26), by Mary, da. and coheir of Sir Richard BLAKE. He d. (within a few months of his elevation to the peerage) 19 Dec. 1746. Will dat. 29 Sep. 1746, pr. 1747.^(c) His widow, who was b. 5 Sep. 1691, d. April 1748. Both *bur.* at Stapleford Abbots, Essex.

II. 1746, 2. DORMER (FORTESCUE-ALAND), BARON FORTESCUE OF CREDAN [I.], 3d but only surv. s. and h.,^(d) being the 1st s. by the second wife. He d. unm. 9 March 1781, in his 59th year, when the title became extinct. M.I. at Stapleford Abbots afsd. Will pr. March 1780.

FORTH.

Earldom [S.] PATRICK RUTHVEN, General in the King's army, was, in 1639, *cr.* LORD RUTHVEN OF ETTRICK [S.] and, on 27 March 1642, EARL OF FORTH [S.] He was, on 27 May 1644, *cr.* EARL OF BRENTFORD, co. Midx. He d. s.p.m., 2 Feb. 1651, when all his honours became extinct. See fuller particulars under "BRENTFORD" Earldom, *cr.* 1644; *ex.* 1651.

^(a) It is somewhat curious that the creation of this Barony should be but six weeks later than that of the Barony of Fortescue of Castle Hill [G.B.]

^(b) Credan is a headland on the east shore of Waterford harbour, and formed part of the estate of the Aland family.

^(c) "He had the character of being well versed in Norman and Saxon literature. This he fully maintained in the introductory remarks to his edition of the treatise of his illustrious ancestor, Sir John Fortescue, entitled '*The Difference between an absolute and limited Monarchy*,' which he published in 1714. His *Law Reports of Select Cases* were prepared for publication before his death but not printed till 1748." [Foss's "*Judges*."]

^(d) John Fortescue his elder br. (of the half blood) d. v.p. 9 Dec. 1743, aged 81, and was *bur.* at Stapleford Abbots.

i.e., "FORTH," Viscounty [S.] (*Drummond*), *cr.* 1686, with the EARLDOM OF MELFORT [S.], which see.

i.e., "FORTH," Marquessate [S.] (*Drummond*), *cr.* 1692, with the DUKEDOM OF MELFORT [S.], by James II., when in exile. See vol. i, p. 59, note "b" (*sub* "Albemarle") as to the "JACOBITE PEERAGES" so created.

See "PANMURE OF FORTH Earldom [I.] (*Maule*), *cr.* 1743 ; *ex.* 1782.

FORTROSE.

[The *style* of "LORD FORTROSE" appears to have been used by the heirs apparent of the EARLS OF SEAFORTH [S.] (*Mackenzie*) 1623—1716, tho' no such peerage dignity was apparently vested in them.]

Viscounty [I.] KENNETH MACKENZIE, grandson of William, EARL OF I. 1766, SEAFORTH [S.], and who, but for the attainder of his said grandfather in 1716, would in 1761 (on the death of his father) have *suc.* to that dignity, was *b.* 15 Jan. 1744, and was *cr.* 18 Nov. 1766, 1781. BARON OF ARDELVE and VISCOUNT FORTROSE, of co. Wicklow [I.] He was, 3 Dec. 1771, *cr.* EARL OF SEAFORTH [I.] He *d. s.p.m.*, Aug. 1781, when *all his honours* became *extinct*. See fuller particulars under "SEAFORTH" Earldom [I.], *cr.* 1717 ; *ex.* 1781.

FOSTON.

See "MANNERS OF FOSTON, co. Lincoln," Barony (*Manners-Sutton*), *cr.* 1807.

FOTHERINGHAY.

See "OVERSTONE OF OVERSTONE AND OF FOTHERINGHAY, both co. Northampton," Barony (*Loyd*), *cr.* 1850 ; *ex.* 1883.

FOXFORD OF STACKPOLE COURT.

i.e., "FOXFORD OF STACKPOLE COURT, co. Clare," Barony (*Pery*), *cr.* 1815. See "LIMERICK" Earldom [I.], *cr.* 1802 under the 1st Earl.

FOXLEY [Berks.]

See "BAYNING OF FOXLEY, co. Berks," Viscounty (*Murray nee Bayning*), *cr.* 1674 ; *ex.* 1678.

See "BAYNING OF FOXLEY, co. Berks," Barony (*Townshend*), *cr.* 1797 ; *ex.* 1866.

FOXLEY [Wilts.]

See "HOLLAND OF FOXLEY, co. Wilts," Barony (*Fox*), *cr.* 1763 ; *ex.* 1859.

FRANKFORT DE MONTMORENCY, AND FRANKFORT OF GALMOYE.

Barony [I.] 1. The Rt. Hon. LODGE-EVANS MORRES was *cr.* I. 1800. 31 July 1800,^(a) BARON FRANKFORT OF GALMOYE, co. Kilkenny [I.], and on 22 Jan. 1816, VISCOUNT FRANKFORT **Viscounty** [I.] DE MONTMORENCY. He was 1st. s. and h. of Raymond MORRES,^(b) of Dublin, Barrister at Law, by Elizabeth, da. and h. of Francis LODGE, of Dublin *afsd.*; was *b.* 26 Jan. 1747; Barrister (Dublin), 1769; M.P. for Innistioge, 1768-76; for Bandon Bridge, 1776-96; for Ennis, 1796-97, and for Dingle, 1798-1800; High Sheriff of co. Kilkenny; Receiver Gen. of the Post Office [I.]; P.C. [I.], 1795; Sec. to the Lord Lieut. [I.], &c., and having made himself useful in carrying the Union [I.] was raised to the peerage in 1800 as abovestated. By Royal lic. 17 June 1815, he took the name of *De Montmorency*^(c) in lieu of that of *Morres* and was raised in the following year to a Viscounty (introducing, in the patent thereof, the name of *De Montmorency*) as abovestated. He *m.* firstly, Jan. 1771, Mary, da. and h. of Joseph FADE, of Dublin. She *d. s.p.* 7 Feb. 1787. He *m.* secondly, 6 Aug. 1804, Catherine, da. of George WHITE, of Castle Bellingham. He *d.* 21 Sep. 1822, at Clontarf, near Dublin. His widow *d.* 12 Nov. 1851.

II. 1822. 2. LODGE RAYMOND (DE MONTMORENCY), VISCOUNT FRANKFORT DE MONTMORENCY, &c. [I.], only s. and h., *b.* 24 Nov. 1806; sometime an officer in the 10th Hussars but retired in 1827. He *m.* 12 Dec. 1835, at Abergele, North Wales, Georgiana Frederica, da. of Peter FitzGibbon HENCHY, Queen's Counsel [I.] and LL.D. She, who obtained a separation in 1843, *d.* 16 April 1855, in her 77th year at Brighton. He *d.* 25 Dec. 1889, in his 84th year.

III. 1889. 3. RAYMOND HARVEY (DE MONTMORENCY), VISCOUNT FRANKFORT DE MONTMORENCY [1816] and BARON FRANKFORT OF GALMOYE [1800] in the peerage of Ireland, only s. and h.; *b.* 21 Sep. 1835, at Theydon Bois, co. Essex; ed. at Eton; entered the army, 1854, serving in the Crimea, the Indian Mutiny and the Abyssinian war; Lieut. Col. 32d Light Infantry, 1876; Colonel, 1881; Hon. Major Gen. 1887; in command at Alexandria since 1887. He *m.* 25 April 1866, at the Cathedral of Montreal, Rachel Mary Lumley Godolphin, 1st da. of Field Marshal the Rt. Hon. Sir John MICHEL, G.C.B., by Louisa Anne, da. of the Major Gen. H. CHURCHILL.

(^a) See vol. i, p. 166, note "d," sub "Ashtown," as to the creations in the Irish Peerage in 1800.

(^b) This Raymond (or Redmond) was yr. br. of Hervey (Morres), 1st Viscount Mountmorres [I.], being 3d and yst. s. of Francis Morres, of Castle Morres, co. Kilkenny, by Catharine, da. and h. of Sir William Evans, of Kilcreen, in that county.

(^c) This lic. extended to Viscount Mountmorres [I.] as well as to Baron Frankfort [I.] and others. It seems altogether to have been rather "a large order," as also rather "a long pull" (extending over a little matter of some 700 or 800 years, *viz.*, from the time of the Regency back to that of the Conquest) being probably founded on the statement (as in "Lodge," V, 289, sub "Mountmorres") that "the family of Morres or Morreis descended from the house of Montmorency came into England with William the Conqueror," &c., &c. It is to be noted that the arms of Morres (*or*, a fess dancette, in base a lion rampant, *sa*) as previously born by the family (see "Lodge," V, 292, and [for the plates] I, 35), are totally different from those (*Arg.* a cross, *gu.*, between 4 eagles displayed, *sa.*) of the old (historic) French family of Montmorency which were the arms subsequently borne by this (nineteenth century) Irish Peer on the ground of an alleged descent from the illustrious race of Montmorency; a descent which (if capable of proof) must have taken place centuries ago—long before the family of Morres was established in these realms of England or Ireland.

Family Estates.—These in 1883, consisted of 4,610 acres in co. Kilkenny; 1,653 in co. Clare, 1,054 in co. Cavan and 636 in co. Carlow. Total 7,953 acres, worth £3,805 a year. *Principal Residence.* Theydon Bois, near Epping, Essex.

FRANKLEY.

See "LYTTELTON OF FRANKLEY, co. Worcester," Barony (*Lyttelton*), *cr.* 1756; *ex.* 1779.

See "LYTTELTON OF FRANKLEY, co. Worcester," Barony (*Lyttelton*), *cr.* 1794.

FRASER.

i.e., "FRASER OF LOVAT" (more probably "LOVAT") Barony [S.], (*Fraser*), *cr.* 1458-64; see under "LOVAT."

- Barony [S.]**
- I. 1633.** 1. ANDREW FRASER, of Muchalls, Stanywood and Kinmundy, co. Aberdeen, s. and h. of Andrew F. of the same, by Elizabeth da. of Robert (DOUGLAS) *jure uxoris* EARL OF BUCHAN [S.], was, 29 June 1633, *cr.* LORD FRASER [S.], with rem. to heirs male whatsoever.^(a) He *m.* Anne, da. of James (ELPHINSTONE), 1st LORD BALMERINOCH [S.], by his second wife, Marjory, da. of Hugh MAXWELL, of Tealing. He *d.* 10 Dec. 1636. Funeral entry at Lyon office.
- II. 1636.** 2. ANDREW (FRASER), LORD FRASER [S.], s. and h. He was a Parl. Commissioner against the Malignants, 1644; for estates, 1645, and for defence of the Kingdom, 1649. He *m.* Anne, da. of (—) HALDANE, of Gleneagles. He *d.* 24 May 1674. Funeral entry in Lyon office.
- III. 1674.** 3. ANDREW (FRASER), LORD FRASER [S.], s. and h. He *m.*, about 1660, Catharine, Dow. VISCOUNTESS ARBUTHNOTT [S.], relict, formerly, of Sir John SINCLAIR, of Dunbeath, da. of Hugh (FRASER), 7th LORD LOVAT [S.], by Isabel, da. of Sir John WEMYSS.
- IV. 1680 ?** 4. CHARLES (FRASER), LORD FRASER [S.], s. and h., to served heir, 2 March 1683. He was tried for treason, 29 March 1693, at Edinburgh and fined £200 for drinking the health of "King James." He took the oaths and his seat in Parl. [S.], 2 July 1695, and was a supporter (1706) of the Union. He engaged in the insurrection of 1715, but, keeping himself concealed till his death, escaped attainder. He *m.* Margaret, widow of Simon FRASER, of Inverallochy, 1st da. of James (ERSKINE),

^(a) "It is not surprising that the title of 'Lord Fraser,' so indicative of Chieftaincy over the Frasers, should have given umbrage to the opulent and powerful families of *Lovat* and *Philorth* [Lords Saltoun]. What was the particular motive for the creation does not appear;" but "the only time that any cavil was raised against the King's prerogative" as the Fountain of Honour was subsequent to this creation, some having presumed "so far to slight H.M.'s patent and royal pleasure therein expressed as to give other names and designations than what are contained in the patent." This proceeding, however, called forth an act of Parl., 24 June 1662, which "declares that the Lord Fraser is, according to his patent, to have and enjoy the title of *Lord Fraser* and discharges all H.M.'s subjects that none of them presume in discourses, writings or otherways to give him any other title or designations as they will be answerable at their heist perrell." See "*Riddell*" [1833], pp. 78—79.

7th EARL OF BUCHAN [S.], by Marjory, da. of William (RAMSAY), 1st EARL OF DALHOUSIE [S.] He *d. s.p.* 12 Oct. 1720, by a fall from a precipice, near Banff, since which date the *Barony* has remained *dormant*.^(a)

CHARLES FRASER, of Inverallochy, was *cr.* a Viscount [VISCOUNT FRASER?] in 1722 by the *titular* King James III. See vol. i, p. 59, note "b," *sub* "Albemarle," for a list of these "Jacobite Peerages." He inherited the estates of Charles, Lord Fraser [S.], next abovenamed.^(b)

FRECHEVILLE, see "FRESCHVILLE."

FREELAND.

See "RUTHVEN OF FREELAND, co. Perth," Barony [S.] (*Ruthven*), *cr.* 1651.

FRENCH, see "FFRENCH."

FRENDRAUGHT.

Viscounty [S.] 1. JAMES CRICHTON, s. and h. ap. of James CRICHTON, I. 1642. of Frendraught, co. Aberdeen, by Elizabeth, da. of John (GORDON), EARL OF SUTHERLAND [S.], was *b.* about 1620, and was in his father's lifetime [in consideration of his father being heir male of the celebrated Lord Chancellor Crichton [S.]] *cr.* by patent dat. at Nottingham, 29 Aug. 1642, VISCOUNT OF FRENDRAUGHT AND LORD CRICHTON [S.], with rem. to his heirs male and successors. He was with the Marquess of Montrose at his defeat in 1650, at Invercharron, where being made prisoner, he died by his own hand "to prevent public vengeance." He *m.* firstly, Margaret, 2d da. of Alexander (LESLIE), 1st EARL OF LEVEN [S.], by his first wife, Agnes, da. of (—) RENTON, of Billy, co. Berwick. She *d. s.p.m.* He *m.* secondly, 8 Nov. 1642, at Drumoak church, Marion da. of Sir Alexander IRVINE, of Drum. He *d.* 1650 as afsd.

II. 1650. 2. JAMES (CRICHTON), VISCOUNT OF FRENDRAUGHT, &c. [S.], s. and h., by 2d wife. He *m.* Christian, widow of Thomas (RUTHERFORD), LORD RUTHERFORD [S.] (who *d.* April 1668), da. of Sir Alexander URQUHART, of Cromartie. He *d.* 1678. His widow *m.* (as her 3d husband), George MORISON, to whom (after the death of her son the 3d Viscount) she conveyed the lands of Bognie, Frendraught, &c.^(c) She *d.* before 1699.

III. 1678. 3. WILLIAM (CRICHTON), VISCOUNT OF FRENDRAUGHT, &c. [S.], only s. and h. He *d.* unm. and a minor before 1686.

^(a) Some particulars of the probable origin of the family of the grantee, in the heir male of which the dignity is *de jure* vested, are given in "Hewlett," p. 45, as also in "Riddell" [1833], p. 78. The estate of Muchalls passed, by the disposition of the last Lord, to Charles Fraser, of Inverallochy (a descendant of his wife by her first husband) now represented (thro' a female) by the Mackenzie-Frasers, of Castle Fraser, co. Ross.

^(b) See note "a" next above, *circa finem*.

^(c) They were inherited by their son, Theodore Morison, who was served heir of his father therein, 1 Aug. 1699.

- IV. 1686? 4. LEWIS (CRICHTON), VISCOUNT OF FRENDRAGHT, AND to LORD CRICHTON [S.], uncle and h., being 2d and yst. s. of the 2d 1690. Viscount, by his 2d wife. He was served heir to his nephew, in 1686. He joined King James II. in exile for which a *decree of forfeiture* was pronounced against him in July 1690, by Parl. [S.], when *all his honours became forfeited*.^(a) He subsequently attended King James in Ireland. He *d. s.p.*, 26 Nov. 1698, at St. Germain's in France.

FRENE, DE FRENE, or DE FREYNE.

- Barony by Writ.** SIR HUGH DE FRENE, *b.* about 1290 ;^(b) Constable of Cardigan Castle, 1330 ; Steward of the manor of Orleton, co. Hereford, 1334 ; Warden of Berwick upon Tweed and Ch. Justice of Chester, 1335, was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FRENE or DE FRENE] by writ 29 Nov. (1336), 10 Ed. III., and (shortly after his death) by writ 14 Jan. (1336/7), 10 Ed. III. He *m.* about 20 Feb. 1335/6 (as her 3d husband) Alice, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF LINCOLN and SALISBURY, da. and h. of Henry (DE LACY), EARL OF LINCOLN, by Margaret, *suo jure* COUNTESS OF SALISBURY. Hence, *jure uxoris*, he is sometimes styled EARL OF LINCOLN. He *d. s.p.* at Perth, Dec. 1336, when *all his honours became extinct*. His widow who was *b.* 1283 *d. s.p.* 2 Oct. 1348. See fuller account of her under "LINCOLN" Earldom of.

FRESCHÉVILLE, or FRECHEVILLE

RALPH DE FRESCHÉVILLE was sum. to attend the King at Salisbury 26 Jan. (1296/7), 25 Ed. I., but this cannot be considered as constituting a regular writ of summons to Parl.^(c) He was never again summoned nor were any of his descendants till 1664, when a peerage by patent was conferred by Charles II. as mentioned next below.

FRESCHÉVILLE OF STAVELEY.

- Barony.** JOHN FRESCHÉVILLE^(d) of Staveley, co. Derby, s. and h. of Sir Peter F. of the same, by his first wife, Jocosa, widow of Sir Hewett OSBORNE, da. of Thomas FLEETWOOD, of the Vache, Bucks, *b.* (apparently) 4 Dec. 1607 ; *suc.* his father, 7 April 1634 ; Gent. of the Privy Chamber, 1639 ; was in command of a Reg. of eight troops of Horse for the King during the civil war and "in consequence of the services rendered to the Royal cause and on his petition to the King" obtained a Royal warrant, 25 March 1644, "for his creation as a Peer by the style of *Lord Frecheville of Staveley Musard and Fitz-Ralph* to him and his heirs male lawfully begotten. This patent, however, never passed the great seal, so that immediately after the restoration another petition was addressed by the same John frescheville to the Crown praying the accomplishment of the patent, and a warrant to that effect was signed by the King at Whitehall, 23 June 1660, to create him a Baron by the same title as above to him and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, and for want of such to Elizabeth, his eldest da. and the heirs of her body, and for want of

(a) "If the dignity should be restored, the collateral heir male of the first Viscount would be entitled to it" ; see *Hewlett*, p. 147, where some account is given of the genealogy of the family.

(b) Hugh de Frene (probably this man) was "one of the tilters at the tournament at Dunstable (1313-14), 7 Ed. II., bearing then for arms *Goules, ove deux barres endente, arg. et az.* The family of de Frene was long of high repute in Herefordshire." See Banks's *Bar. Ang. Conc.*, vol. ii, p. 84.

(c) See vol. i, p. 111, note "b," sub "Ap Adam."

(d) See "Pedigree of the Frecheville and Musard families, Lords of Crich and Staveley in Derbyshire," by "F.M.," in "*Coll. Top. et Gen.*," vol. iv, pp. 1-28, and 181-218.

such to Frances his youngest da. and to her heirs for ever. The patent however did not pass till the 16th March 1664, and limited the title to him and the heirs male of his body."^(a) By it he was *cr.* BARON FRESCHVILLE OF STAVELEY, *co.* Derby. In 1677, he presented a claim (which was not allowed) to the precedence in the House of Lords of a Barony, *cr.* 26 Jan. (1296/7), 25 Ed. I., under the writ, of that date, issued to his ancestor, Ralph Frescheville abovenamed.^(b) In 1680, he sold the reversion (on his death) of the manor of Staveley, for £2,600, to the Earl of Devonshire. He *m.* firstly, Bruce, da. of Francis NICHOLLS, of Amphilhill, Beds. *d. s.p.*, 10 April 1629, aged 18. He *m.* secondly, April 1630, at the King's Court, Sarah, da. and h. of Sir John HARINGTON, of Bagworth. She, who was Maid of Honour (1630) to the Queen Consort, *d. s.p.m.*, in London, 22 and was *bur.* 24 June 1665, at St. Lawrence Pountney. He *m.* thirdly, Anna Charlotte, da. of Sir Henry DE VIC, Bart., Chancellor of the Garter, by Margaret, da. of Sir Philip CARTERET. He *d. s.p.m.* in London, 31 March and was *bur.* 9 April 1682, at Staveley, in his 76th year, when the title became extinct.^(c) M.I. Will dat. 9 Jan. 1681/2, pr. 1682. His widow, who had been many years Lady of the Bedchamber to Queen Anne (both when Queen and when Princess of Denmark) *d. s.p.* 12 Nov. 1717, at a great age. Will pr. Nov. 1717.

FRESHWATER.

"See "TENNYSON OF ALDWORTH, *co.* SUSSEX, AND OF FRESHWATER in the isle of Wight" Barony (*Tennyson*), *cr.* 1884.

FREVILLE.

ALEXANDER DE FREVILLE, who in right of his wife inherited (from the family of Marmion) the Lordship of Tamworth, *co.* Warwick, is stated by Dugdale (*Baronage II.*, 103), in which he has been followed by other writers, to have been *sum.* to Parl. [as a Baron] 1 Ed. III. He, however, is not included in either summons to Parl. issued in that year, but only in a summons dated at Ramsey, 5 April (1327), 1 Ed. III., to be at Newcastle-upon-Tyne with horse and arms, to serve against Robert Bruce.

FREYNE, see under "FRENE" and "DE FREYNE."

FURNIVAL OF MALAHIDE.

i.e., "FURNIVAL OF MALAHIDE, in Ireland," Barony (*Talbot*), *cr.* 1839; *ex.* 1849. See "TALBOT OF MALAHIDE," Barony [I.], *cr.* 1831, under the second holder thereof.

^(a) See p. 404, note "d."

^(b) This writ of 26 Jan. 1296/7, does not constitute a regular summons to Parl. See vol. i, p. 111, note "b," *sub* "Ap. Adam." This primary objection, however, was not the one that in this case was taken, but, "it being contended that, to give the party summoned to Parl. an estate of inheritance, a *sitting* under the writ was necessary, and as the *onus* of proving such sitting rested with the party claiming the dignity, and no such proof being extant in the case of the said Ralph Frescheville, the claim was not admitted" [*Nicolas*.] See also Courthope's "Observations on Dignities," p. xxxvi, *sub* "Sittings in Parl."

^(c) Of his three daughters and coheirs, all by his second wife (1) Christian b. 13 Dec. 1633, *m.* 28 Feb. 1651 (as his first wife), Charles Powlett afterwards (1689), 1st Duke of Bolton, and *d. s.p.s.*, 22 May 1653, aged 20; (2) Elizabeth, b. 1 and *bap.* 9 Jan. 1634; *m.* firstly, 18 Sep. 1661, in Lambeth chapel, Philip Warwick, who *d.* 12 March 1682/3. She *m.* secondly (as his 4th wife), 8 Jan. 1684/8, Conyers (Darcy), Earl of Holderness, and *d. s.p.*, 22 Feb. 1689/90. (3) Frances, b. 1 and *bap.* 15 Nov. 1638; *m.* Col. Thomas Colepeper, who in her right claimed the Barony of Frescheville. She *d.* 3 Dec. 1698, her husband being living (*s.p.*) in 1708.

FURNIVALL.

Barony by Writ. I. THOMAS DE FURNIVALL,^(a) of Sheffield, co. York, and Worksop, Notts,^(b) s. and h. of Gerard F. of the same,^(c) by Maud, sister and coheir of Richard (FITZ-JOHN), LORD FITZ-JOHN, *suc.* his father before (1281), 9 Ed. I., when he had livery of his lands, was

I. 1295.

sum. 8 June (1294), 22 Ed. I. to attend the King wherever he might be,^(d) and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FURNIVALL], from 23 June (1295), 23 Ed. I. to 27 Jan. (1331/2), 6 Ed. III.,^(e) each writ from and after that of 25 Aug. (1318), 12 Ed. II, having the word "*Seniori*" added to the name. He served in the Scotch war; was one of the Barons whose name (as "*Thom' de Furnivall, D'n's de Sheffield*") was subscribed to the famous letter to the Pope, in 1301,^(f) and was at the Coronation of Ed. II. He *m.* twice, his second wife being Elizabeth, widow of William (DE MONTACUTE), Lord Montacute (who *d.* 1319), da. of Peter DE MONTFORT, of Beldesert Castle, co. Warwick. He *d.* 3 Feb. (1331/2), 6 Ed. III. His widow *d.* March (1384), 28 Ed. III. and was *bur.* at St. Frideswide's Monastery, Oxford. M.I.

II. 1318 and 1332. 2. THOMAS (DE FURNIVALL), LORD FURNIVALL, s. and h., by 1st wife, aged 30, at his father's death in 1332.^(g) He was, v.p., sum to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FURNIVALL] from 25 Aug. 1318, 12 Ed. II. to 27 Jan. (1331/2), 6 Ed. III., each writ having the word

"*Juniori*," added to the name, being, also, without such addition, so sum. until 15 Nov. (1338), 12 Ed. III. He was in the Scotch wars with his father, 1326. He *m.* 21 Sep. 1316, Joan (then aged 13), 1st da. and coheir of Theobald (DE VERDON), LORD VERDON, by his first wife, Maud, da. of Edmund (MORTIMER), LORD MORTIMER. By her he acquired the Castle of Alveton and other considerable estates in co. Stafford. She *d.* in childbed, 2 Oct. 1336, and was *bur.* (with her ancestors), at Croxden Abbey. He *d.* 14 Oct. 1339, and was *bur.* at Beauchief Abbey, co. Derby.

III. 1339. 3. THOMAS (DE FURNIVALL), LORD FURNIVALL, s. and h., aged 17, at his father's death in 1339. He was sum. to Parl. from 20 Nov. (1348), 22 Ed. III. to 4 Oct. (1364), 38 Ed. III. He was in the wars with France (being present at the battle of Cressy in 1346), and in those with Scotland and was living (1356), 30 Ed. III. He *m.* Joane. He *d.* s.p. about 1364 and was *bur.* at Worksop, Notts. M.I. His widow, who held the manor of Alveton afsd. in dower, *d.* (1395-96), 19 Ric. II.

(a) The name is said to be derived from *Fourneville*, near Honfleur, in Normandy, from whence came Gerald de Furnivall who accompanied King Richard I. into the Holy Land and settling in England, acquired vast estates in Yorkshire, by marriage with Maud, da. and h. of William de Lovetot, of Sheffield, Lord of Hallamshire, being (by her) great grandfather of the 1st Lord Furnivall.

(b) "Though Dugdale places this family amongst those who were Barons by tenure, and they probably were so, nevertheless Thomas de Furnival, the first Baron sum. to Parl., denied, in certain proceedings, 19 Ed. II. (1325-6), that he held any of his lands by Barony, whether at Sheffield, Worksop, or elsewhere. It would seem from what occurred on this occasion, and which is stated at some length in the 3rd report on the dignity of a Peer, p. 235, that a writ of summons was not issued as a writ of right by reason of tenure, but as a matter of favour of the crown." [*Courthope.*"]

(c) See an interesting article in the "Her. and Gen." vol. iii, p. 334, with engraving of a "lozenge shield," "the seal of Thomas Furnival, Lord of Hallamshire," temp. King Hen. III., who was dead before (1279), 7 Ed. I., being father of Gerald F. abovenamed and grandfather of the 1st Lord Furnivall.

(d) See vol. i, p. 259, note "c," sub "*Basset de Sapcote*," as to the invalidity of this writ to constitute a Barony.

(e) There is proof in the Rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(f) See full account thereof in "*Nicolas*," pp. 761-809.

(g) His age in 1332, was probably nearer 40 than 30, as it is hardly likely he would have been sum. to Parl. (v.p.), in 1218, before he was 24 years, or so, of age.

IV. 1364? 4. WILLIAM (DE FURNIVALL), LORD FURNIVALL, br. and h. He was sum. to Parl. from 20 Jan. (1365/6), 39 Ed. III. to 7 Jan. (1382/3), 6 Ric. II. He *m.* Thomazine da. (whose issue became heir or coheir) of Thomas (DAGWORTH), LORD DAGWORTH, by Eleanor, Dow. COUNTESS OF ORMONDE [I.] da. of Humphrey (BOHUN), EARL OF HEREFORD. He *d.* s.p.m. (1382-83), 6 Ric. II.

V. 1383. 5. JOANE, *suo jure* BARONESS FURNIVALL, only da. and h., who in 1383 at or soon after her father's death was wife of Thomas NEVILL, next br. of Ralph, 1st EARL OF WESTMORLAND, being 2d s. of John, LORD NEVILL, by his first wife, Maud, da. of Henry (PERCY), LORD PERCY. This Thomas Nevill made proof of his wife's age and had livery of her lands^(a) (1383-84), 7 Ric. II., and was sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FURNIVALL or LORD NEVILL DE HALLAMSHIRE^(b)] from 20 Aug. (1383), 7 Ric. II., to 1 Dec. (1412), 4 Hen. IV.,^(c) by writs directed "*Thome Nevill de Halomshire*,"^(d) being, however, always styled in the Rolls of Parl. as "*Le Sire de Furnyvall*." The Baroness Joan was dead in (1406-07), 2 Hen. IV., when Lord Furnivall *m.* secondly Ankaret, widow of Richard (TALBOT), LORD TALBOT, da. of John (DE STRANGE), LORD STRANGE DE BLACKMERE, by Mary, sister of Richard (FITZ-ALAN), EARL OF ARUNDEL. He *d.* s.p.m. (1406-07), 8 Hen. IV. Will dat. 12 March 1406, directing his burial to be at the Priory of Worksop.^(d) His second wife survived him.

VI. 1407. 6. MAUD, *suo jure* BARONESS FURNIVALL, only da.^(e) and h. of her mother (*suo jure* Baroness Furnivall) and 1st da. and coheir of her father, both next abovenamed, was aged 15 at her father's death, having been previously (before 12 March 1406), *m.* (as his first wife) to John TALBOT, 2d s. of Richard (TALBOT), LORD TALBOT, by Ankaret (step-mother of the said Maud), da. of John (LE STRANGE), LORD STRANGE DE BLACKMERE, all three next abovenamed. He was *jure uxoris* sum. to Parl. as a Baron [LORD FURNIVALL or LORD TALBOT DE HALLAMSHIRE] from 26 Oct. (1409), 11 Hen. IV., to 26 Feb. (1420/1), 8 Hen. V.,^(e) the first writ as also the greater number of them being directed "*Johanni*

(a) These included not only those of her father (viz., Sheffield, in Yorkshire, Worksop, in Notts, Eyam, in Derbyshire, Stoke Verdon, in Wilts, &c.), but those of her mother (viz., Dagworth, co. Suffolk, Dagworth-in-Elmdon, Essex, &c.), yet, according to Blomfield's "*Norfolk*" (followed in this work *sub* "Dagworth") her mother's brother, Nicholas, Lord Dagworth, did not die till 1401.

(b) "Notwithstanding that all genealogical writers consider this Thomas Nevill as *Baron Furnival*, he was uniformly sum. to Parl. as '*Thome Nevill de Halomshire*'; and if it were not for the fact that he is always styled '*Le Sire de Furnyvall*' in the Rolls of Parl. it might admit of some doubt whether he should be deemed Baron Furnival; his son-in-law, John Talbot, was sum. in the first and (with the exception of that of 1 Hen. V., when he is described as '*de Halomshire*') in every writ for twelve years as '*Lord Furnyvall*.'" [Nicolas.]

(c) There is proof in the Rolls of Parl. of his sitting.

(d) If it be supposed that a new Barony (*Nevill de Hallamshire*) was created by the writ of 1383 such Barony would on his death fall into abeyance between his two daughters and coheirs, viz. (1) Maud, by his first wife, who inherited her mother's Barony of Furnivall, as stated in the text and (2) Joan, by the second wife (twelve years younger than her sister) three years old at her father's death (1406-07), 8 Hen. IV. This Joan *m.* Sir Hugh Cokesey, or (writes Courthope) "according to others Hamon de Belknap."

(e) The [erroneous] statement in Dugdale that she was but a co-heir to her mother appears to have reduced the author of the *Returns of Baronies called out of abeyance* (printed for the House of Lords, 30 July 1853), to a state of hopeless indecision. "*The naked truth*" that she was *sole* heir to her mother had been however (above 200 years before) clearly shewn in "*Vincent*" [p. 463, *sub* "Shrewsbury"] where the *Ing. post mortem* on her father shewing the different mothers of his two daughters is set out.

Talbot, D'no de Furnyvall," one writ, however, that of 1 Dec. (1413), 1 Hen. V., being directed "*Johi Talbot de Halomshire,*"^(a) while in a few instances the writs are directed "*Johanni Talbot de Furnyvall.*" On 13 Dec. 1421, he became (by succession to his niece) LORD STRANGE DE BLACKMERE [1308] and LORD TALBOT [1331]. **K.G.**, 6 May 1424. The *suo jure* Baroness *d.* before 1433 when her husband *m.* his second wife. He was *cr.* 20 May 1442, EARL OF SALOP [*i.e.*, SHREWSBURY] and was *cr.* 14 July 1446, EARL OF WATERFORD [I.] He *d.* (being slain at Chastillon), 20 July 1453. See fuller particulars of him under "SHREWSBURY" Earldom, *cr.* 1442.

VII. 1453. 7. JOHN (TALBOT), EARL OF SHREWSBURY, LORD FURNIVALL, &c., s. and h., *b.* 1413; **K.G.**, May 1457. He *d.* (being slain at Northampton), 10 July 1460.

VIII. 1460. 8. JOHN (TALBOT), EARL OF SHREWSBURY, LORD FURNIVALL, &c., s. and h., *b.* 12 Dec. 1448. He *d.* 28 June 1473.

IX. 1473. 9. GEORGE (TALBOT), EARL OF SHREWSBURY, LORD FURNIVALL, &c., s. and h., *b.* about 1469; **K.G.**, 28 April 1488. He *d.* 26 July 1541.

X. 1541. 10. FRANCIS (TALBOT), EARL OF SHREWSBURY, LORD FURNIVALL, &c., s. and h., *b.* 1500; **K.G.**, 17 May 1545. He *d.* 21 Sep. 1560.

XI. 1560. 11. GEORGE (TALBOT), EARL OF SHREWSBURY, LORD FURNIVALL, &c., s. and h., *b.* before 1528; **K.G.**, 22 April 1561; EARL MARSHALL, 2 Jan. 1573. He *d.* 18 Nov. 1590.

XII. 1590, 12. GILBERT (TALBOT), EARL OF SHREWSBURY to [1442], LORD FURNIVALL [1295], LORD STRANGE DE BLACKMERE [1308] and LORD TALBOT [1331], also EARL OF WATERFORD [I.], 2d but 1st surv. s. and h.; *b.* 20 Nov. 1552. **K.G.**, 20 June 1592. He *d.* s.p.m., 8 May 1616, when the

Earldoms [E. and I.] devolved on his br. and h. male, but the *Baronies of Furnivall, Strange de Blackmere and Talbot*, fell into *abeyance* between his daughters and coheirs.^(b)

For fuller account see "Shrewsbury" Earldom, *cr.* 1442.

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XIII. 1651. 13. ALATHEA, DOW. COUNTESS OF ARUNDEL, 3d da. and coheir, became by the death of her last surv. sister in Dec. 1651, sole heir to her father, and, as such, *suo jure* BARONESS FURNIVALL, STRANGE DE BLACKMERE AND TALBOT. She *m.* Sep. 1606, Thomas (HOWARD), EARL OF ARUNDEL, who *d.* at Padua, 4 Oct. 1646, aged 61. She *d.* at Amsterdam, 24 May 1654 and was *bur.* at Rotheram, co. York. For fuller particulars see under "ARUNDEL" Earldom.

^(a) If it can be supposed that a new Barony (*Talbot de Hallamshire*) was created by this writ of 1413 such Barony would follow the course of the Baronies of Furnivall, Strange de Blackmere and Talbot.

^(b) These were (1) Mary, who *m.* 4 Nov. 1604, William (Herbert), 3d Earl of Pembroke, who *d.* s.p., 10 April 1630, aged 50. She, who was living 1621, appears to have died in his lifetime; (2) Elizabeth, who *m.* before Sep. 1602, Henry (Grey), 7th Earl of Kent, and *d.* s.p., as his widow, Dec. 1651. (3) Alatheia Dow. Countess of Arundel, who in 1651, inherited her father's Baronies as his sole heir.

XIV. 1654. 14. THOMAS (HOWARD), EARL OF ARUNDEL, &c. (to which and other honours he had *suc.* on the death of his father 4 Oct. 1646), LORD FURNIVALL, STRANGE DE BLACKMERE AND TALBOT, grandson and h., being s. and h. of Henry Frederick (HOWARD), EARL OF ARUNDEL, who was 2d but 1st surv. s. and h. ap. of Alethea, the *suo jure* Baroness Furnivall, &c., next abovenamed, but who *d. v.p.* 17 April 1652, in his 44th year. He was *b.* 12 July 1628, and was, 29 Dec. 1660, *restored* as DUKE OF NORFOLK. He *d. unm.* at Padua, 13 Dec. 1677.

XV. 1677. 15. HENRY (HOWARD), DUKE OF NORFOLK, &c., LORD FURNIVALL, &c., br. and h., *b.* 12 July 1628, *cr.* EARL MARSHAL OF ENGLAND. He *d.* 11 Jan. 1684.

XVI. 1684. 16. HENRY (HOWARD), DUKE OF NORFOLK, &c., LORD FURNIVALL, &c., and EARL MARSHAL, s. and h., *b.* 11 Jan. 1655; **K.G.**, 6 May 1685. He *d. s.p.* 2 April 1701.

XVII. 1701. 17. THOMAS (HOWARD), DUKE OF NORFOLK, &c., LORD FURNIVALL, &c., and EARL MARSHAL, nephew and h., being s. and h. of Lord Thomas Howard next br. to the last Duke. He was *b.* 11 Dec. 1683, and *d. s.p.* 23 Dec 1732.

XVIII. 1732, 18. EDWARD (HOWARD), DUKE OF NORFOLK, to &c., LORD FURNIVALL, &c., and EARL MARSHAL, br. and 1777. h., *b.* 5 June 1686, and *d. s.p.* 20 Sep. 1777, when the Dukedom of Norfolk and the greater part of his dignities devolved on his cousin and heir male, but the *Baronies* of *Mowbray, Segrave, Furnivall, Strange de Blackmere, and Talbot*,^(a) fell into abeyance between his nieces and coheirs,^(b) the heirs general.

See fuller account under "NORFOLK" Dukedom, *cr.* 1483.

FYTTON, see "FITTON."

FYVIE.

i.e., "FYVIE" Barony [S.] (*Seton*), *cr.* 1598. See "DUNFERMLINE" Earldom [S.], *cr.* 1605, *forfeited* 1690.

^(a) To these may (possibly) be added (1) the Barony of Howard [1470] if not extinguished (which in all probability it is) by the attainder of 1485 as also (2) the Barony of Arundel (1377) if it be not (which in all probability it is) the *same* Barony as that of Maltravers and so consequently (together with Fitz-Alan Clun and Oswaldestre) annexed by act of Parl., 3 Car. I., to the Earldom of Arundel. See *vol. i*, p. 156, note "b," *sub* "Arundel."

^(b) These were the daughters (or their issue) of his *yst. br.* Philip Howard, 5th son of Lord Thomas Howard, who was *yr. s.* of Henry, 6th (1677-84) Duke of Norfolk, abovenamed, *viz.* (1) Winifred *b.* 31 Aug. 1726, *m.* Oct. 1749, William Stourton, afterwards (1753-81) 15th Baron Stourton, and *d.* 15 July 1753, leaving a s. and h., Charles Philip, 16th (1781-1816) Baron Stourton in favour of whose great grandson and h., the 19th Baron, the abeyance of the Baronies of Mowbray and Segrave was terminated in 1878 (2) Anne, *b.* 29 Aug. 1742, *m.* 19 April 1762, Robert Edward (Petre), 9th Baron Petre of Writtle, and *d.* 16 Jan. 1787, being ancestress of the present Baron Petre who in her right is coheir (heir to a moiety) of the Baronies of Furnivall, Strange de Blackmere and Talbot.

CORRIGENDA ET ADDENDA.

- p. 8, note "b," line 9. *Dele* "de Chartley."
- p. 11, note "a," line 3. *Dele* "With this Barony," &c., to the end *Insert* "There appears to have been another sister, Eleanor, who m. (lic. 23 June 1362), Walter, Lord Fitz-Walter, whose son and successor (b. 1368) was probably a child of this lady."
- p. 29, line 14. *After* "1755," *insert* "at St. Geo. the Martyr, Queen sq., Midx.;" *after* "Catherine" *insert* "Gounter;" *for* "Gunter Nicholl" *read* "Gounter Nicoll."
- p. 33, line 24. *After* "1800," make a reference to a note to be added thereto, *viz.*, "He was one of the 26 Commoners ennobled that year, being the year of the Irish Union. See vol. i, p. 166, note "a," sub "ASHTOWN."
- p. 36, line 27. *Dele* "(of Groby.)"
- p. 42, line 24. *After* "1773," *insert* "and was bur. 9 Aug. at Hampstead, Midx."
- p. 52, line 41. *After* "1868," *insert* "m. 24 June 1890, at St. Paul's, Knightsbridge, Dorothy, 1st da. of John Postle HESELTINE, of Walthampton Park, Hants."
- p. 67, note "b," line 2. *After* "Ferrers," *insert* "often spoken of as Ferrers."
- p. 69, note "c," line 1. *After* "Huntingdon," *insert* "and, possibly, Pembroke;" *for* "They" *read* "These four."
- p. 77, line 27. *After* "Devon, &c.," *insert* "See p. 69, note 'd,' *circa finem.*"
- p. 83, note "e," line 1. *After* "Nappagh" *insert* "or an Appagh;" line 7, *after* "Offaly" *dele* "who was" and *insert* "as happening in the Castle of Woodstock, near Athy, during an alarm of fire; which John, who was b. about 1250, was;" *after* "Kildare [I.]" *insert* "See *Earls of Kildare*, edit. 1858, p. 20."
- p. 90, note "c," line 1. *Dele* "vol. ii, p. 333, note 'd,' sub 'Colwill;'" *insert* "p. 365, note 'd,' sub 'Fitz-John,' where the names of all the lay peers therein summoned are set out;" line 7 "for" 1878 *read* "1877;" line 8 *after* "Mowbray," *insert* "and Segrave."
- p. 91, line 9 among the notes; *after* "infra," *insert* "p. 94, sub 1604 in the text."
- p. 96, line 20. *After* "1822," *insert* "and bap. at Rotherfield Greys, Oxon."
- p. 107, note "a," line 2. *For* "note," *read* "p. 146, note 'g;'" line 3, *after* "existence," *add* "See list of creations on that day (18 June 1525), vol. ii, p. 433, note 'c,' sub 'Cumberland.'"
- p. 113, note "e," line 2; *for* "L'Isle," *read* "L'Isle."
- p. 113, line 34. *After* "Wrangler," *insert* "and first."
- p. 119, line 8, *after* "1854," *insert* "Senior opt.;" line 29, *after* "to" *insert* "the;" line 30, *after* "p. 77," *insert* "See also p. 69 note 'd,' *circa finem.*"
- p. 124, last line. *After* "Ditchley afsd," *insert* "His widow d. 17 July 1890 at Vichy. Personalty sworn at £52,165."
- p. 126, line 8. *After* "Elizabeth," *dele* "widow" down to "Lord Fitz-Walter;" *insert* "suo jure BARONESS FITZ-WALTER, widow of John (RADCLIFF), LORD FITZ-WALTER (in her right) who was slain 29 March 1461, she being da. and h. of Walter (FITZ-WALTER), LORD FITZ-WALTER, by Elizabeth, da. of (—) CHIDEOCKE."
- p. 131, *For* "XII, 1602?" *read* "XII, 1604;" line 28, *dele* "about 1602" down to "as such;" *insert* "as 'Thomas Areskyme, Knt., Prefect of the Royal Guard,' cr. 8 July 1604(c) BARON ERSKINE OF DIRLETOWNE in Scotland [S.], being as Lord Dirletoun placed" *Add* as a note to this page "(c) See 'Creations, 1483-1646,' in ap. 47th Rep. D.K. Pub. Records. See also p. 201 (sub 'Dunbar'), note 'a,' *circa finem.*"
- p. 149, note "d." *After* "Records" *insert* "See also p. 69, note 'd,' sub 'Derby,' as to titles of Earldoms from counties or places not, apparently, connected with the grantees."
- p. 151, note "e," line 4. *After* "husband," *insert* "See Jesse's *Stuarts.*"
- p. 194, lines 39-40; *dele* "Penelope" down to "York;" *insert* "Aug. 1618, Penelope, sister of Barnham,^(a) 1st VISCOUNT CARLINGFORD [I.], da. of Sir Robert SWIFT, of Rotherham, co. York, by his second wife, Ursula, da. of Stephen BARNHAM." *Add this note to p. 194.* "(a) This Barnham Swift m. at the same date Lady Mary Crichton, sister of the said William, 2d Earl of Dumfries [S.]"
- p. 199, note "e," line 3. *After* "Graunde-dame," *insert* a comma.
- p. 203, line 29. *For* "1741," *read* "1772;" line 30, *for* "10th" *read* "9th;" and *for* "Elmley" *read* "Emley."

- p. 204, line 29. After "1674," insert a mark for a note as under, viz., "See *Riddell*, p. 71."
- p. 211, line 4. After "year," insert "and was bur. 31st at St. James' Westm."
- p. 221, line 10. After "KENRY" insert a mark for a note as under, viz., "See p. 267, note 'a,' sub 'Enniskillen,' as to peerage titles [U.K.] selected by Scotch and Irish Peers."
- p. 226, line 3 from end. After "spinster," insert "(d)" Add to this page a note, viz. "(d) 'Miss Cholmondeley, da. of the late celebrated Madam St. Alban' is said in the *Annual Reg.* for 1812 to have m. in Jan. 1812 'Hon. William H. Lambton' at Gretna Green."
- p. 240, line 38. After "m." insert "at the age of 14;" after "Egidia," insert "of Gelis."
- p. 247, between lines 12 and 13, insert "See MULTON, sometime (1307-20) MULTON DE EGREMUDE, Barony (*Multon*), cr. 1299; in *abeyance* 1334" Add a note thereto, as under "The style of *Lord Egremund* was assumed by the (*Radcliffe*), Earls of Sussex, as representatives of Joan, Baroness Fitz-Walter, one of the *coheirs* of the Lords *Multon de Egremund*."
- p. 250, line 10. After "styled," make reference to a note thereto as under "See p. 336, note 'd,' sub 'Ferrers,' as to usage of a courtesy title by the *grandson* and heir ap. of Duke, Marquess, or Earl."
- p. 256, line 21. After "Stafford," insert "He d. 9 Oct. 1890, aged 69, at 6 Buckingham Gate, London; bur. in Kensal Green Cemetery."
- IV. 1890. 4. CHARLES TOWRY HAMILTON (TOWRY-LAW), BARON ELLENBOROUGH, only s. and h., by 2d wife; b. 21 April 1856."
- p. 264, line 3. After "68," insert "Will pr. 7 Aug. 1890, at £6,602."
- p. 281, note "d," line 1. Between the words "John" and "Fitzpiers," insert "Fitzgeoffrey."
- p. 318, note "b," line 4. *Dele* "the Barony of Fortescue," down to "months."
- p. 343, last line. After "1805," insert "at Trinity Church, Chelsea."
- p. 349, line 17. After "male," insert "as also in 1786, being then in receipt of an annuity granted on her separation (*circa* 1771) from her husband."

The following Peerages (in the earlier letters of the alphabet), having been created since the printing of this work commenced, are relegated to the appendix, viz.

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